

Sharon Bands Board Meeting Minutes
Location: Sharon Middle School, Sharon, MA
Monday March 9, 2020 7:15 PM

Present: Angela Woodward, Derek Day, Charlie Piper, Matt Leftin, Al True, Steve Bell, Glenn McGibbon, Cathy Hichens, George Mellman, Tom Lucci

Absent: Kathy Brink

Call to order at 7:19.

Co-President Matt Leftin presiding

Approval of February minutes.

Marketing

- Website went down today. Steve noticed and informed Glenn who was able to rectify the situation. Site was brought back up.
- March Concert at Victory Church
 - Press release went out
 - Fliers were distributed
 - Web stuff went out
 - No sales yet
 - Haven't heard back from Sharon TV yet on whether or not they will record
 - Plenty of volunteers for concert duties
 - Table cloth needed – Steve has one that can be used
 - Recording person confirmed
- East Weymouth Concert
 - Marketing
 - Glenn will do some social media marketing and maybe put out a flier
- Photography
 - Art's daughter is going to take pictures at the Victory Church for \$100.

Personnel

- French Horn sub
 - Discussed part she will play
- She will come to the dress rehearsal
- Brandon may be leaving the group, so someone will need to cover pic parts for upcoming concerts
- Another bassoon will be joining soon

Upcoming Concerts

- Already discussed Victory Church and East Weymouth
- April 5th RSBB – Black Box Theater at ENC
- Pops
 - Location & Producer needed
- Steve passed out a working set list

- Glenn contacted Norwood Theater
- Tom will contact Orpheum in Foxboro again
- Summer:
 - RSBB: Dedham July 1
 - RSBB: Walpole July 14
 - RSBB: Raynham July 22
 - RSBB: Mansfield July 19
 - RSBB: Natick August 3
 - RSBB: Norwood – Tentative
 - SCB: Sharon June 24
 - SCB: Sharon Walpole July 28
 - SCB: Easton September 13
 - SCB: Whitney Place – Tentative
 - SCB: Norwood – Tentative

Upcoming Rehearsals

- March 12th at Brockton High School
 - 7:15 – 9:00
- Concert Band Only
- Dress Rehearsal at Sharon 7:00 – 8:45 – RSBB would rehearse

Corona Virus

- Glenn forwarded a write up
- May do away with reception at next concert or only serve individually wrapped food.
- We will continue to monitor the situation.
- Matt will review what the Sharon Public Schools sent out. Cathy receives this info and will forward to Matt.
- Matt will send out an update to the band.

Ads/Donations:

- Sharon Credit Union - \$500 sponsor
- Dedham Savings - \$250.00 sponsor

Treasurer's Report:

- Doing well this year
- Jazzy Valentine slightly better than last year

Director's Report

- Fall 2020 Hindsight Concert
 - Already have all pieces because it's stuff we've already played
- Lightly Latin Pops for 2021
- Five rehearsals for Pops 2020 Heroes and Villains Concert
- Steve passed out a list of arrangements and asked for feedback

Action Items:

Pops Concert Location – Tom and Glenn will reach out to Norwood and Foxboro

Janitor for 22nd – Cathy will contact the school

Newsletter

Upcoming rehearsals

Corona Virus

Chart Donations

Irene Scott Award Nominations

Packaged food instead of baked goods for concert reception

Meeting Adjourned: 8:50 pm

Next Meeting: April 13th at Sharon Middle School

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