

NHB Steering Committee Meeting
Senior Center, Rm 205, 10:50-11:35
May 28, 2019

Present: Karla Laubenthal, Adele Monserud, Steve Murphy, Sue Dallam; absent: Jerry Stamp, Donna Grundstad

OLD BUSINESS

I. Review minutes 3/28/19

S. Murphy moved to approve; A. Monserud seconded the motion; minutes approved.

II. Announcements/Updates

A. Band Member Roster (now in DropBox)

B. Directory

Jean Hill is updating the directory, has most of the information from new members and has updated email addresses. She plans to reprint in the fall. Karla will inform band members who want to change their bio information to contact Jean to make those changes.

C. Commissioned Music (Jose Ignacio Blesu-Lull Consortium)

Should be ready spring of 2020 and can be programmed for our May concert.

III. 25th Anniversary Committee (Jan Hanson, Judy Schroeder, Jean and Martin Hill, David Carlson)

All have agreed to be on the committee. Karla will encourage them to organize, meet, get dates, and start planning. Sue showed the t-shirt that was printed for the last band camp and will share it with the planning committee. Suggested activities: party, slide show and band camp.

IV. Coralville Farmer's Market Senior Night June 17

V. Weather policy survey - tabled until Fall/Winter 2019-20

NEW BUSINESS

I. Summer 2019

A. Directors: Nolan (only through 1st concert), Andy, Steve, Kamal, possibly Trey (2nd concert)

B. Contracts between directors and FICNHB instead of College of Education (1099's)
Dr. Harry doesn't want payment to go through the College of Education so we will pay conductors directly. Steve West will have his personnel print 1099 Forms.

C. Picnic

Location: ST Morrison Park, Coralville: Chicken: NHB

D. Coralville Performing Arts Center (ALL 3 bands to play)
July 29, 2019; Monday night

II. Fall potluck

Usually occurs the Thursday before labor Day. We'll ask Alice and Jeanette to check on the availability of the Unitarian Universalist Society.

III. 524Good Philanthropic Organization (Goal this year: Enriching Lives Through Arts and Culture-Creation, Access, Appreciation)

- A. June 4 at Terry Trublood
- B. Steve Schomberg, Nancy Wombacher, Karla Laubenthal
- C. Grant writing later this summer. Needs?
Generation of Jazz?
20th anniversary celebrations?
Band camp?
Don Coffman's expenses?

IV. Update from FICNHB meeting May 8, 2019

- A. MNL! is organizing, similar to ICNHB (i.e.: Dues paid to treasurer, given to Bob Hansen)
They will have their own Steering Committee and treasurer.
- B. Directors: Andy McDonald (Summer), Matt Hayes (Fall)
- C. Shared our Policy and Procedure document as example for their own by-laws, etc.
- D. Steering Committees may want to meet jointly at some point

V Update from meeting with Dr. Harry, Nancy Wombach, and Steve West May 20, 2019 (personnel needs/payment)

- A. Fall/Spring
 - Most ensemble instructors are returning (\$400 each/semester) - 5 total
 - Possible student assistant directors: Kamal Talkuder (Fall), Sean Miller (Spring) (\$500/semester)
 - Music Director ICNHB (\$1500/semester) - Dr. Harry is asking 2 DMA Conducting Students (JT Womack and Josh Neuenschwander - SP?)
 - Silver Swing Director (\$400/\$500) - Dr. Harry asking Jazz Faculty
- B. Discussion about long term goal to merge the 2 Monday night bands
In order for NHB to be a legitimate organization, we need to have a beginner feeder band. Linn Street Band qualifies as a beginner band and could merge with Monday Night Live. The first step is to get MNL organized with their own governing board before it can merge with Linn Street Band.

VI. Music Storage

- A. 2 few files at Senior Center for simple music (needed by LSB)
- B. Steve West discussing options of returning music to the Music Building (would save \$900/year) Our storage unit is too far and not very accessible in inclement weather.
- C. Problem with missing music

We should assign a member from each ensemble to collect music originals from the student directors

VII. ICSC Agreement: Needs to be renewed the end of June. FICNHB will follow up.

VIII. Other – Sue suggested that we have an information handout to give to new band members along with our brochure. It would include things such as parking, dues, bring your own stand, band conduct, concert attire, weather policy, etc. Sue will develop the handout.

Meeting adjourned at 11:35. (S. Murphy moved, A. Monserud seconded.)