## **FOCB Officers' Meeting**

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# **MINUTES**

September 14, 2020, at 6:30 p.m.

- 1. August meeting minutes approved
- 2. Director's report

Please see attachment.

3. Treasurer's report

No change from August report.

4. Volunteer needs

Need to recruit volunteer chair, as Ed's children are taking a year off from band. Discussion that recruitment efforts can begin at back-to-school night (Gary) and virtual FOCB open-house.

Ed has been working on volunteer sign-up form, which is ready to go live.

5. Fundraising/volunteers

Cindi Carrell sent fundraiser idea, digital Chipotle: https://community.chipotle.com/

Debbie – discussion about status of business sponsors, whether there is a need to update band website, or do a round of shout-outs on social media. Sheri was not present at this meeting, so will wait until she is available to update status of volunteers.

### 6. Miscellaneous

Chamber music groups – per Gary, students will be encouraged to pick a song and work in Zoom or groups, practice each and stitching recording together. District owns a video app that can be used.

Percussions – Brainstorm ideas of how to get instruments to percussionists for home use.

Smart music – should be up and running.

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**Director Report** 

#### **DISNEY**

I spoke with my rep and things have not changed much. They are still in business and working hard with vendors to negotiate the refunds so they can in turn process refunds for us. It is going slow. He suggested that if parents would feel better contacting the company to get a better understanding of the circumstances, they can contact our Program Director:

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#### **NEWSLETTER**

I sent a very long email to everyone this morning, as most of my classes almost correct (38 students were in the wrong classes two weeks ago). I will be working on a mailing list for freshman students this coming week so FOCB can send out a welcome email.

#### **HONOR GROUPS**

WIBC and OMEA are planning virtual opportunities for directors. Auditions for the OMEA All-State honor groups will still be occurring, and students will at a minimum receive recognition for making an ensemble if they are selected.

#### INSTRUMENT DISTRIBUTION

I have the go ahead to distribute instruments to students that still need this week. Jacob Brown (student teacher) will be assisting me. I will be sending an email to students that have requested an instrument Tuesday morning.

#### SBF BAND ACCOUNT

I am hoping to have a short meeting with Jordan (CHS Bookkeeper) to double check the accuracy of this account sometime soon. This will help me know exactly what I have to work with as we go forward.

#### MASTER CLASSES

I will be trying to keep students apprised of upcoming masterclass opportunities. I also will be working with local folks to create some opportunities for our students and/or combine with other PPS programs.