

## Sycamore Music Boosters Meeting

October 17, 2013

In Attendance: Bob Atkins, Peggy Diemer, Les Hecht, Amy Cuthbert, Lisa Smith, Brian Jungmann, Ken Goodman, Deb Loitz, Scott Mertens, Drayton Eggleston, Kathy Reuter, Jan Englum

Vice President Bob Atkins welcomed everyone to tonight's meeting.

1. Approval of the Agenda – On a motion by Jan, seconded by Deb, the evening's agenda was approved.
2. Approval of the Minutes from the September 2013 meeting – Peggy made a correction of last month's checking account balance that was reported to Jan. The checking account balance should have been \$56,683.66, instead of \$55,683.66. On a motion by Lisa, seconded by Amy, the minutes of the September 19, 2013 were approved as corrected.
3. Treasurer's Report – Peggy reported that Lisa received two summer camp scholarship checks that will be voided in the books. Peggy will collect and forward funds from the FMSC/Make a Difference DKC car raffle fundraiser after the craft fair.

Account Balances:

NB & T Checking - \$60,221.93

IL Credit Union Savings - \$25.21

On a motion by Kathy, seconded by Lisa, the Treasurer's report was approved.

4. Craft Fair – Brian reported he attended the Pumpkinfest committee meeting. Set-up of the concession stand will start around 3:00 PM Friday. Suter's is donating the chicken salad, Lori Grant, the donuts.  
Amy reported that 16 booths remain open but calls are coming in every day. Linda Wade is to be contacted regarding the custodial staff. Scott will get the PA system. Sycamore firemen may be selling t-shirts to help a fallen fireman. Taping of the floor will be at 5 PM on Thursday. A car will be displayed for the FMSC fundraiser.  
Kathy will have volunteers for the car raffle booth. Music staff is asked to do a parent e-mail blast regarding open shifts. A table will be near admissions to collect Wally Thurow statue donations. Still in need of some guards and golf cart drivers. High school students will help on Friday during class. Pizza will be served for Friday night workers. Diemers will transport the golf carts. Bob and Ken O. put the craft fair signs up and changed a few locations.
5. Music Department – Scott reported on ILMEA audition results. He will get press release information ready for Deb. High school marching band received 2<sup>nd</sup> place at Marengo field show contest and will participate in the Sandwich field show competition. High school musical is November 1-3.
6. Scholarship Program – No news.
7. Public Relations/Newsletter/Web – Deb has done advertising and publicity for the craft fair. She will be doing press releases on college scholarships, ILMEA, and the Elementary Choir Festival. Jen posted all craft fair information on the website.
8. Music Hall of Fame – No news

9. A Note to Remember – A committee meeting was held in October and things are running well. Chris Selig is the new co-chair and Kathy Lohse will help with raffle baskets.
10. Music Parent Mentoring Program – Scott Mertens and Garth Anderson are working on this.
11. Nominating Committee –Reminder that election of President, Vice President and Secretary will take place in May, 2014.
12. Next general meeting will be held November 21, 2013 at 6 PM.  
On a motion by Lisa, seconded by Peggy, the meeting was adjourned.