

Foxboro Music Association
Meeting Minutes
June 9, 2008

Meeting began at 7:35pm

Attendees: Deb Broderick, Karen DiCanzio, Patti Ienello, Judi Kackloudis, Steve Massey, Leila McNeff, Andres Navedo, Deb Navedo, Sheila Peterson, Melissa Read, Nancy Shaw, Paula Stock, Kim Vacheron, Caroline Vines, Karen Wheatley

Secretary's report: Accepted as written

Treasurer's report:

Steve's Report: Mr. Massey is requesting that all band students purchase black marching shoes. They will look better with the new uniforms and are only \$30/pair. He will order them this summer. Also, the new uniforms can only be dry cleaned once/year under special specifications. He is investigating the best cleaners for this undertaking.

Student reps: No one was in attendance.

FCA: Neil was not in attendance.

Jazz Fest Wrap-up: We need to rethink how we treat this event – is it a fundraiser or an educational opportunity. We need to reconsider the price of admission and publicize this price.

Potluck Wrap-up: There was a great crowd and seemed like another fun event.

Founder's Day Wrap-up: If we sell or give out food we need to get a permit in advance next year.

eScrip: Caroline brought lots of information on eScrip. It's easy to sign up. It was suggested that we all try it out and share our experiences with friends. Perhaps we can add a link from our website to the eScrip website. We should find more opportunities to share this information with all music parents.

Wreaths: Nancy Shaw purchased 60 wreaths this past year. It was suggested that she order 120 for the next school year. Nancy will place that order sometime in September.

08-09 Officer Positions: The following officers were unanimously elected;

President: Karen DiCanzio

Vice-President: Leila McNeff

Secretary: Judi Kackloudis

Co-Treasurers: Caroline Vines and Deb Broderick

Letter to Freshmen Band Parents: Karen will tweak last year's letter. We will try to invite all music students' parents – not just band parents. Mr. Massey will help with labels for those families.

July Meeting: It was decided that we should meet in July to discuss our budget for next year, fundraiser ideas, and planning the "Meet and Greet" in August. Meeting is set for July 21 @ 7:30 @ Karen's DiCanzio's house.

August Meet and Greet: Patti Ienello will coordinate this event which is set for August 18. More will be planned at the July meeting.

Senior Buttons: Nancy Shaw helped Bev Crocker do this last year. Karen will contact Bev to do it again this year. Michael's sells the buttons.

Bottle and Can Drive: This is tentatively set for September 20. Karen will confirm this date.

Other Business: Andres Navedo shared an interesting article that was in the Sun Chronicle explaining that music and the arts are not just fluff. Also, Nancy Shaw suggested that Gary Good, our beloved custodian, has never attended a football game – perhaps we could arrange to get him to a game.

Respectfully submitted, Judi Kackloudis

Next meeting Monday July 21, 2008 @ 7:30 @ Karen DiCanzio's house