

CTPO Minutes
October 5, 2021

Participants: Tim Broeker, Marnie Baer, Matt Saffar, Rhea Saffar, Zivit Blonder, Andrea Dalinka, James Williams, Nancy Frese, Heather MacDonald, Chad Davidson, Jodi Butler, Julie Kreiter

Motion to approve Minutes from 9/14/2021. Motion passed.

Guest Speaker (Matt Saffar):

He is one of the trustees from the Glenbrook Foundation.
The foundation is changing their grant rules: deadlines will be throughout the year, \$2,000. cap removed.
CTPO can apply for a grant.
There will be a club competition for student organizations, students may submit proposals ie. guest speakers, attending shows downtown.
The majority of the foundation's members are Glenbrook South parents.
The foundation has a great volunteer pool.

Directors' Reports:

Chad Davidson:

Thank you to Esther Kelly for sorting dresses and tuxedoes.
Character shoes offered at steep discounts.
Fall concert: October 26th at 7:30pm. No concessions.
There won't be the traditional junior high choir festival, instead interested junior high students can attend an interactive choral event on Nov. 8th. No concessions.
Spartan Sound is 50 co-ed students.
Just a heads up... dresses will need to be replaced (maybe the Glenbrook Foundation can provide a grant or the CTPO can participate in funding).
The tailor in Sanders Court can alter dresses.

Tim Broeker:

Little Women is officially over, outstanding show!
Comedy Sports auditions occurred the week of Oct. 4th.
The show will be Nov. 18-20th with a Saturday matinee, 4 performances. Times to be determined. Seating will be on stage. There will be concessions.

Treasurer (Heather MacDonald):

\$27,000. In the bank, FPP is about \$5,000.

Membership/ Governance (Nancy Frese):

We are 16 members shy of our goal of 80 members. Encourage personal outreach to non-members.

Concessions (Andrea Dalinka):

Little Women accounting for pre-show and intermission:
Spent \$319., collected \$414. (Sold 1 checkbook included in \$414.)
Profit = \$95.
A fair amount of concessions is left over for Comedy Sports.
Break down of best sellers:
Water is profitable. M&M's, Peanut M&M's.
Poor sellers: traditional candy bars

Discussion ensued about selling nuts vs. nut free products, concern about airborne transmission. Profit margin might decrease due to the big candy bags (from Costco) containing products with nuts that couldn't be used. Stayed with same pricing of products.

What is the goal of concessions, to make \$ or fun for kids?
Jodi Butler responded that goal is to make \$.

Show Meals (Rhea Saffar):

65 meals were distributed over 3 nights for *Little Women*.

The show meals cost \$714. for the order.

Chris wasn't present and food wasn't packaged the way CTPO had requested.

Rhea is going to explore other options. Marios is one option.

Fundraising (Tracey Becker's report given by Jodi Butler):

We are 14 checkbooks shy of 200.

One student sold 58 checkbooks.

Communications:

Website is being updated.

A CTPO newsletter is possibly in the works.

Next meeting: November 2 at 6pm in the Green & Gold Conference Room