

May SPHS Drama Boosters meeting - 5/2/2022

Present:

Angie Germanos
Stephanie Wright
Elaine Bachmann
Edie McGee
Gina Dicks
Jill Robinson
Shannon Powell
Staci Cassarino
Diane Heath
Amy Donegan
Carrie Moran
Kristen Davolio
Trista Rassofsky
Jennifer Fleming
Linda Testerman
Jen Kessler
Kristin Tufo
Lauri Miller

1. Financial update/Treasurer's Report: current cash on hand total is \$96294.2. We owe for videos, charity money (10k +) and scholarships
2. Summer camps: RNR Junior camp is full - 25 signed up. Falcon Dram camp has about 20ish kids already registered - between 20-30 would be manageable - more if we get more counselors. May 23 is first counselor meeting. July 10 - there will be a camp meeting at FroYo to give counselors tshirts and double check dances and songs are ready. Gift cards will be given to counselors. July 11-14, 9-2 is when they need counselors.
3. RNR XXXIII: Gina is getting costumes put away starting this week, will be asking for volunteers to assist during after-school hours. We are hoping DVDs come in before graduation.
4. Vocal teacher for 2022-2023: interviews are currently being held due to Mr. Brisentine's departure at the end of this school year.

5. SP Cares: will be on May 27. Tess Donegan volunteered to be Emcee. Thespian officers may help with music collection. Gina will reach out to SPAN to invite them and present a ceremonial giant check. Cords for Thespian Honor Society will be presented to seniors.
6. Thespian officers - election for next year is May 18 during Falcon Block. May 3 is deadline for membership.
7. Audit report: Jill stated that our bylaws include a mandatory annual audit. The document was signed in 2007, and the bylaws need to be updated every 5 years so we are due to update. The treasurer should handle all cash.
8. Process improvements for next year: digital copies for RNR and other productions - Angie will look into that with the production company. A lot of people no longer have a way to play a DVD. Mr. Bernstein will do more photos next year - capturing moments from more shows so there are pictures available for each act. Have charity video played during RNR - the show was too long so we didn't run the video but it should be an hour or less for each act. Maybe have a video feed in the lobby so people can finish concessions while watching the show. Water definitely needs to be available to avoid dehydration and heat issues.
9. June 6 election and 8th grade invitational: invite 8th grade incoming parents, tour them around. Meeting will be held in person. Ms.Cassarino will check on allowances for adults meeting in the building. Jill offered her community center in case we can't meet at the school. Fall musical and RNR theme will be announced at this meeting.
10. New officers for the Booster Board will be elected at the next meeting.
Returning: Gina Dicks (will continue as Member-at-Large)
Shannon Powell (will be Vice President)
Edie McGree - staying on temporarily to help with onboarding new Treasurer
Open positions:: President, Treasurer, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary
Jill also needs someone to take over creating and editing the programs. Amy Heath will be asked to continue to manage the advertising for the programs
11. Communication: ideas for different ways to communicate were discussed - perhaps not using Facebook, maybe trying TeamSnap.