**Bay Music Boosters** 

February Meeting

2/13/2019 7:00pm

This evening Superintendent Housmann and School Board President Beth Lally stopped by our meeting. They asked if we had any items or needs that we wanted to address. Some of the items that were discussed were:

Hanging our national awards in the high school.

Much needed locker space at the middle school.

Space to store music at the high school.

Rockette closet needs.

Mrs. Housmann and Mrs. Lally expressed willingness to sit down for a joint department meeting to discuss solutions.

## **Directors reports:**

Mr. Allen-

OMEA Convention: Amelia Johnson made All-State Principal Oboe. Congratulations to Amelia!

Contemporary Youth Orchestra also performed at OMEA. Bay was represented heavily in CYO.

Solo and Ensemble contestants all received superior and excellent ratings.

GLC Honors Band will perform 2/14/19

Jazz Band concert February 28<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.

Big Band will be playing.

Kurt Talyor, Director of Bands at RRHS is retiring. We will be playing a commissioned piece by Ben Taylor from IU in the Spring concert to honor Mr. Kurt Taylor.

Mr. Awad-

Middle school will be playing commissioned piece. They will participate in a Skype session with Garret Hope.

Middle School Honors Festival concert March 9<sup>th</sup> @ 3pm at Brecksville-Broadview Hgts. Middle School.

Middle School 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade band concert is February 27<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm.

Jazz Band at RRMS Jazz Festival April 15<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm in the cafetorium.

Pit Orchestra going well.

Tickets on sale to the musical to parents first.

Solo and Ensemble April 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Strings recital April 4<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Singler-

Wrapped up Solo and Ensemble with superior ratings for all.

HS Stings contest is March 2<sup>nd</sup> at Brunswick HS @ 11:30

There will be bagels that morning for the participants prior to leaving.

Preview concert is 2/21/19 @ 7pm.

Honors Quintet will be playing at NOURISH fundraiser on Feb 23rd.

Both the Quintet and Quartet will be performing at the Blitz.

We need wheels for the Basses to help with transport.

Mrs. Gess-

**OMEA** 

Solo and Ensemble – Choraleers performed as an ensemble.

Honors Choir February 13<sup>th</sup>.

Group will be performing at NOURISH.

March  $4^{th}$  and  $5^{th}$  will be working on a commissioned piece by Stacy Gibbs based on a poem by Mrs. Gess's grandmother.

Mrs. Gess expressed the need for a new piano for the stage. The current one is leaning and will not stay tuned.

Mindy Thomas-

Wrapped up Rockette season.

Tryouts for the 2019/20 season will begin soon with clinics starting March 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Mike McNamee-

Check written to Field of Dreams Phase III in the amount of \$3000.00.

Uniform pieces purchased for marching band.

Ginny Holup-

Play it Forward

Tracy Deibel-

Uniform pieces ordered. Will be seeking new uniform parent to train during the 2019 season.

Blitz menu finalized and project plan emailed to all involved.

Fundraising for the Silent Auction has begun.

## Michele Moore-

We are short ties for the high school concert band. We are able to borrow from middle school, but new ties will most likely need to be purchased. The stock is in rough shape and the ties are thought to be at least 15 years old.

Meet adjourned 8pm.

Attendees: Darren Allen, Mark Awad, Carrie Singler, Devon Gess, David Johnson, Tracy Deibel, Mike McNamee, Michele Moore, Ginny Holup, Jodie Housmann, Beth Lally.