

Woodson Choral Booster Meeting
November 3, 2021
Chorus Room

Amy Q. moved to start the meeting. Adam B. seconded the motion. The meeting was called to order at 7:35. Karen H. moved to adopt the minutes from both the September and October meetings. Stacey B. seconded the motion. The minutes were adopted.

President Updates – Ted Donat

- **Fundraising Updates**– A huge thank you goes out to everyone who donated so far. The Choral Boosters have raised about \$9,107, or about \$194 per singer.
 - Everyone is encouraged to donate via the links on the website.
 - We are extending Spirit Wear deadline to November 5th to allow for more people to join the fall Spirit Wear buy.
 - The tote is for donors only.
 - We are going to have a Virtual Tag Day combined with a social event. More details will be forthcoming.

Director’s Notes – Amy Moir

- **DOB** – Auditions are happening at this time. Students need to write their times down and come at the appropriate time. This has been a learning curve, as many are forgetting to do this. Audition times are listed on Schoology.
 - 85-90 students are auditioning for the show. Parents are considered to be part of the show and must help.
 - December 4th at 10 a.m. there will be a meeting in the Chorus Room to discuss the details about DOB.
 - The show will be the last weekend in January – January 28th and 29th. This will be a new learning curve because we are usually in Cav Hall and this year we are in the Auditorium.
- **Spring Trip** – The plan is to go to the Virginia Beach area March 31st with an overnight to April 1st. We will stop for a clinic on the way down. The next day, the students will go to Busch Gardens. This will be an event that is shared with Band and Orchestra as well. We are currently waiting for FCPS approval.
- **Canada** – The third payment is due November 19th. Many students do not need to make a payment because they made payments earlier. An email will come out letting you know if you have to make the payment.
- **District Chorus** – Auditions will be virtual this year. They will run from Nov. 6-12. 55 students will be auditioning. Students are welcome to come to any advisory period for support.
- **Area Chorus** – Once again, Meredith Lee, from Frost MS, and Ms. Moir will be hosting an area chorus. Due to space limitations for social distancing this will only be open to 6th graders. They will practice in January and February and perform in March. The cost will be \$10 to participate. This covers the cost of the t-shirt. Registration is due December 10th.

- **Course Selections** – It is not too early to start thinking about taking Chorus next year. It is never too late to start singing. Choir is a home for everybody. Juniors and Seniors should not worry about joining because there is room for them, and this may be the last time that they sing in a formal choir. There is a four-year arc of literature, so songs will not be repeated.

Scrip – Barbara Barata

- You can sign up for Scrip all year long.
- There is information on the website and many of your answers can be found there.

Spirit Wear – Amy Quigley

- Spirit Wear orders are due Friday, November 5^h. If she gets an order from you, she will email and let you know. The next round of orders will be done in spring. Jada solicited ideas for the Spirit Wear totes

Treasurer's Report – Amy Tysarczyk

- The Treasurer's report was shared.
- The numbers for fundraising have increased. Other than that, things have stayed relatively the same.
- Please keep the fundraising money coming in.
- Also, we haven't gotten our check yet for the Chipotle fundraiser, but we should be receiving at least \$270.

Stacey B. moved to close the meeting. Angie B. seconded the motion. The meeting ended at 8:03.