



Lincoln Way Central Music Boosters
General Meeting Minutes
August 8, 2017

I. Call to Order

A. Time: 7:07 pm

B. Attendees: Ann Boyle, Stephanie Zuraitis, Kathy Klevorn, Sy Reese, Julie Frejd Schnepfer, AnnMarie Chester, Laura Collura, Andrea Dion, Cindy Krawulski, Stacy Williams-Jackson, Linda Marquardt, Joe Spalla, and Sara Strache

II. Reports

A. President Elect: Michelle Obrecht

1. Pass minutes from June General Meeting. Joe motioned, Linda second.
2. Booster Board and Mrs. Jackson introduced themselves to parents.
3. Explanation of IBA fundraisers and what they are. IBA=Individual Bank Account, it is for each music student and funds raised through IBA activities can then be used to pay for various music activities, including LWMB payments, formalwear fee, spiritwear, trips, etc.

B. Brat Booth at the Frankfort Fall Fest 9/1/17 through 9/4/17

1. We need 8 adults per shift to work this fundraiser
2. Explanation that this is a general fundraiser, for all music departments and activities, volunteers do not earn money for IBA.
3. Emphasized that this fundraiser can earn our music programs \$10,000 and more. But we can't do this without parent volunteers.
4. These fundraisers are a great way to get to know other parents and have fun

C. SIAM 8/20 and 8/27/17 (SIAM=**S**upporters **I**n **A**rea **M**usic)

1. SIAM is our biggest general fundraiser
2. We sell Booklet with local area businesses offering discounts on services when the SIAM card is shown/used.
3. Booklets are \$20. You will make your \$20 back quickly within a few uses.
4. All music students are expected to participate. We need drivers.
5. Bob Garcia, SIAM chair, has sent out email.
6. Julie Frejd Schnepfer/LWC chair, spoke about how things have been going to get organized for the SIAM weekends. Thank you Julie for stepping up and your hard work. We appreciate you!

D. Communications: Sara Strache

1. Proud American Days. Discussed that this was an IBA activity/opportunity, parents who volunteered to work this night at the beer tent earned money for IBA.
2. Sara will send a monthly newsletter out, if you want to include something, contact Sara.
3. Anyone needing a communications email to be sent out in addition to the newsletter, contact Sara.

E. Treasurer: Joe Spalla

1. Financials: Current general fund has \$43,524. A LWMB payment of \$10,000 has been made.
2. We have 50 families currently signed up as Booster members.
3. Discussed various monies from Kroger, GFC, Senior IBA transfers, Winterguard show and the Car Wash.

F. Treasurerer Elect: Linda Marquardt

1. Further explanation for new parent attendees about IBA and that to have an IBA account, the parent must be a music booster member. Can pay \$30 dollar dues on Skyward, or check.
2. IBA fundraising activities earn a 95% profit for the student. 5% goes to the general fund. Linda handles the electronic transfer into the students account.
3. Discussed new music fees being implemented by the District. What will the fee amount be and when is it due, who does it go to?

G. Music Director: Stacy Williams-Jackson

1. LWC has had a proud and distinguished music program since 1954!
2. Mrs. Jackson stressed that our music boosters are a necessary factor to achieve the programs goals.
3. The music calender is up to date. Mrs. Jackson reviewed the calender with the attendees.
4. The New Parent meeting is to be re-scheduled following the September 12th Booster meeting.
5. Mrs. Jackson discussed possible Senior activities for the coming year, such as a trip to the Symphony Center, maybe a weekend trip. She is working on this.

H. Adjournment

1. Time 8:21pm Michelle asked for a motion to adjourn.
2. Sara motioned to accept.
3. Cindy second the motion and all passed.