

**Foxboro Music Association  
Meeting Minutes  
December 14, 2009**

Meeting began at 7:30 PM

**Attendees:** Kim Vacheron, Kathy Zerrip, Dale Anderson, Deb Broderick, , Paula Bishop, Harold & Mary Lou Casson, Maggie Cavanaugh, Jen Chalmers, Tricia Conlon, Ann Crook, Neil Kaiser, Jill McComb, Karen Thomas, Christine Thayer, Karen Wheatley, Ellen Wilbar, Barry Nelson.

**Secretary's report:** Accepted as written.

**Treasurer's report:** Accepted as presented. Profit on concessions at the last 2 concerts \$317, Goodsearch \$141.

**Steve's Report:** FMA approved appropriation of funds for the Arcadian Woodwind Quintet on 3/11 which will be a "woodwind summit" with master class and performance at night. Although not publicized, parents invited to attend the evening performance.

**FCA Update- Neil Kaiser** – Seniors, please continue to turn pictures into your student reps. As always, parent volunteers are welcome to run the cameras at concerts. Contact Neil at GUNCKA@aol.com

**Sponsorship- Barry Nelson-** sponsorship donations are starting to come in. at the next meeting we should have a good idea on how we are tracking vs. LY. We still have ideas on how to reach out to our music alumni to encourage them to donate to the FMA.

**Website Update/Publicity:** Spread the word and tell any alumni you know to become a fan of the FMA on facebook!

**Wreaths-** Thanks To Dale Anderson for chairing this fundraiser. We sold 87 wreaths!

**Holiday wrapping at LL Bean-** Last wrapping was scheduled for 12/20 (and was subsequently cancelled due to the storm. LL Bean promised that they would still give us a donation). Special thanks to those who came to the rescue on December 13 for some impromptu wrapping.

**Future Fundraising Ideas:** We discussed a house tour, holiday craft/vendor boutique, and a flamingo event for next year.

**Upcoming Events:**

- Ahern Choral Concert 12/15
- Caroling on the common 12/17
- SE District Festival 1/8 – 1/9
- Ahern 8<sup>th</sup> gr and Jr jazz concert 1/14 7 PM
- Ahern 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> grade concert 1/21 6:30 PM
- JE Ellington Recording session 1/22 3-10 PM
- All State Auditions 1/23
- Jazz Symposium, 2/6

Respectfully submitted, Karen Wheatley, Harold Casson

**NEXT MEETING: January 11, 2010, 7:30 PM**