



MAHOMET SEYMOUR MUSIC BOOSTERS

Annual Meeting Minutes
Monday, May 14, 2018
7:00 p.m. Mahomet-Seymour High School

Board of Directors: Sue Adamson, Jen Bartlett, Tara Buhrman, Susan Bundy, Lori Kietzmann, Nicole Kuglich, Meg Loven, Philip Meyers, Beth Norton, Camille Rose, Jill Rinkel, Michael Stevens, Christine Winkless

Members: Kim Silvey, Rachel Silvey

I. Call to Order – Jen Bartlett called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Roll Call—Tara Buhrman called roll. A quorum of the Board of Directors was present for the meeting. Therefore, official actions by the Board may be taken. Any ratified amendments to the bylaws take effect immediately.

II. Presentation of 2018-19 Officers and Board Members

- President – Jen Bartlett
- Vice-President – Meg Loven
- Treasurer – Christine Winkless
- Secretary – Tara Buhrman
- Board members – Jill Rinkel, Michael Stevens, Nicole Kuglich, Phil Meyers, Susan Bundy, Beth Norton, Lori Kietzmann, Susan Adamson, Camille Rose

III. Adjourn

**Susan Bundy motioned to adjourn, and it was seconded by Jill Rinkel. The meeting was adjourned at 7:03pm.



Regular Meeting Minutes
Monday, May 14, 2018
7:04 p.m. Mahomet-Seymour High School

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Members: Kim Silvey, Rachel Silvey

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Roll Call—Tara Buhrman called roll. A quorum of the Board of Directors was present for the meeting. Therefore, official actions by the Board may be taken. Any ratified amendments to the bylaws take effect immediately.

II. Review and Approval of April 2018 Meeting Minutes –

**Christine Winkless motioned to accept the minutes as presented and Michael Stevens seconded. The motion was approved.

III. Treasurer's Report – Christine Winkless presented the Profit and Loss Statement of July 1, 2017 through May 14, 2018.

**Lori Kietzman motioned to accept the report as presented and Camille Rose seconded. The motion was approved.

IV. Approval of 2018-2019 Budget

Christine Winkless presented the 2018-19 Budget.

**Michael Stevens motioned to approve the 2018-19 Budget and Susan Bundy

seconded. The motion was approved.

V. Meeting Schedule for 2018-19

The Music Boosters will meet the 2nd Monday of each month during the school year (August - May), except for October, when the meeting will get changed to the 1st Monday of the month, and December, when there will be no meeting due to the holidays.

* Aug. 13, Sept. 10, Oct. 1, Nov. 12, Jan. 14, Feb. 11, March 11, April 8, May 13

VI. New Business

- a. Discuss April proposal and vote for new Choral chairs

Jill proposed new chairs for chorus for the upcoming school year and the new chairs were ordered.

- b. New Band Parent Meeting June 19 – 6pm

- c. PO Box for Boosters

A new mailbox was discussed, and the Boosters have one already

Rachel Silvey was present to talk about the upcoming band season and wearing scrubs instead of competition uniform. She presented a signed petition to Michael Stevens from students and parents. She was wanting to seek some new ideas. Michael explained that the reason behind the scrubs is to show the theme behind the music and that can't be done with our uniforms. He was open to suggestions.

VII. Music Director Reports

Michael Stevens

Jazz band new, drumline auditions

Phillip Meyer

Jr high jazz band set for new school year. Honor band is a go haven't heard from admin but should. Current 5th, 6th, & 7th graders competed at Illinois State. Superstate 2 day working at U of I band would compete once. Incoming 8th grade numbers around 84 only loosing 2. Incoming 7th grade small class around 80. Incoming 6th grade record number of 116. Pops concert did great.

Jill Rinkel

Choral POPS – went very well! Thank you for the lovely reception, flowers and cake. Thank you for your support and encouragement throughout my many years of being a part of the Music Boosters. It has been a pleasure to teach 34 years in this district. Although I will miss the students, I am ready to begin the next chapter of my life.

Finals – Underclassman Finals are on Wednesday May 23rd and Thursday May 24th.

Voice Recital on Thursday, May 17th at 7:00 p.m. for any student studying privately from any local voice teacher.

Nicole Kuglich

The latest news in the world of MSJH Music...

Upcoming Performances:

- The 7th and 8th Grade Choruses will walk to Lincoln Trail on Tuesday, May 22 to perform for the 5th Grade class at 2:30pm.
- The Anthem Singers will perform the anthem as a group one final time at the Recognition Ceremony on Weds. May 23.

Upcoming Activities:

Junior High District Chorus:

Students entering 7th and 8th grade chorus will be encouraged to pursue District Chorus next fall. Our guest conductor will be Leslie Manfredo this year (supposed to do it last year, but was unable to fulfill her commitment due to an unexpected surgery...). Songs have been announced, and interested students will sign up in the fall.

High School District Music:

Fantastic list of rep this fall! Folders available starting next week!

Madrigal Information:

Kick-off Meeting will be on

Summer Rehearsal Schedule: Weekly rehearsals throughout the summer, mainly on Mondays from 1-2:30pm, with a parent preview performance on Monday, August 20 at 7pm.

High School Equipment:

- Funding has been secured for new posture chairs for the chorus room. In a combined effort from the choral activity account, Mr. Cheek and our M-S Music Boosters, new chairs will arrive early this summer! Thank you to all for the emergency vote!
- Formal Attire Overhaul: Over the course of the next three years, we will be re-outfitting the entire choral program with new formal attire. The first wave of this investment begins with our Chamber Ensemble girls for the 2018-19 school year. Dresses arrived last week, and formal fittings will occur in the fall. An army of seamstresses will be needed to assist with the process of hemming the skirts to fit the girls.
- Coming soon... Tri-M Music Honor Society! We will charter our chapter in the fall here at MSHS! Encourage your high schoolers to apply!

VIII. Music Booster comments

IX. Adjourn

**Christine Winkless motioned to adjourn, and it was seconded by Lori Kietzman. The meeting was adjourned at 8:08 pm.

The Next Meeting will be Monday, August 13, 2018

Respectfully submitted,
Tara Buhrman
Music Booster Secretary