CTPO Meeting January 12, 2021

Participants: Chad Davidson, Kelsey Nichols, Julie Ann Hill, Heather MacDonald, Tracey Becker, Jeanne Chang, Rhea Saffar, Liz Vasiljevic, Marnie Baer, James Williams, Julie Kreiter, Zivit Blonder, Jodi Butler, Dana Salzer, Tanya Slater and Nancy Frese

Chad Davidson:

The Music Festival in March won't be a fully combined concert with GBS this year due to complex technical challenges. Since the concert is so close to the GSO concert the Battle Hymn won't be combined. But, there will be a combined closing number that will end the concerts at both GBN and GBS.

There will be a presentation on the fine arts program on January 19th.

A meeting will be held on January 20th to answer specific questions about the fine arts program.

Kelsey Nichols:

Variety Show: Plans for V-show approved by GBN, on campus rehearsals will begin on

January 19th when hybrid begins.

30 - 40 acts participating.

More information is forthcoming. Date: tbd, around Valentine's Day

The name of musical will be announced on social media.

Julie Ann Hill:

The winter play is on hold until after the V show. It will then be revived.

Not hosting group interp. this year. Instead, Mr. Burke will lead participation in a virtual play contest.

Theater Club: A huge class of freshmen are participating. Students will participate in upcoming college workshop.

Encourage kids to register for **Stage Craft**. The class supports technical theater areas that satisfy an applied and fine art. **Crew** will begin on Jan. 19th. Registration for next year begins in mid to late February.

Heather MacDonald:

The CTPO account just received \$1,600. in membership dues from GBN.

The Hamilton Yoga fundraiser brought in \$285.00.

There is \$32,000. in the bank. \$8,000. is FPP. That leaves \$24,000. in total in the CTPO account. The CTPO is +\$1,500. It will be put towards funding the scholarships.

Tracey Becker:

Hamilton Yoga was a great success! Everybody had a good time! Looking ahead: Having a food fundraiser partnering with a restaurant. For the winter play do "dinner & show idea".

Old Business:

Yard signs: Jodi Butler's husband will design them.

Dana Salzer will order them.

Julie Kreiter will organize their disbursement.

New Business:

Scholarships: 5 senior scholarships with emphasis on service correlated with CTPO's mission to support the fine arts.

A link to the application will be posted on the CTPO website before spring break. It is due in April. The recipients will be announced in May.

Summer scholarships will be reinstated for attendance to music summer camps such as Cherubs and Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp.

Senior banquet: Prospective location is the interior student mall. The Glen Club's patio was also discussed.

Food and drink won't be served because of mask wearing. To keep the number of people low, a student only banquet was discussed.

Choir: estimated attendance = 100 people with kids and staff

Theater: estimated attendance = 50-70 people

When: day time over the weekend, consider rain day Mr. Davidson will check the band and orchestra calendar so there isn't a conflict.

Senior gift: t-shirt (\$12.00 + design fee + shipping)
Total of \$500. to spend on gifts.
Last year spent \$18.00 on each student.

Possibly 10-11 seniors this year.

Motion: Heather MacDonald made a motion that food won't be served at the banquet this year. Tanya Slater seconded the motion. All were in favor. It passed.

Next meeting: February 2, 2021 at 6:00 -7:00pm