



AOPA MEETING MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Athens Orchestras Parent Association (AOPA)
Athens Media Center
2018 May 08
Next meeting: 2018 July, TBD

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FUNDRAISING

1. Discount Cards
 - Distribute first day of class
 - Aug 28 - Sep 21
2. Pies
 - Oct 15 - Nov 2

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

1. Banner is done!
2. By-law amendments regarding use of the Trailer and Scholarship Applications and Awards
 - Who will add to by-laws? **Not addressed - bring up at next meeting**
3. Planning a planning meeting for new orchestra families
 - Do we want (need) a meeting? **Yes**
 - If yes, when and where will it be held? **Monday, Feb 25, 2019 during 8th grade music department night**
 - If yes, how will it be communicated (with agenda?)? Who? How? When? **TBD**
 - Possible agenda items
 - i. Set up CHARMS account (need laptops)
 - ii. Register and pay for summer camp
 - iii. Health history form

4. Camp 2018 - Aug 17, 18, 19

- Registration is open; info went out with students **\$170 by June 30**
- Planning (Who? How? When? Where?) **Ryan is taking care of it**
- Visit Michindoh? **Still planning**
- Ryan is hiring staff**

5. Chicago

- We are not taking the trailer 😞
- Students will be told to pack a backpack or small suitcase that will fit in the overhead bins; instruments will be underneath
- Backpacks and shirts are in

6. Spring Concert

- Decorations
 - i. Where from? Tellys - Peggy will order and pick up**
 - ii. Who will order and when? Include 37 single stem roses Shallabh**
 - iii. Who will pick up engravings from Highest Honor? When? Rochelle**
- Volunteers - **electronic signup**
 - i. Spiritwear (see misc)
 - ii. Ticket sales at door
 - iii. Afterglow - water and cookies
 - iv. Collect freshmen uniforms
 - 1. 3 boxes: tux jacket, tux pants, dress, cummerbunds, ties
 - 2. Drycleaner will pick up and return
 - 3. Check off students as they return uniforms
 - 4. Separate Freshman uniforms from the rest**
 - 5. Ask for dresses to be cleaned as “laundry”**

7. Picnic **June 3 Noon - ? Jaycee Park**

- Volunteer sign up. **Google signup**
 - i. Sophomores - dessert**
 - ii. Juniors - salad/sides**
 - iii. Freshmen - 2- 2liter pops**
- Flyer/Communication **Ryan will send reminds**

8. Scholarship applications - \$2000 fund

- Single senior application awarded \$500
- 5 other applications awarded \$300
- Checks will be made out to instructors for lessons

9. 2018-2019 E-board election

- Vote at May meeting for open positions (pres, vps, treas, will carry on, sigh)
- Need fundraising, hospitality, communications, additional treasurer **Bring up at next meeting**

FINANCES

1. Fines for students who have not returned uniforms

- Identify offenders. Who? How? When? **Ryan will send list to Sharon**
- Notify offenders. Who? How? When?
- Collect money and check off names. Who? When? Where?

MISC

1. Bylaws update

- It was proposed to change the required meeting date of the 2nd Tuesday at 6pm to a more general guideline. This will be discussed at the June or summer meeting.

2. Spiritwear

- It was proposed to re-evaluate the spiritwear supplier at the June or summer meeting.
- Ideas for new spiritwear
 - i. Slides
 - ii. Sun glasses
 - iii. Ball caps