

WACMA MEETING
Tuesday, September 5, 2006

Attendance: Sue Stalewski, Scott Dekok, Dawn Adams, Steve Joyal, Darlene Schmidt
Secretary's Report: Minutes approved. Dawn motioned, Scott seconded.

Treasurer's Report: Student accounts have been adjusted. Directors should review class lists and advise Sue accordingly. Dawn will be taking over the position of treasurer. One of the scholarship checks for \$300.00 or more was returned since the fee had already been paid. This gives us a little extra for the scholarship fund for this year. Steve motioned to accept, Dawn seconded

Orchestra Report: Mrs. Michels is looking for an Orchestra Liaison. Mrs. Michels will also be teaching at West Milwaukee this year. She is only there 3rd Hour and has no before or after school times at West. She is working out lunchtime arrangements with students who have Math & Reading Targets. Central -1st Hour & FLW - 7&8th Hours. Choir/Orchestra Concert on October 18th.

Band Report: Miah Cauley is also teaching Band at Wilson and Team Teaching Jazz Class at Hale with Michael Harrison, Hale Band Director. One day at Hale, one day at Central with alternating Fridays-the teachers teach the class when it is at their assigned school.

Fundraising: Entertainment Books were distributed at Parent Band Meeting, 3 books per student. One free book for every five sold. Books sell for \$35.00, profit is \$16.00 of which \$12.00 goes into student account, remaining for is split between WACMA and music group. Scott and Mary Pat need to distribute books to their student, probably one or two per student. Books also need to be distributed to band students were not represented at the meeting. Sue will make a flyer promoting sale of the books. Cut-off is 9-30-06. Poinsettia Sale will run again this year. Sue will make the arrangements with the florist. Plants can be distributed at Choir Orchestra Concert on December 12th and Band Concert on December 14th.

Kringle Sale again around Spring Break, possible earlier.

Musical: The musical this is "The Wizard of Oz". Scott will be recruiting about 20 children from the elementary schools to play the "munchkins" and "flying monkeys". The revenues for this musical are very expensive and the costuming is expected to quite costly also. Total cost about 50.

Solo &

Ensemble: Solo & Ensemble will be at Hale again this year. Central had hosted it for about 10 year. Hale has good parking for the event; downside is that we can do any fundraising with concessions.

Archives: Sue has about 2 portable files of WACMA archives. Scott will talk to directors to see if this material can be stored somewhere at Central. Dawn will also check with the custodian.

Education: We need to continue trying to get parents informed about WACMA and get more people involved. We need to make it clear that parents can come to a meeting; they don't have to hold a position or be obligated to anything.

Newsletter: Deadline is mid September for the Bulldog Newsletter. We need to get information to Sue for our newsletter so it can be included with the Bulldog newsletter.
Sue wants information about the music teachers/director so parents know they are and what they do.

Student

Accounts: We need to talk about more efficient management of student accounts and payments due for "trips".

Open

House: Central will have an Open House on September 19th (Tuesday). We will share a table with PTSA and have information about WACMA

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m. Next meeting on Tuesday, October 3rd 6:02 p.m.

Best wishes for a successful 2006-07 school year!