

Foothills Music Teachers Association  
General Meeting Minutes  
January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 by President Elaine Van Dellen NCTM. Twenty-seven members and guests were in attendance. The November minutes were approved as read. Going forward a draft of the previous month's minutes will be sent as an attachment with the Newsletter reminder. The minutes will then be approved at the next meeting.

Treasurer's Report - Treasurer Elinore Quander NCTM reported the following balances: Checking, \$2295.58; CD, \$5820.30; Scholarship, \$13,319.62.

Achievement Day – Carrie Christensen asked teacher's to sign up to bring a side dish for our teacher's lunch. Let Carrie know if you are aware of any teens who may want to assist with Achievement Day as helpers.

Cares and Congrats – Margaret Wahl, who was unable to attend today's meeting, thanked our members for their care and encouragement during Ron's cancer treatment.

Sonatina Festival - The registration deadline is February 12<sup>th</sup>. Food donations for the Judge's lunch will be requested at our February meeting. Kathy Hammer NCTM encouraged teachers to sign adult students up for the new Adult Student Sonatina Festival.

Newsletter/Website – Members can email concert announcements to Jan Tuttle for inclusion in the Newsletter. The online Directory of Teachers will be updated every six months. Members must pay their dues to be included in the directory.

New Business – Carrie Christensen, April Larsen and Kathryn Lewis NCTM, volunteered for the nominating committee for next year's officers. Carrie Christensen will act as Chair.

Davina Perret volunteered to act as Librarian Chair for our association. This will be a new position for Foothills.

The topic for next month's Penny for Your Thoughts discussion will be the CSMTA Conference.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:25.

Carol Williams, Secretary