



Revere Music Parents Association Meeting Minutes

October 29, 2024 7:00pm

Attendees: Katie Gehring, Bruce Kucharski, Pam Cadile, Susie Schultz, Bob Cook, Kelly Heider, Robyn Jancha, Joshua Jancha, Jennifer Palmer, Harmony Myers, David Neidlinger, Christy Pillitiere, Amy Raubenolt, James Harrington, Cara Harrington, Sherry Frisby, Gabrielle Waldron, Michelle Weng, Montana Fassnacht, Tom Chiera

Welcome and President's Report – Jennifer Palmer

- Jen called the meeting to order at 7 p.m.

Band/Choir Council Presidents Report – Michelle Weng and Gabrielle Waldron (band)

Band

- The band is wrapping up the Marching season and looking forward to transitioning to Concert season in the coming weeks.
- The band is thankful for all the volunteer support over the past few months.
- To promote Breast Cancer Awareness, the band wore pink gloves, plumes and ribbons during October.
- Band Council created candy bags for the younger students participating in Bands in the Round on October 30.
- State contest is Saturday, November 2 at 1:45 at Medina High School.

Choir

- No report- Choir is participating in a concert at Avon Lake this evening.

Directors' Report – Tom Chiera, Sierra Pabon, Joshua Bowman, Katie Pflueger

Choir- Sierra Pabon

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High School and 5th Grade Band- Montana Fassnacht and Tom Chiera

- RHS band is transitioning between Marching and Concert seasons. Fitting sessions will be held over the next few weeks to determine spots.
- The bands will be preparing for their winter concert in December and gathering interest for Jazz and Pep Bands.
- Mrs. Fassnacht will be taking over Pep Band from Ms. Pflueger.

- 5th grade band was brought together and will perform at tomorrow's Bands in the Round concert.

Orchestra-

- Orchestra- Strings and Shops Concert and Craft Fair will be held on December 5 from 6-9 p.m.
- Tables are available for exhibitors and can be reserved by clicking the QR code on the flyer.

Middle School Band-

- RMS bands are working to prepare for the Bands in the Round concert.
- RMS Jazz Band is getting underway.

Vice Presidents Report –Susie Schultz

No report

Secretary's Report – Katie Gehring

- A motion to approve the October meeting minutes was made by Robyn Jancha and seconded by Kelly Heider.

Treasurer's Report – Harmony Myers/Carol Kraynak

- Harmony will email an update towards the end of the month.

Communications – Pam Cadile

- Orchestra students have been loaded into Cut Time.
- Pam is waiting for the list of Choir students and parent contact information.

CHAIRPERSONS REPORTS

Fundraising- Bruce Kucharski and Tony Nigro

- The Stoepler fundraisers kicked off last week and was well-received. Samples will be dropped off tomorrow for the Bands in the Round concert. Bruce will be making an announcement about the fundraiser between band performances. Product can be picked up on December 17.
- A Pancake breakfast is being planned for the Spring.
- Tony is making arrangements with local restaurants for fundraising events (e.g., Dine to Donate).

Banquets- Katie Gehring

- The end of season Marching Band banquet will be held on November 6 at St. George's.
- Banquet ticket order forms are due Friday, November 1.

Uniforms- Robyn Jancha

- Drycleaning costs have increased, so that band will be looking for a new cleaning provider and accepting bids from several companies.

New Business

Design Contest- Jen Palmer

- Finalizing criteria for the contest to create a shirt design to encompass all the music programs.
- Information will be provided to directors in December.
- Merch sale will be in early 2025.

Volunteer appreciation event will be held in January.

We are looking for a volunteer or a few volunteers to coordinate the Fill the Truck fundraiser.

Next Meeting Date – Tuesday, December 3 at 7 p.m.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 7:32 p.m. by Bruce Kucharski and seconded by Harmony Myers.