Chittenango Music Boosters Association  
Meeting Minutes  
April 10th, 2017  
CHS Orchestra Room @ 7pm

Meeting called to order: 7:00pm

In attendance: Matt Stearns, Melissa Stanek, Diana Fitzgerald, Melissa Stanek, Natalie Stansbury, David Abell, Donna Bonfardeci, Jon and Terry Ralston, Patty Welch

I. Secretary’s Report/ Membership Committee- Diana Fitzgerald
   - Roster: all set. Will share with officers
   - Doodle poll’s 5/3 concerts start, in good shape
   - Will write up ½ sheet for concerts
   - Write up in Red and Black

II. Treasurer’s Report- Melissa Stanek
   - See report, accepted

III. Vice President’s Report- Kelli Stone
   - Unable to be present
   - Golf Tournament submitted to village for sign

IV. President’s Report- Patty Welch
   - NYSSMA up soon, will help from reputation placed at All County
   - Great job with musical and all the support involved! Hope to find a cookie/ bake sale person for next year

V. Music Chairperson’s Report- Matt Stearns
   - THANK YOU for help with MIOSM concerts, musical, cast party, bake sale
   - Thank you note from the family of Patricia Quirk
   - Thank you note from MCMEA President
   - Thank you to Natalie for organizing Paint Day
   - Budget passes; new stage/ sound on agenda, offered assistance and support for essential safe equipment. Consider inviting board to our meeting in fall
   - 400 students for upcoming NYSSMA!
   - BEST COMMUNITY for Music Education once more!

VI. Fundraising Report- Natalie Stansbury
   - Golf tournament! We have $1000 sponsor, several $100 sponsors. Dinner only option, is there a golf only option? Need donations for raffle baskets
   - Upcoming concerts: Apparel sale, basket raffle
   - Order forms for apparel sent out

VII. Other committee reports
   - Nominations for next years officers needed. Need new Vice President, will send email. Melissa Stanek to write advertisement, Diana Fitzgerald to send it out. Nominations by May 30th

VIII. Old Business
   - Fundraising (see above)
   - Increasing student involvement
Ask Mr. Stearns if we can get 2 students from Tri-M and other schools to volunteer at every concert
- Mr. Sterns states first meeting for Tri-M after April break
- Organize t-shirts/ sweatshirts concerns
- Online store
- Students to organize, possibly place items organized on a rack
- Information about Jazz camp: link for info: http://www.cnyjazz.org/summerjazz-workshop/
- Other camps- will post as they are known

IX. New Business
- Donation Basket at concerts: Motion made by Mr. Sterns to make donation box only available at Coffeehouse, not at concerts. D. Fitzgerald make second motion and approved by majority
- Banquet- Patty Welch to connect with Donna Bonfardeci about Awards banquet
- Private lesson reimbursement needs tracking. Possible separate account for enrichment
- Make it known to community where $ goes (scholarships, enrichment, camps, awards, Syracuse Youth Symphony
- PEN SALES! At concerts and other events. David Abel willing to help and donate skill

X. Other
- Get info/ sandwich board for road to advertise Music events!

Next meeting: 7/11/17 @ 3:30 (Before Banquet)

Meeting adjourned: 8:00pm