

**RMPA Minutes –
Oct 13, 2016
8pm Conference Room at Reynolds Secondary**

Present: Hélène Poulin, Tracy Laramee, Andrea Lauzon, Kelly Edwards, Ruth Smith, Donna Sorensen, Kelly Cairns, Pete Tollestrup, Monika Hall Kowalewski, Dale Lyne, Scott Knight, Lorrie Ross, Adam Stothard, Dave Fello, Nathan Georgesen, Michelle Hoenisch, Tracy Byrne, Lisa Jones

1. Chair's Report – Tracy
 - 1.1 Introductions
 - 1.2 Cops for Cancer Bottle Drive
Many volunteers, lots of funds were raised.

2. Directors' Reports – Mr. Fello and Mr. Georgesen
 - 2.1 Upcoming performances and gigs
Seven concerts already, blow off the dust concert coming up
Uniform distribution went well
Carol Band – Legislature
Remembrance Day: School assembly and Senior Band at Saanich City Hall
Uptown Christmas parade
Saanich City Hall
And many more!
 - 2.2 Travel - Senior and Junior trips
44 kids are going to England. Forms and deposits are in as requested
Junior band trip is being organized
 - 2.3 Choir
Groups are being made, musical singers will impact the groupings as the year progresses
Tour for the choir: late April, two days one night in Vancouver; clinics, sightseeing, etc. keeping the cost at around \$200.
Remembrance Day, December concerts, Choir Parent Meeting on 25th of October.
Choir Social (October 28th)

3. Band Council - Adam
 - 3.1 Pancake Breakfast on October 28th
 - 3.2 Movie Night for Halloween and Christmas
 - 3.3 Every three months: music night, by donation
 - 3.4 Band wear (Tegan)

4. Uniforms – Kelly C.
 - 4.1 26 new blazers will be ordered
 - 4.2 Uniform distribution went well but hours could be changed (later start and end times on Friday and shortened Saturday). Someone called the grade 9 parents to let them know and almost everyone came.

5. Fundraising

5.1 Bake sales – Michelle H.

Will be learning from Monika; should be keeping the job for 3 years!

5.2 Coffee sales – volunteer needed

Coffee is sold at all of our concerts and coffee orders (Kelly E. will likely volunteer)

5.3 Hillside Night of Lights – Lorrie

Letters are done for parents and Hillside mall; tickets are already all gone! The project is therefore on hold (both the ticket sales and the doors) pending tickets become available, and they require us to staff the doors.

5.4 Purdy's orders – Mary

A note was sent on October 12th, pamphlets are sent home and the orders have to be in by November 18th.

5.5 Grocery Cards – Lisa

We have \$354 and \$146 for Thrifty's; no update on Fairways

5.6 Christmas Tree Recycling – Scott

We have some volunteers already for the event. The binder has been passed on. A letter to Alpine has to be sent quickly. The flyers have to be printed and distributed. A standing committee must be put together to organize the event.

5.7 Manure Sales – Dale

Advertising, signup for volunteers, contacting Michell's Farms

5.8 Reynolds Revue

Dance and Theatre Night is already called Revue– We might change the name: a review of a singer, musician from the community. Volunteers have stepped forward to help.

5.9 Other ideas

Board Game Night in the gym (entry fee & concession);
50/50 at the hockey games – Kelly C. to look into

6. Treasurer – Andrea

6.1 Finalize budget 2016/17

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7. Student Accounts – Michelle W.

Transition from Karen Humphries complete;

8. Website – Donna

Photos are needed from choir;

9. PAC – Ruth

October 6th meeting; no secretary yet; submission for funding requests (15!) the budget committee will go over the requests and rate and rank each request; \$27,000 is available but the requests well outweigh the funds available.

10. Monthly meeting dates at 7pm, in the Reynolds Conference Room
 - 10.1 **Nov 17, Dec 15, Jan 12, Feb 9, Mar 13** (*a Monday, before Senior Band Trip*)
Apr 10 (Monday), **May 11, Jun TBD**

11. Other business
No other business

12. Adjournment
The meeting was adjourned at 9:25pm.

SUMMARY OF MOTIONS

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