

**Sylvania Northview High School
Choir Boosters Meeting Minutes
May 10, 2010**

Meeting called to order at 7:08 pm

Minutes from the April meeting were reviewed and approved.

Agenda and Treasurers' Financial Statement copies distributed.

Treasurer's Report presented by Colleen Howe & Chris Apel:

Chris and Colleen reported a quiet month, and noted an additional \$29.00 deposit to our account that was not listed on the distributed report. Our finances look good, even taking into account our upcoming May expenses, which will include the three traditional choir scholarships. Dawn gave Chris both a recent \$10.00 cash donation, and a check for \$100.00 from Tonya Irmen and the staff at Whiteford Elementary School, given in appreciation for their recent use of several madrigal costumes during a special one day teaching event. Colleen raised a procedural question regarding the use of booster funds and when Northview staff would need to contact the booster treasurer, who would present formal requests to the booster members at a regular monthly meeting. A motion to require all expenses above the \$150.00 level to meet this method of approval was proposed by Colleen, seconded by Chris, and unanimously approved.

Fundraising Committee Report:

No formal report. The fact that other individuals and vendors have approached us regarding fundraising programs was discussed. An informal decision was made to keep our current suppliers and to continue focusing our efforts on cookie dough products, since we have not only enjoyed great success with them, but they have become a "signature" choir fundraising product, one respected for quality.

Publicity Committee Report:

No formal report.

In-Choirer Committee Report:

No formal report. Since Helene will not be working on it next year, it was suggested that more student involvement could help keep the In-Choir on schedule.

Volunteer Coordinator Report:

No formal report. Volunteers are still needed for the Spring Concert on May 13th. A representative of the school's administration is expected to be present at the concert, which should help with any behavioral issues. Also, although Judy has spoken to several possible replacements for her as Volunteer Coordinator, no one has yet agreed to fill her vacant position next year.

Clothier Committee Report by Ellen Yerks:

Ellen reported that most clothing was returned after the last concert, only a few items still need to be turned in. One robe may be missing in action – that will be determined at a final inventory at the end of the school year. Dawn will remind students that clothing is a “school article” and must be returned. Sue suggested emails to parents if any students fail to return all items.

Website Committee Report:

No formal report. The site will be updated with upcoming event dates as they are established.

Merchandise Committee Report by Rick & Palma Wisniewski:

No formal report. Blankets and mugs (given to graduating seniors) are in.

Old Business:

The Spring Concert will take place on Thursday, May 13th, at Westgate Chapel. Students will need to report at 5:15 PM for rehearsal. The boosters will provide 36 yellow roses to be presented to the choir seniors.

The Annual Choir Awards Banquet will take place on Monday, May 17th, at 6 PM in the Northview Cafeteria. The contributions to the meal are the same as last year’s event: Freshman: Desserts / Sophomores: Salads / Juniors: Main Dishes / Seniors: Drinks .We will once again be awarding 3 scholarships, as well as handing out the year end acknowledgements and awards.

New Business / Director’s Report:

The Northview Jazz Band Concert with Harmony Road Show will take place on Thursday, May 27th, at 7:30 pm in Northview’s Little Theater. HRS will perform in their formal attire.

The Senior Assembly will be on June 3rd. Harmony Road Show will setup in the morning for their afternoon performance at the event, which is scheduled to start at 1 pm in the Gym.

A compilation CD of Northview Choir performances over the last two years, is now being assembled. A list of tracks on it will be made available for placing orders.

Construction of the new arts wing with replacement choir facilities continues, and is on schedule.

Wildcat Welcome Days has not yet been scheduled. Dawn will contact choir boosters when the school sets the dates.

Jenny McAfee was nominated to assume the position of Northview Choir Boosters President. She accepted and was unanimously affirmed by voice vote. Other officer positions still need to be filled. Colleen suggested that Dawn personally contact parents who have indicated their willingness to help with the boosters, to fill the other positions.

Motion to adjourn meeting made by Sue, seconded by Colleen.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 PM.