

# **Drama Boosters Meeting April 14, 2014**

In attendance: Booster Officers: President, Patrice Walsh; Vice-President, Lisa Lynch; Secretary, Susan Pasikowski; Treasurer, Diane Wielgat; Publicity, Scott Brown; Fundraising, April Ozdych

Parents: Several parents joined in the meeting; thank you ALL for coming! We LOVE having you there and your thoughts and ideas are greatly appreciated!

## **President's Report – Patrice Walsh:**

Filing last item to complete taxes for the Booster Club.

## **Treasurer's Report – Diane Wielgat**

Current balance \$6678

## **Fundraising – April Ozdych**

Nothing to report at this time

## **Publicity/Publicity Report – Scott Brown**

### **Program**

18 Business's

15 Dedications

33 Total ads/dedications

\$1,210.00 TOTAL Dollars

\$170.00 PrePaid for Spring

\$900.00 Paid for Spring

\$140.00 Owed

Still owing:

- Blaze Pizza (\$60.00)
- Emagine Royal Oak / Star Lanes (\$60.00)
- Maureen and Keegan Murphy (\$20.00)

Posted Student Directed One Act Festival to top of webpage and Facebook. Retired YCTIWY to "Past Shows" page with links to photos and videos.

Created signs (to include students and plays) for approval and posting by Publicity committee around school and if possible around ROMS and Elementary Schools.

Suggest contacting teachers at ROMS and Elementary Schools to create an assignment with the requirement of seeing the One Act Festival.

Sent out press releases on One Act Festival with skit names and photos of the directors.

Publicity committee meets on Thursday to replace “Really Big Sign” with a One Act Festival theme. Will replace the showcase signs as well.

### **Director’s Report – Ed Nahhat**

Not present

### **Sponsor Report – Teresa Brewer-Rollins – Not Present**

### **Old Business:**

- Officers will decide if they want to go to the middle school to promote the one acts (April 25) and general auditions (May 7 & 8). If they want to go, we will need to schedule. If they DON’T go, we will get info to ROMS PTA (and possibly to be distributed to 9<sup>th</sup> grade classes)
- We will feed the kids who are participating in the one acts (actors, directors, crew – not the full drama club)
- Farina’s in Berkley do banquets – about \$16.04 per person – choice of two entrees, choice of potatoes and veggies, along with salad and bread, pasta and cold salad trays. Officers will decide location (Farina’s? Peking House? Other)
  - Looking at May 20 for the banquet
  - Tickets will be \$15—we will subsidize amount over that.
  - 65 minimum and we had about 80 total
- Side note: Patrice forgot to order cheese on her burger – bummer!
- Slate for the Officers for next school year:
  - President – Ilene Harmon
  - Vice President – April Ozdych
  - Secretary – Susan Pasikowski
  - Treasurer – Laura Colavecchia
  - Fund Raising – Kathy Samborski
  - Program – Open
  - Publicity – Open
  - Website – Open

### **New Business:**

- Tentative date for Drama Club Banquet May 20
- We are officially “tax exempt”
- Diane requested to have someone audit her books – thank you to Cindy Murphy for volunteering.
- Kathy Samborski has volunteered to head up fundraising next year. Thank you Kathy!

**Adjourn** Thank you all for coming!

The next meeting will be **May 5** at Jimi's at 7 pm. We hope you can join us!