

Perkiomen Valley Music Booster
General Meeting
April 14, 2009

In Attendance: Dave Overholtzer, Steve Suloman, Steve Brook, Janet Cassano, Harry Chamberlain, Karen Bigelow, Pam Margolis Brown, Scott Nethery, Maureen Ryan, Jeff Jacobsen, Barb Schang, Cindy Golden, Dawn Keiser, Lisa Kapp, Liz Waslo, and Sue Kern.

Minutes from March were reviewed and accepted.

Treasurers Report – Harry Chamberlain
Harry gave the opening and closing balances.

Director's Reports

Orchestra – Steve Suloman

The Orchestra Concert is scheduled for 5/21/2009. There is a trip to Hershey Park on 5/22/2009 for Select Strings, Wind Ensemble, and the Select Choirs. The Select Strings will be performing at the Baccalaureate on 6/10/2009.

Band – Dave Overholtzer

There is a Band rehearsal from 6 – 8:30 pm on Wednesday 4/15/2009. The Indoor Percussion/Guard show scheduled for Saturday 4/18/2009 has 30 plus units at this time. Need lots of parent volunteers and student hosts. Indoor assemblies are scheduled for 4/21/2009 at the middle schools. We will need volunteers to help with moving the equipment. Wildwood TIA All Chapter Championships is scheduled for 4/30 – 5/3 and forms were due 4/7/2009. The Jazz Band will be performing for the district Middle States meeting on 4/20/2009. The Jazz Band will be playing at the Gala on 6/7. The Hershey Park trip forms are due on 4/16. The Band Concert will be held on Tuesday, 4/28/2009 at PVMS East. The band performs at graduation on 6/12/2009. Images have been added to the Band website. Check it out at www.pvmsd.org. Select high school and then find the Student Activities link to “Viking Band”

Chorus – Dave for Tracy Griffie

The musical was a success. Women's Select Choir will be performing at Middle School West on 4/15 for the Abe Lincoln. Choir Concert is 5/5/2009. Select Choirs will be performing on 6/7/2009 at the Gala.

Publicity – Sue Kern

Get picture CD's to Steve Harper or any of the officers. We need more pictures of orchestra, choirs, and Jazz Band. What do you think about adding a “historian” as a booster position?

Fashion – Maureen Ryan

I would like to collect \$20 at the beginning of MB season for the dry cleaning costs and we will get the uniforms cleaned. The last day of performances for Jazz Band and Select Choirs is 6/7/2009 and will have uniforms returned.

Food – Pam

Need more volunteers for food. We would like baked good donations and we could also use more Pasta Salad for the Indoor Home Show on Saturday, 4/18/2009.

Music Banquet – Janet Cassano for Debbie Brooks

Debbie Brooks has received a good quote from Lakeside Inn for the Music Banquet keeping cost at \$20. The banquet will be held on Wednesday 6/3/2009. Seniors cost will be paid by the music boosters.

Properties – Scott Nethery

The truck is in for inspection. The percussion mat needs some repair and touch-up painting before the show.

Indoor Percussion/Guard Home Show – Scott Nethery

We are short about 4 volunteers. We need 2 for the parking lot and 2 more in food. Volunteers should arrive 11 am – 12 noon.

Old Business – Steve Brook

Are we going to have another Battle of the Bands in May/June?

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, 5/11/2009.

Adjourn: 8:25 pm 1st motion Barb 2nd motion Maureen