

Foothills Music Teachers Association Monthly Meeting October 20, 2021

Davina Perret, President, opened the meeting at 9:32 am at The Bridge Church, with 17 members present and 1 member via phone.

Minutes of the September meeting were approved and will be posted on the website.

Treasurer's report: Checking balance - \$4051.12; Savings balance: \$18,713.78.

Lorian Bartle, Website, noted membership for public & private changes should be given to her soon. She needs updated Winterfest & Sonatina registration forms/links from the respective chairs. The Photo/Video Release form is posted under Student Opportunities.

Alyssa Alexander, VP Programs, noted today's program is "Music Composition for Every Student and Teacher" presented by Jodie Jensen. The November program will be "Taubman Technique" presented by Brenna Berman.

April Larsen, Achievement Day, asked that all student forms be completed. There are 93 students and 12 teachers registered for Oct.23, Achievement Day. Scales, arpeggios, & chords will be done in student's assigned room. It is optional for the Listener to have students remove masks while playing. Theory room grading was explained. Set-up will be Friday night, Oct.22, at 9 pm. Remember to have a Photo/Video Release form signed & kept on file in your studio.

Kari Stjernholm, Holiday Benefit Recital, noted 13 teachers have signed up for Dec.4 & 11 slots. There are still a few spots open. It is held at Our Savior's Church on corner of Jewell & Garrison. A \$10 donation/family is suggested. Monies can be donated to the fund even if you aren't hosting a recital at this location or date.

Performance Group will be at Kathy Hammer's home on Nov.12 at 10 am.

Arlyce, PRP, noted discussion on Pt.2, Attitude, will be on Nov.4 from 9:30 – 11 am at her home.

Sonatina Festival, Helen Gleason, noted the updated Repertoire List is now online.

Winterfest, Jonny Sterling & Thomas Hoops, noted updated registration forms for the January 29 event will be online soon. A request was made to attach 2 additional copies of the music w/registration. The Combo musicians are booked. This event is for students Level 2 or above and anything that isn't Classical genre may be played. (Jazz, Pop, Movie themes, etc.)

Kathy Hammer, Hospitality, thanked Nicole Moody & Laura Rodgers for today's treats.

Announcements:

Holiday Benefit Concerts are December 4 & 11 at Our Savior's Church.

Winterfest is January 29 at Our Savior's Church.

Pueblo Keyboard Arts Festivals are November 4-7. Contact <http://www.zaharimetchkov.org/festivals.htm> for more information.

The next meeting is November 17 at The Bridge Church, 3101 S. Kipling St. Lakewood. Park on the west side of the building and follow signs.

Meeting adjourned, 10:03 am
Julianne Hardinger, Secretary