

# Mac Choir Booster Club Meeting Minutes

January 18, 2022

Meeting via Zoom

## **Attendees:**

Booster officers, Malcolm Nelson, Cheryl Lindquist, other attendees on list

## **UIL Solo & Ensemble**

- discussion of masks/air filters. Yes, AISD requires masks for singing.
- Cafeteria for concessions? Decision was made not to do concessions this year. Will have free water for singers.
- Will have rooms for holding
- UIL Executive Director says they are thinking 4 judges for choir, 1 for piano. Will know soon; entries are due on Thursday. Rooms we plan to use as of now: Orchestra, Band Hall, Band Auxiliary, Orchestra Auxiliary, FABT stage for piano. Possible overflow in piano portable or guitar room.
- We are still deciding on judges' breakfast and number of volunteers needed.

## **\*Welcome to Dr. Lindquist, new assistant director\***

— will be here for the Spring semester only

**Other news re: next year:** Mr. Nelson says Reyes said they may ask teachers to teach 7 of 8 class periods. We need about 150 (choir) students; right now we have about 100. There were 28 students who auditioned for choir for next year.

## **Banquet**

- Kelley Jacobs will chair banquet
- tickets are usually \$12; have enough in budget to give free ticket to any current students; board approved and tickets will be free for students to attend banquet
- Expenses are usually food, backdrop for photos, decorations

Theme ideas:

'80s, disco, 1920s, Broadway, Black & White

Mr. Nelson will have students vote for favorite in the next few days

Will find out about space at PAC—separate rooms for tables & chairs to distance for eating? Maybe entertainment in another room? Dana will also ask about outdoor space that may be available for us to use. Also will ask if we can have food trucks.

## **2022-23 Booster Officer Search**

Hillery is moving off; Dana & Kate have students who are seniors; will need new President, VP, Secretary

**Financial Report:** Jay is getting report from bookkeeper; have not spent very much, just one or two reimbursements around winter concert.

**Semi-major Works Concert is April 26**

- will be with orchestra
- sections of several works will be combined
- concert will be about 40 minutes long

Singers are learning a lot of music around that time for Cabaret as well, so Mr. Nelson is making it manageable to learn it all.