

North Allegheny Orchestra Parents (NAOPA) Meeting minutes

November 21, 2019

President, Julie Tarle – Julie called the meeting to order. Julie made a motion to approve the minutes from the May meeting and it was approved.

Treasurer's report, Valier Welsh – Valerie said the pie, coffee, and ads payments are coming through and she is making trip deposits. Strolling strings has received some donations and one payment has been made to Disney. She said she has applied for the license for the 50/50 raffle.

Vice president, Melissa Kelly – Melissa said the pie turnout was great this year with 358 sold. Saturday morning the pies will be here, eight parents have volunteered to help and 9 to 11 am is pickup although 9 to 10 is preferred. The coffee will be here on Saturday, too.

Melissa said Boon Supply fundraiser went well with \$4000 in online sales and \$3000 in order forms and a \$3000 profit. Orders are in and will be given to kids at the dress rehearsal.

Ads Sale Coordinator Nancy Shelaheda – Nancy said there is a new designer for the program this year and that \$7200 in ads was raised this year.

Sarris Candy, Yvonne Baker – Yvonne said \$7800 in candy was sold and with 35% profit about \$2700 was raised. The candy will be coming in Dec. 19.

Giant Eagle gift cards, Lisa Salamone – Lisa said 12/5 and 1/9 are the next opportunities to purchase the cards. Purchasers get 5 percent back. She said Giant Eagle gets a high volume of cards in December so it might take a while to get your cards for the December order.

President Julie Tarle said the only fundraiser left is the coffee and pierogis. Melissa Kelly said pierogis come frozen and are easy to sell. Sale dates are 1/11 to 1/24 and the pickup is 2/15.

Treasurer Valerie Welsh said if you are a chaperone on the Disney trip to please write a separate check to her.

Orchestra Director's Report, Lauren Donato – The concert is next week. Dress rehearsal is Monday. We have a lot of strolling events coming up the first week of December with four performances coming up.

Old Business – Julie Tarle – Julie gave an update from the Chipotle fundraiser. She said \$504 was raised that night. The next restaurant fundraiser is Loafers in Wexford. Loafers will give 40 percent of total

sales for anyone who walks in. Julie asked everyone to heavily promote this one and that Dec. 16 is the potential date. The January restaurant fundraiser might be Freshii in Cranberry. Julie said she will get more information.

Julie said the current trip cost is \$1330 not counting the Chipotle fundraiser. The orchestra is ok with the number of chaperones for the trip and if you have any questions to see her. Chaperones will also be needed for strolling events. Melissa Kelly added that the trip is leaving Orlando late Saturday night.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Teresa Boley NAOPA Secretary