

OPA General Meeting

2019-11-19

Attendees: Amy Bade, Will Burck, Patti Campbell, Lisa Gruman, Elias Guerrero, Rogelia Huizar, Heather Price, Daryl Silberman, Michelle Frost

Meeting called to order at 7:02 PM

Directors' report: Daryl and Will

- Quinlan & Fabish string upgrade event
- St. Olaf Orchestra joint performance went well, was a good experience
- Portrait of a Graduate: initial contact didn't respond with information so didn't have a story in the October program, 2-3 profiles are in the works for March
- ILMEA went well. Won't know for another week who goes to All-State.
- Daryl will be going to Still and Fischer to listen to the 8th graders in February which is what Metea does, will not do the same at Scullen because Neuqua doesn't do this.
- IMEC - group photo is ready, will use a QR code for the program, working with Mark Duker on the program design so the orchestra and band handouts will be uniform in representing WV, still finalizing musical choices
- Art \$1598.30 for artwork and signs. No response to grant request from Dupage Credit Union, applied for IPEF grant and will know outcome mid-December.
- Funds needed for cello and bass string replacement, will ask PTA
- Parent feedback - directors would welcome feedback from parents after concerts
- Warrior Strings shirts - will process checks through OPA

Approval of minutes

Meeting minutes from October 8, 2019, were reviewed. Will moved to approve, Amy seconded.

Treasurer's report, Elias Guerrero:

- \$13,416.90 in the account
- Student accounts are updated, may need clarification on distribution of tea/mug funds between students and OPA

Committee reports:

- Prism - we still need parent help for chaperones
- Warrior Strings Dinner - Rogelia Huizar, Patti Campbell, and Michele Frost will organize, there are 45 students, discussion about charging or not charging guests, selected \$3 fee. Committee will get invite to Daryl and Will ASAP
- Banquet - Will is handling the booking of Eola Community Center
- Heather is bringing in the apparel this week

Old business:

- none

New business:

- none

Motion to adjourn made by Daryl Silberman and seconded by Patti Campbell
Adjourned at 8:05 pm

Next meeting: January 14th, 7 pm