

UMPS Meeting Minutes

February 12, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm by President Wendy Nielson.

Minutes

Minutes from the January meeting were presented for review. A motion was made by Linda Foreman and was seconded by Natalie Frisch to approve the minutes. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report

Report presented.

Income-Yankee Candle fundraiser, Marcus fundraiser, Show choir payments, Chicago trip deposits, and online fees collected.

Expenses-Marcus fundraiser, Show Choir hotel payment, Show choir shirts, Army band meal, Badger Band meal, drill writer, 8th grade pizza, Chicago bus, Chicago Symphony, Blue Man Group, and online store fees.

A motion was made by Mary Yank and seconded by Natalie Frisch to approve the treasurer's report. Motion passed.

Director's Reports

Mr. Hull

Mr. Hull was happy to be in attendance at today's meeting. His schedule does not allow him to attend many meetings. He had a very brief report. Very happy with the Jazz Cabaret and thought the performances went well and it was a great night of music. Students are preparing for WSMA. Looking forward to the upcoming Chicago trip for the music department.

Miss Schlecht

Franklin Energizers

- Franklin Energizers did an amazing job at their first ever competition. We placed 2nd in the prep division and had a wonderful day watching Show Choirs from around the midwest. Thanks to Nancy Mason for chaperoning, and a big thanks to Allie and her combo being a part of our choir family!
- We will be attending the Chicagoland Showcase on Friday, March 2nd in Arlington Heights, IL. Permission slips should be turned in to Miss Schlecht ASAP if they have not been turned in yet.
 - \$75 for students who are NOT staying in a hotel, and \$100 for students who are staying in a hotel.
 - Students who are coming back Friday night will be carpooling back with other families. Students who stay overnight will stay at the competition and watch other schools compete. Return time is approximately 7:00pm on Saturday, March 3rd.

Chicago Trip Rehearsals and Information

- Information about rehearsals and details can be found by clicking [HERE](#).
- We have four rehearsals left for our trip. Please try to attend as many as possible.
 - *Friday, February 16th - Gold Block, Choir Room*
 - *Monday, February 19th - 2:45 - 4:30, Choir Room*
 - *Wednesday, February 21st - Gold Block, Choir Room*
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- Students need a black binder for their music as soon as possible.

Spring Musical - Little Mermaid!

- Please see our information for our Youth Cast Clinic by [clicking here](#).
- If any parents are interested in volunteering, please sign up online at www.tinyurl.com/franklinmusical under "Parents".
- Promotional Ad information: Please email Miss Schlecht for information about program ads and fundraising if you or someone you know wishes to place an ad. [Info is also available here](#).

Solo and Ensemble Sign-Up - Solo and Ensemble registration is due this Friday, February 16th. Miss Schlecht has been conferencing with every student in class to determine whether or not they will be performing for a judge, and/or if they need an accompanist. Please see her with any questions regarding registration.

Mrs. Umhoefer

- The Little Mermaid
 - Pit orchestra chosen for The Little Mermaid.
 - After two rehearsals, things are going great.
 - It will be challenging and fun.
- UW Varsity Band
 - She thanked all who helped and attended the UW Varsity Band event.
 - The profit made will go toward marching band.
- 4th Grader Performance
 - She thanked all who attended and performed for the 4th graders on January 30th.
- Jazz Cabaret
 - She thanked all who helped and attended the Jazz Cabaret.
 - We had 150 musicians perform and 300 in attendance.
 - It was great!
- WSMA
 - Students are working on WSMA.
 - They will submit recordings every three weeks.
- Marching Band
 - The new marching band show will be announced at pep band on Thursday, February 15th.
 - The 2018 marching band schedule can be found on the website, www.tinyurl.com/fhsbands.
- Chicago Trip
 - The Chicago trip is on Friday, February 23rd.
 - Report time is 6:00 am.
 - They will return around midnight.
 - The complete schedule has been emailed.
- WSMA

- Solo and Ensemble is on Saturday, March 24th.
 - Look for the volunteer sign up soon.
- International Trip
 - The 2019 international trip will be announced March 26th.

Business

- The Army Band and UW Varsity Band performances and meals went great!
- The Jazz Cabaret was another success. Thank you to all the volunteers. Thank you to the Bell family and the Harrington's (FP) for all their work in concessions.
- The spring craft fair is on March 17th.
 - Volunteer sign up will be out soon.
- WSMA will meet after to discuss specifics needs.
- The butter braid fundraiser will be March 1-12th. More info will be available at March 1 meeting.

There was a motion to adjourn made by Andrea Konz and seconded by Linda Foreman. Motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 7:23.