

## Olathe East Orchestra Boosters Meeting Minutes: March 27, 2019

Meeting called to order at 7 p.m.

Attending: Katherine Schukai, Dave Schukai, Mary Adams, Becky Smith, Christine Shafer, Jennifer Kullberg, Laura Patterson, Michael Hanf

### I. Welcome

### II. Old Business

#### a. Secretary Report

- i. Dave Schukai moved to approve Minutes from February 13, 2019 meeting and Katherine Schukai seconded.

#### b. Treasurer Report

- i. Dave Schukai presented report. The account balance is nearly \$500 after \$99.70 Chick-fil-A deposit and \$7 withdrawal for website.
- ii. Two students are designing luggage tags for the NYC trip. It may cost \$50 for laminating or pouches.

#### c. Director's Report -- Michael Hanf

- i. The NYC trip funding has a negative balance in part because expenses for security were underestimated and initial estimates were divided between 60 students who planned to go on the trip; 45 are now traveling. The shortfall amounts to about \$150 per traveler. The principal allocated school funds to make up the shortfall to cover the trip payment. She asked that fundraising be done to reimburse the school all but \$2,000 and agreed to each traveler being charged an additional \$50. The balance would need to be made up by May 24. Mr. Hanf had looked into doing a car wash at Meyer Music, but available dates have conflicts with contests and graduation. Funds need to be raised by May 14, Mr. Hanf said. The boosters discussed possibilities and decided:
  1. Set up an NYC trip fundraiser on gofundme.com.
  2. Look into another restaurant night at Chipotle or Blaze Pizza for May.
  3. Have the Orchestra Leadership Team pass hats to collect change/donations from those attending the next two orchestra concerts.

#### d. President's Report -- Becky Smith

- i. Chick-fil-A restaurant night deposit of \$99.70 was made.
- ii. Freddy's restaurant night fundraiser is 5 - 9 p.m. April 2 (before and after concert).

### III. New Business

- a. Online Fundraisers. The costs associated with various ones was discussed. Becky will set up a gofundme for the trip. It has the least fees of 2.9%. A withdrawal will need to be made within 30 days.
- b. Volunteers needed for upcoming dates:
  - i. April 6 - Regional solo/ensemble competition. Olathe South is hosting and will post a Signup Genius. One more parent volunteer needed.
  - ii. April 11 - State Large Group (Chamber and Concert) at Olathe Northwest. Two parents to chaperone for three buses.
  - iii. May 7 - Final concert. Freshman parents to help with reception and everyone donates cookies
  - iv. May 11 - Worlds of Fun. All freshman are asked to attend with freshmen parents as chaperones on the buses and in the park. The cost is \$30 plus park admission if no season ticket, and extra for a fast-food meal. This group has made much musical progress this year, so an adjudicated opportunity to show it.
  - v. May 19 - Graduation. Chaperone needed on each bus to and from, and parents to provide water bottles/cooler. Mr. Hanf will ask for two buses.
- c. Only one meeting left before summer: 6:30 p.m. May 1.
  - i. Becky will add Booster meetings to the master calendar.
  - ii. End-of-the-year wrap-up will include financial reports, final volunteer needs
- d. Website - Jennifer Kullberg
  - i. Online donation link will be added to website.
- e. Photography/Videography
  - iii. Craig Patterson has posted some to non-searchable youtube that can be transferred. Mr. Hanf would like his titles edited to clearly identify performances.

### IV. Meeting Adjournment at 7:37 p.m.

- a. Next meeting tentatively set for 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 7.