08/10/23 Board Meeting Discussion

Tracey- President

Nathan- Production Coordinator

Nicole- Hair & Stylist

Lisa- Secretary

Erin- Hair & Stylist

Emmily- Communications

Missy- Vice President

Minner Alyssa- Special Events Co

Donna- Special Events Assistant

Jenna- Director

Jennifer- accompanist

Teresa- Treasurer (*Not Present)

- Trailer Purchased
 - -Need registration, plates, and insurance.
 - -Parking spot.
- Shoe cart (Nathan working on it)
 - build, buy, something.
- Themes for shows:
 - -Expressions- Spies (Classic Spy films)
 - -Goldenaires- TBD
- Contest to name the trailer
 - Facebook
- Fundraisers-
 - -Mums- need support to distribute (active)
 - -Grey's Pies- pie \$ increase
- -Trash bags-? TBD
- -Laundry Detergent- 5 gallon tubs
- -Raiseright gift cards-?
- Sponsorship Opportunities
 - -Graphic design Contest
 - -Find a Wrap company- sponsor incentive

- Schedule Booster Meetings moving forward:
- -Board: 1st Monday of the month, none until October.
- -All Parent: 1st Thursday of the month @6:00 for September
- Hawk Hoedown: Friday, Sept 15?
- Senior Banner Pictures
 - -Need a photographer- Jaden White
 - -Need to be edited- uniformed
- Volunteer application
 - -Decaturproud.org
 - -All parent volunteers must complete
- Website Management: transfer admin from David Bex -upkeep- Emmily DCHSchoirs.org
- Spiritwear- when?
- Show Shirts- when?
- My music office refresher at first Parent Booster meeting.
 Need iPads for stations.
- Fall Concert- when?
- No practices over Fall Break
- Lucas Oil volunteering Opportunities- TBD
- After Show Themes are established- budgets for costuming, sets, bands, choreo, misc. what is covered by Board responsibilities?
 - -September meeting to address.
- Scholarship Opportunities- Board Matching? Tied to fundraisers?
 Competition funds budgeted towards this?
- The Student Showband is cut.

- Hosting Contest Show- Feb 3rd
 - -Vendors
- -Tipping Cow Cafe
- -Mini Cheesecakes added to the menu board?
- Laundry plan

11/9/2023 Booster Parent Meeting

Hello DCHS Show Choir Parents!

Thank you to all who were able to attend last week's Show Choir Boosters Meeting!

Here is a summary of the information that was shared:

- 1. Holiday Spectacular Concerts (December 8 and 9, with 2 concerts on December 9)
 - 1. We need several parent volunteers to help with each concert as room parents and with concessions. When you volunteer for one of the 3 concerts, you will receive a free ticket to one of the other concerts. Tomorrow, we will email the link for signing up to help at the concerts!
 - The Show Choir Boosters Executive Board will provide a small dinner option on both concert days. For Friday: students will be able to pre-order slices of pizza at cost. For Saturday: a free, small pasta dinner will be provided for all choir students.

Fundraisers

- 1. Gray Brothers Pies and Rolls Thanks to all who participated in this fundraiser! The order pick-up date will be this Monday (November 20). As soon as we have a confirmation of delivery time from Gray Brothers, we will send more details to those who sold pies and rolls!
- 2. Trash Bags We will be taking orders for trash bags in January. The profit from this fundraiser can be used to pay for your student's character shoes or as a down payment for their 2024-2025 show choir fees.

- 3. Set and Props Building We will need some help building set pieces and props for our competitive shows. As soon as we have sessions scheduled to do the building, we will send out the information so that you can help!
- 4. Alterations If you have sewing skills and would be available to help with some minor alterations on our show choir costumes, please let us know! Thanks!
- 5. DCHS Showdown 2024 On February 3, we will be hosting our 2nd annual show choir competition! This is an "all hands on deck" event! All show choir students will be at the school all day, beginning very early in the morning. As we have discussed since April and was also in the "Rules and Expectations" document, there are parent volunteer requirements. The parent shifts will be 4-5 hours long. (Parents of Goldenaires or Expressions are required to cover 2 shifts, while parents of New Direction are required to cover 1 shift. These parent shifts can be covered by the student's parent or by another family member who is 18 or older.)

If you have any questions, please email us ...

Thanks!

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