



PTMB BOOSTER MEETING MINUTES  
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP January 8, 2025, 7:30 PM

Call to Order

Kim Mitchell

Approval of December Minutes

Anne Gavorcik

- Motion to approve the minutes - Molly McNally
- 2nd - Gina Avery
- Motion approved

Treasurer's Report

Madeline Huypen

- Motion to pass the financial statement
  - 1st - Cara Tomnay
  - 2nd - Joann Gudenburr
  - Motion approved
- Motion to pay the bills for January
  - 1st - Joann Gudenburr
  - 2nd - Molly McNally
  - Motion passed

Motion to pay the bills for January

Volunteer Update

Tanya Kotenoglou

- Sunday, January 12th volunteers are needed to go to Tanya's to put together baskets for Music and Meatballs

Committee Updates

- Dine & Donate Holly Wall
  - There have been four so far. The last one was a BJs.
  - March will be Chipotle.
  - There is a possibility to do Moe's as a fundraiser for Super Bowl Sunday.
- Lottery Calendar Wrap-up Carl & Judi Luisi
  - Calendar sales brought in \$16,025 with 641 calendars sold.
- Meatballs & Music (1/25/25) Sam McVicker & Julie Collins
  - Ticket Sales (online only)
    - 475 tickets have been sold.
    - The last day to buy tickets online is January 16th.
  - Signup to Volunteer
    - 55 volunteers are still needed. The 2nd half of the evening is when more volunteers are needed.
- M&M Baskets Kotenoglou/Sherwood/Mazzotta

- In addition to January regifting, we are still collecting PA scratch-off lottery tickets, artisan items, and any other NEW items for the baskets. We also have the option to make a monetary donation, or purchase an item from our Amazon wish list: [M&M Amazon wish list link](#)
- We are also looking for donations of unwanted Kohls cash.
- Scholarship Committee Madeline Huypen
  - The entire scholarship packet is put together.
  - Scholarship application will be put out later this week or next week.
- Bylaws Committee Camille Bodnar
  - Committee needs to be formed. The [bylaws](#) are subject to review every odd year by a special committee consisting of at least 1 member of the Executive Board and at least 2 Active Members from the General Membership.
  - Molly McNally volunteered for the committee.
- Nominating Committee Kim Mitchell
  - Committee consisting of 3 active members from the general membership needs to be formed, see [Bylaws](#) page 3 for responsibilities.
  - Mandy Feitt and Joanne Gudenburr volunteered for the committee.

#### School Sponsor Update

Mr. McGough

PMEA District 1 Orchestra Festival is January 9-11 at Bethel Park HS - Ava Chismar (violin), Benjamin Price (viola), and Edward Kim (oboe) will participate

PMEA District 1 Band West Festival is January 23-23 at Hampton HS – Edward Kim (oboe) and Lily Goldbach (bass clarinet) will participate

PMEA District Choir is February 6-7 at Mt. Lebanon HS – Ava Chismar and Audrey Jeswilkowski will participate

The entire 5<sup>th</sup> grade class will travel from McMurray Elementary to the HS for a performance on 1/27 at 10 AM where they will see the HS Orchestra, Band, and Room 100 perform

The HS Band and Orchestra will travel to Bower Hill and PV to perform for all 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> graders in late winter

Room 100 will perform at the PTMS on 2/7, and at the senior citizen luncheon on 2/12

The directors are excited because there are very large numbers of elementary students participating in music, and retention seems to be up. There is also a positive, perceptible shift in the social attitude towards students who participate in music at the middle school level.

#### Motion to Adjourn

Kim Mitchell

- 1st - Gina Avery
- 2nd - Alan Skillings

**Dates to Remember**

Jan. 25 - Meatballs & Music

February 12, 2025 - next PTMB meeting, we will be voting on the trip discount amount.

April 23 - 27 - Spring Band/Choir Trip