

**PHS Choir Booster Club Board Meeting**  
**March 5, 2024 at 7pm**  
**PHS Choir Room**

**In Attendance**

**Board Members:** Mr. Kessler, Ms. Vondette, Amea Isom, Shayla Alkire, Jessica Bailey, Paige Denman, Adam Curow, Melisa Curow, Tanya Eble, Laura Harrington, Linda Roberts

**Booster Club Members:** Ebonii Granger, Sara Johnson, Debbie Walton

**Call to Order:** Amea Isom called the meeting to order at 7:02pm.

**Approval of Minutes:** Linda Roberts made a motion to approve the February 12, 2024 minutes. Adam Curow seconded the motion. All were in favor. The motion passed.

**Council Report ~ Paige Denman**

March 23<sup>rd</sup> will be the Bel-Camerata Spa Day from 3pm to 6pm, either in the choir room or Searcy Cafeteria. We will need some parent volunteers. Students will need to bring their own supplies, nail polish, face masks, makeup, hair items, etc.

**President's Report ~ Amea Isom**

**Banquet** – The estimated cost of the caterer is \$2,815.50 for 300 people. This amount includes delivery and set up. Ticket sales will start April 1<sup>st</sup> and end May 5<sup>th</sup>. April 1<sup>st</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>, the cost per ticket will be \$50. April 15<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup>, the price per ticket will increase to \$60. April 22<sup>nd</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> the cost per ticket will increase to \$70. Money from your student's Charms account can be used to pay for their ticket. When you purchase your ticket, there will be an option to choose a vegetarian or gluten free meal. There will not be an extra charge for those options.

**Nominating Committee** – Laura Harrington will be heading the Nominating Committee. Sara Johnson and Tanya Eble will serve as committee members, and Jessica Bailey will serve as the alternate committee member. At the April 15<sup>th</sup> meeting, the slate of proposed Board members will be announced, and at the May 8<sup>th</sup> meeting, we will vote on the 2024-2025 Board members.

**Mr. Kessler's Report**

Kantori did very well at Madrigals, and received 2<sup>nd</sup> place.

**Pre-UIL Concert** is this Thursday. The Booster Club usually provides cookies and punch at the end of the concert. There will be no intermission.

**UIL** is March 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, and 27<sup>th</sup>. We will probably need snacks for the students, but we will have to wait until we get the schedule to know for certain.

**Pop Show Auditions** will be April 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, and 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Washington D.C. Trip** - We will schedule a parent trip meeting, probably on April 2<sup>nd</sup>.

## **Executive Committee Reports**

### **Vice-President ~ Shayla Alkire**

Pop Show Dinner – Iguanas Ranas will be providing the food, tacos, at \$10 per plate. Tickets will be sold through April 28<sup>th</sup>, because we have to give a final head count to the caterer on April 29<sup>th</sup>. The tickets will be \$15 per person, and there will be a vegetarian and gluten free option. We are requesting \$600 from Booster Club funds to purchase items for the event. We will need volunteers to help with the raffle and serving food. Mr. Kessler will send an email to the choir families about the dinner on March 25<sup>th</sup>. He will also put a flyer on Peach Jar.

### **Treasurer ~ Laura Torres**

We currently have \$4,623 in the bank, and we need to pay Musical \$1,000.

## **Committee Chair Reports**

### **Fan Grams ~ Kathryn Alamia and Aimee Mittelsted**

Pop Show – we will, again, be selling roses, as well as, something else.

### **Scholarships ~ Tanya Eble**

Senior Scholarships – We have one \$600 scholarship for a graduating choir senior that plans to major in music, and has already been accepted to a college, and three \$500 scholarships for graduating choir seniors that have been accepted to a four-year, or a two-year college on any degree plan (does not have to be music specific).

Choir Summer Camps – The goal is to have ten camp Scholarships for \$150 each. We didn't have very many students apply last year, so we really want to encourage everyone to apply. It's a reimbursement to the student. Applications will be due by the end of April.

Parents must be a member of Booster Club in order for their student to apply to any scholarship, and there is still time to join Booster Club.

## **Special Events Reports**

### **Lock-In ~ Melisa and Adam Curow**

Lock-In was a success. Laser Tag was popular only at the beginning of Lock-In, so maybe next year we omit laser tag and just let the kids hand out in the gym and play with balls, and do other games. Ms. Vondette suggested that next year we have video games for the students to play.

**Next Meeting:** April 15, 2024 in the Choir room.

**Meeting Adjourned:** Ameal adjourned the meeting at 8pm.

*Minutes recorded by: Jessica Bailey ~ Secretary*