



PARENT MEETING
October 10th, 2017

- Meeting called to order 7:08pm
- Student Representatives
 - Main Street Student Co-Presidents Angela A., Jack B. and Kelly I. addressed the meeting. They feel they are managing the bonding of this large group well and the focus and enthusiasm of the members is awesome. They expressed the energy from the audience at the Fall Concert was great. Looking forward to their intensive rehearsal weekend in November.
- Choral Director
 - We have the Old Town Gazebo reserved for caroling on Friday, December 15 from 7:00-8:30pm. Students will be transported by bus.
 - “The Sound of Music” auditions will be taking place October 23. Encourage your student to try out.
 - We have 40 well prepared students auditioning for All State the morning of October 17th.
 - We had 31 students participate in Solo & Ensemble. All received either I or II ratings with 71% receiving the I Superior rating.
 - Please make sure students get a good amount of sleep, are eating well and staying hydrated. Help them stay healthy!
- FunRaising
 - Our Pampered Chef consultant, Kristy Staker, spoke about the upcoming Girls Night Out Open House on Saturday, October 21st from 6-8pm. She will be doing demonstrations on how to use the products resulting in some delicious food to snack on. It will be a fun night so please come! Orders can be placed online until October 28th. Students will receive 20% of orders submitted on their behalf to go towards their choir fees.
 - Please continue to keep Shell Rapid Lube in mind when your vehicles need service. Be sure to tell them you are supporting our program and they will give 15% of the cost of services to our choirs.
 - Madrigal is our next big event coming up on December 9th. This evening’s concert starts with a Renaissance theme and after intermission modern holiday music is performed by all our ensembles. It is accompanied by a silent and live auction which is our biggest fundraiser of the year. We are currently soliciting auction items and if you have connections with businesses please contact Pauline Riley or Natalie Eames.
 - Signups for volunteers will continue to be emailed and also posted on our website so please keep an eye out for them to see where you can lend a hand.

- Treasurers
 - October Statements went out to Main Street. Next payment due is October 20th.
 - Reminders going out to those with the \$100 fee payable to APS still outstanding.
 - Soon a spreadsheet will be posted on the choir website with student balances. The last four digits of the student's ID will be used to look them up. Email reminders will be sent when payments are due and if you have questions regarding your balance, payments, etc our treasurers can assist you with details of your student's account.

- We appreciate you!
 - A big thank you to our sponsor Small Cakes who provided delicious mini cupcakes for this meeting to sample. They also gave out 15% off discount cards.
 - Thank you to Kim Breinholt who jumped in and assisted with Solo & Ensemble.
 - Thank you to Kristi Ingle who did a great job with our Bear Wear orders.

- Concluded 7:52pm

- Next Parent Meeting Tuesday, November 14th at 7pm