



## **Eastern Technical HS Music Boosters**

April 4, 2022 at 6:30 (Virtual)

### **Meeting Agenda**

- Welcome - Valerie Thaler
- Approval of March Minutes
- Spring Fundraiser Planning – Raffle Basket Contents Thus Far
  - Spring Concert plans
  - Boutonnieres and reception plans?
- Treasurer's Report
  - 501c3 status question
- Instrumental Music Director's Report – Ms. Krawczyk
- Chorus Director's Report - Mr. Dennis
- President's Report – Valerie Thaler
- Tri-M Report
- Restaurant Night Fundraising – Ledo and Sweet Frog
- New Business
  - New Officer Election Discussion
- Adjournment

Next Meeting - May 2 at 6:30 pm

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## Eastern Technical Music Boosters Meeting Minutes (**APPROVED**)

April 4, 2022

### **Call to order at 6:35 pm**

Officers in attendance: Valerie Thaler, Lisa Gaff, Melissa Williams, Kristina Harwood, Kathy Krawczyk, Joe Dennis. Also in attendance: Stacy Durkovic. Approval of March Minutes (Kathy, 2<sup>nd</sup>-Mr. Dennis)

### **Old Business:**

We received a letter from the IRS that our tax exempt status has been revoked. Letter states that form needed has not been filed for the past three years. This could be a mistake, it could have been missed during COVID absence from school, or it could be that we didn't file what was needed. Kathy and Melissa will reach out to Eric Smith (former treasurer) to try to get some answers. Melissa did find a form taped to inside of the treasurers notebooks with the BCPS tax exempt notice in it. This may or may not apply to us. There are instructions on the form for what we need to do. This needs to be handled ASAP.

Raffle for Spring Concert: Melissa has the old roll of raffle tickets we can use. There are some older gift cards (Pizza Johns-2, By the Docks (\$20), All American Steakhouse ?)-Melissa will try to find amounts for these. Kristina donated 3 (\$15 ea) Dunkin cards. Maybe do a gift card tree? We have a really nice basket worth over \$450 from Greg's Driving School. Oriole's and Raven's donation, Menchey gift card \$25, and Wegman's cards. Maybe just do 1 good basket in addition to the Greg's basket. Throw in some t-shirts. Stacy (her sister) will put together. Sell 1 for \$5 and 3 for \$10. Pre-sales. Robo Call. Make sure people bring cash. Spring Arts Festival will be going on-so there should be a good crowd. Need a cash drawer. Tri-M can help sell.

### **Instrumental Music Director's Report (Ms. Krawczyk):**

Concerts will be at 6:00/6:45/7:30. There shouldn't be a limit on how many can attend.

Raffle. Sell T-shirts? \$10 Need to publicize raffle. Could we get a Rita's truck or something for the future? (just need to make sure there is enough for everyone-has run out quickly in the past)

Towson Honor Orchestra- Approved that we pay \$90 for 3 students to attend on April 30<sup>th</sup>.

6 students did All County a week ago Sat. - was a crazy process, no music beforehand, lottery to be in it, 3 rehearsals.

Awards- we still have plenty of certificates. Need to order 30 letters-would also like to give to seniors who never received them. Juniors will get a pin (box of 25 for \$30) for the letter. Would

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like to order pens for the seniors. Wind Ens-13, Chamber Orch 10, Chorus 3. 26 -have some of the cases-but need to order all pens. Approx. \$25/person. Can present these at the last concert-need to get ordered asap to be able to do that.

The Cultural Coalescence experience was really good for Orchestra. Students loved it-was first opportunity for them to play for other students. They want them to do it every year.

Scholarship applications due April 22<sup>nd</sup>. Only 2 have been turned in.

**Chorus Director's Report (Mr. Dennis):**

Requesting a rug for the drum set because it is sliding. (approved and purchased during the meeting)

Grease! was great!

In a good routine in preparing for the concert. Music is close-will just need to clean up after Spring Break. Will be holding blind auditions for solos.

Virtual Solo Ensembles are happening next week. They will send in videos and get feedback.

**President's Report (Valerie Thaler):**

All of above conversations were addressed as well by president.

**TRI-M (Ms. Krawczyk read Carter's Report):**

Induction ceremony 2 weeks ago-over 30 new students.

The Eastern Inn has now been transformed into a restaurant called the Hungry Maverick. Trim-M will be having lunch there on April 22. 20 will attend. \$5 each. Elections will be discussed at next meeting.

**Treasurer's Report (Melissa Williams):**

Will update and send. Sweet Frog-we received \$20 (\$65 in sales). Difficult situation getting the check-probably shouldn't do this one again.

Will handle pizza for the students who stay through for concert night.

**Meeting Adjourned 7:30.**

**Next Meeting: May 2<sup>nd</sup> 6:30 (virtual)**

*Submitted by Kristina Harwood*

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Eastern Technical Music Boosters									
Treasurer's Report									
3/1/2022-3/31/2022									
Beginning Balance as of 3/1/2022									\$ 6,521.70
Deposits									
10-Mar	ATM Deposit 3/3/2022 Concert Donations								\$ 1,497.95
10-Mar	ATM Deposit 3/3/2022 Concert Donations								\$ 50.00
							Total:		\$ 1,547.95
Expenses									
1-Mar	Service Charge								\$ 17.00
7-Mar	Pizza Sauce (Pre Concert for Tri-M students 3/3/2022)								\$ 52.77
							Total:		\$ 69.77
Ending Balance as of		3/31/2022							\$ 7,999.88