

February SPHS Drama Boosters meeting - 2/7/2022

Present:

Angie Germanos

Dr. Jones

Stephanie Wright

Elaine Bachmann

Edie McGee

Gina Dicks

Jill Robinson

Shannon Powell

Lauri Miller

Kristin Tufo

Jen Kessler

Karen Calish

Alex Moundalexis

1. Financial update/Treasurer's Report: current cash on hand total is \$57,968.57 with some upcoming bills due (SPAN, credit card)
2. AV needs: Alex discussed the need for 2 new sound consoles - 1 for the audience and 1 for the band. He explained that we usually rent one, but if we don't have the budget for renting, Spartan Lyrical Society has the console we would purchase and can lend to us for RNR. It was suggested we give them some kind of a donation in return. We are not renting mics or cabling, but we are in need of new lighting. The set we can rent for this year is not great but it will work, just won't be ideal to the standards that the tech crew and past showgoers are accustomed. Lighting is where the budget cuts will most be noticed, and it is suggested that we purchase new equipment next year if budget allows.
3. One Acts: went very well - tech night was lost due to weather cancellation but the kids really stepped up, including tech crew. The winning production "Supermarket of Lost" will go to the county theater festival scheduled for March 11.
4. RNR XXXIII: Angie - reported that the tech crew has been working hard, putting in intense work even with reduced hours. The dances are coming along, posters are in, t-shirts have been ordered.

- Show party - will be before the closing show, no dancing. Food will be served. Kristin Tufo suggested food trucks for the party.
- Opening luncheon will be Monday 2/27.
- Hospitality - there will be a schedule for students to provide non-perishables and waters, and the booster will provide the perishables. Karen Calish has (3) 5-gallon jugs and Stephanie has (1) 5-gallon jug to contribute for use.
- Chaperone information - Shannon and Jeanine have set up a Signup Genius for backstage volunteers (hospitality, dressing rooms, hallway intersections, drama door, music door, lobby during rehearsals). A link will be sent to all parents for signing up.
- Costumes - they are progressing along. Students are generally being responsive.
- Tickets should go out mid-February

5. Other upcoming events: SP Cares and Drama Camp - forms are on the website.