

## BOARD MEETING Agenda Tuesday, July 30, 2019 7pm

Bonnie Hicks hosting at Sotheby's (Arlene's Work) 3075 Townsgate Westlake Village

## I. Approval of June Minutes- Please look over minutes so we can do this quickly

- Correct A Musical Journey....Then and Now
- All ayes

## **II.** Treasurer's Report (Marti Smith)

A. June Treasurer's Report Marti

- Janna and Janice have pw to access data.
- Storage Facility raised to \$3562 approx \$400 increase vs \$3193
- Can rent a smaller space if we sell shell
- Membership increase to \$60 Fall and built into report.

## B. 2019/20 Budget

- John raises tickets to \$27, Carol second. Suggest members sell four tickets, not mandatory. Arlene called to vote, all ayes.
- Scherr is increasing \$2 per ticket for security.
- Arlene Motion to \$75 Spring dues. Table and talk about it at a later date.
- Budget is balanced based on increase in ticket sales. And/or we need more fundraising or donations.
- Make an action plan to drive ticket sales.

## C. Storage Unit

- New music shipping and hopefully here for first rehearsal.
- Mike has cleaned storage unit. Thank you Mike!!!!
- Alton Hall confirmed for first rehearsal.
- Member lost all music. Board agreed \$3 per piece.

## III. Board Members' Reports

## **A. President** (Bonnie Hicks)

- 1. Website Update
  - Format for rehearsal parts will change. May take you to a link. Bonnie will work on it.
- 2. Production Schedule Review
  - Bonnie will email draft copy for first review.
  - Need to decide about choir dresses. Collect used? Simone volunteered or perhaps ask Frances Saenz who is not singing.

- Need to confirm Subscription Deadline and Ticket Sale starting date.
- 3. 2019/2020 Meeting Schedule
  - Sign up passed around.

## **B. Graphics/Programs** (Katie Phillipson)

- 1. 2019/2020 Season Posters
  - Spring A Musical Journey....Then & Now. Approved. Gloria suggests changing sizing/bold concert title
  - Joy-source new image, consider stock photo and pay
    - Start 9/24 Dedicate a Song and Ads-Due 10/22
    - Roster Due 10/22
    - Proof 11/12
    - Winter subscription sales start Aug

## C. Concert Master (John Thompson)

- 1. Ticket Prices
  - \$27 approved for future concerts,

#### **D.** Choral Director (Gloria Hilliard)

- 1. Lost Music Policy
  - \$3 per lost piece of music.

## E. Publicity (Hannah Best)

- Absent
- Has reached out to colleges in Ventura County and Pierce.
- Need to proof any literature published or posted for VV

## F. Ways and Means (Arlene Kovalivker)

- Fundraiser: 2 restaurants will be featured each month.
- Arlene has figurines to sell. Will donate and sale \$ will go to VV. board approved sale and Arlene will bring to first rehearsal.
- Consider rummage sale to drive \$\$\$

#### **G.** Membership (Carol Fredericks)

- 1. Auditions
  - 5 auditions all accepted.
  - 55 members inc new 5
- 2. Membership Handbook
  - Which version should we use. Notes for newbies. Hannah is working on it.

#### **H. Secretary** (Char Stitzer )

- Thank you notes are caught up. Would we like the Board sign the back of the cards to add a personal touch?
- Need to add hand written note. Look in box. Update\* thank you notes ordered and received.
- Char will own file with names and amounts donated in partnership with Treasurer.

#### IV. Old Business

- **A.** Incorporation Process Update
- Completed Secty State, IRS
- Need to finalize AG
- **B**. Constant Contact Update
- Carol sent Bonnie new list

# V. New Business

A. Goals for the Future.

**Next Meeting: TBD** 

• Sept 9