

**Revere Music Parents Association Meeting**  
**Tuesday, March 6, 2018 – 7:30 PM**

**Attendance:**

**Kim Peters, Adam Besenyodi, Dave Peters, Esther Post, Marianne Grandon, Barb Nonno, Dennis Gentner, Lisa Oakley, Steve Dutkiewitz, John Leong**

**Welcome:** Kimberly Peters called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m.

**I. Band Council and Choir Officers' Reports** – none present.

**II. Secretary Report:** Barb Nonno for Sandi Kraus. Marianne Grandon motioned to approve February's minutes. Seconded by John Leong.

**III. President Report:** Kimberly Peters. Will cover throughout the agenda.

**IV. Vice President's Report:** Marianne Grandon. Will also cover throughout the agenda.

**V. Treasurer Report:** Dave Peters

Quiet month. February reports presented. Dennis Gentner motioned to approve. Lisa Oakley seconded. All in favor.

**VI. Director's Reports:**

Mr. LeBeau reported the band and choir contests are coming up this weekend; they have been working on new building; and are looking into the trip next year (still exploring both Disney and NYC). The spring musical is in progress. Noted that the band will be playing for the State of the Schools on April 24<sup>th</sup> and also for Bath Elementary ground breaking on April 27<sup>th</sup>. Mrs. Forney added that guitar and a strings program will be offered next year. Mr. LeBeau is working with Guidance to have 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> period concert band next year for wind ensemble and symphonic bands. More to come.

**VIII. Chairperson's Reports:**

**Communications** – Adam Besenyodi: Will be submitting the Fill the Trailer and Drive 1 events for publication.

**Chaperones** – Dennis Gentner: all set for the contests this weekend. Will be sending sign ups for May: Memorial Day Parade, Graduation and the Spring Banquet.

**Invitational** – Dennis Gentner: September 22<sup>nd</sup> - 6 months out. Dennis compiled notes and the process has begun to fill chair positions. Additional consideration will be given to the parking issues caused by the start of construction. Mr. LeBeau indicated there will likely be fewer bands this year (homecoming conflicts).

**Equipment** – Steve Dutkiewitz: the band trailer and golf cart have to be moved this summer when work begins on the high school. Kimberly Peters will reach out to Matt Montgomery about possible sites to relocate.

**Fruit Sale** – Esther Post: Working with the company on ideas to make the event more profitable for the RMPA. One option is online sales (ship directly to orderer). Need to commit by June if we're continuing.

**August Events** – Esther Post: Tag Day is August 11<sup>th</sup>. Bath Parade is August 4<sup>th</sup>. Looking into the date for Richfield Parade.

**IX. Old Business**

Middle School Music Program: Successful in getting everyday band but need to add a strings program.

**X. New Business**

RMPA Raffle – Adam Besenyodi: We will sell 1,000 tickets at \$5 each for a cash prize of \$1,000. Brings in \$4,000 profit for the RMPA (less uniform share). The goal is for each student to sell 5 tickets. Tickets will be distributed late March and the selling period will be April/May (exact dates TBD). The winning ticket will mirror the Lottery Pick 3 number on the pre-selected day.

Fill the (Band) Trailer – Marianne Grandon: April 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>. More details to follow.

Budget request for April review – Kimberly Peters: All board, committees and members need to submit their budget request to Dave Peters for budget consideration by March 28<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions please contact Dave. The proposed budget will be presented at the April meeting, then voting will take place during the May meeting for the 2018-19 school year.

Nomination Committee - The nomination committee will be Dennis Gentner, Lisa Oakley, and Michele Dye. They will work over the next month to accept nominations for the board positions, as well as recruit for chair positions that need to be filled. They will present the board nominations during the April meeting, then voting will take place during the May meeting for the 2018-19 school year.

**Steve Dutkiewitz moved to adjourn the meeting. All were in favor and the meeting was adjourned at 8:38 p.m.**

**XI. Important Dates:**

**MARCH**

Friday, March 9, 2018 OMEA Large Group (Band). Wind Ensemble performs at 6:55p; Symphonic Band at 8:05p.

Saturday, March 10, 2018 OMEA Large Group (Choir) Performs at 12p.

**APRIL**

Fill the Band Trailer – April 6 and 7 (more details to follow)

Drive 4 UR School – Saturday, April 21, 9am-2pm

**MAY**

4 Choirs Concert, May 6

Spring Choir Concert, May 8 at 7pm

Spring Band Concert, May 10 at 7pm

RMS Spring Concert (RMPA Presentation), May 15 at 7pm

Band & Choir Spring Banquet, May 18

**XI. Next meeting: Tuesday, April 3, 2018 at 7:30 PM - RHS – Room 200**

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