

Oswego County Music Educators – Annual Fall Mtg.: September 20, 2016

In attendance: Ron Haldeman, Robert Dumas, Tom Nami, Robbie Padilla, Val Marshall, Sandy Kinney, Colleen Dailey, Brian McIlroy, Michele Catania, Stephanie Mata, Denise Ellis, Hope Lawton, Frances Flansbaum

Called to order by R. Haldeman: 4:29 pm

Treasurer's Report:

Checking: \$5,567.71

Savings: \$21,002.54

Conductor fees: \$450

- Expenses: \$150
- TOTAL: \$600
- \$.54 per mile
- \$5 audition fees
- \$10 participation fees

Officer Expense report created and distributed.

Motion: Michelle

2nd: Sandy

Approved by vote: Unanimous

Secretary's Report:

- R. Dumas (VP) taking minutes while Anna is on maternity leave.
- Minutes approved unanimously.
- Officers will get mileage and \$20 meal for mtg's

Old Business:

- Website & Directory Update (Steve Defren)
 - Website was down, but is now up and running.
- Music Teacher PD Day – Nov. 8
 - Joint day with Onondaga, Cortland
 - \$50 per person
 - Wide variety of sessions
 - Flier distributed with June minutes
- 2016-17 Dates – see agenda/emails from Ron
 - Festivals:
 - Subcat – Offer CD recording but no video
 - Used to offer DVD, but no more. Student confidentiality issues.
 - Schedule rotation

- Phoenix renovation?
- Elementary All-County Festival – Music, etc.
- T-Shirts (Joanna Young – 2nd VP)
 - Selling really well
- Make sure you're letting parents know about ticket fees for audience members – might not be aware, otherwise

New Business:

- New members introduced.
- OCMEA Dues - \$10 – send to Brian McIlroy
- Handbook
 - Tom Nami is updating handbook.
- NYSSMA News
 - Hope Greco-Gaham's Zone Rep term is up Nov. 2017
 - Let hope know if you want to run.
 - See agenda for "details" of position.
 - Advocate for your programs!
 - Ron distributed NAFME Core Standards Document
 - "Good News from the Music Department" sent out to your district can be a good, quick & easy way.
- "For the good of the order" ...
 - GREAT turn out – let's keep it up!
 - Anyone who has orchestra music from the library – RETURN IT! 😊