

FAB Meeting Minutes

Date: October 10, 2023

Next Meeting: November 14, 2023

<p><u>Agenda</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Theatre2. Orchestra3. Visual Arts4. Treasurer	<p><u>Attendees</u></p> <p>Ms. Lewis, Carrie Pearson, Christy Purdy, Mr. Comparatore, Jean Marie Andersen, Christian Tomforde, Wendy Younkin, Ms. Poppe, Ravisha Weerasinghe, Kim Phillips, Cristina Middleton, Sonali Nalkur</p>
<p><u>Meeting Notes</u></p> <p><u>1. Theatre</u></p> <p><u>-Fall Play</u> The show opens in two days; everything is going well. The seating chart will be used for tickets, and 3 cash boxes will be needed. There's a spirit night event at Handel's after each show, and at PDQ all day Monday.</p> <p><u>-NCTC</u> The Vertical Raise fundraiser brought in about \$5600 of the \$7000 goal. The hotel is reserved and restaurants planned; snacks left from NCTAE will be used for the trip; the bus is reserved and a truck is organized. Sweatshirts will be provided for first-time students, returners will have to pay if they'd like a new one.</p> <p><u>-Theatre IV</u> Show in November, will share poster; ITS will create t-shirts for the performance.</p> <p><u>-NCTAE</u> A huge thank-you to parents who helped make the event run smoothly!</p> <p><u>2.Orchestra</u></p> <p><u>-Fundraiser</u> The Vertical Raise event ended recently and brought in about \$7000, which is almost half of the goal.</p>	<p><u>Action Items</u></p> <p><u>1. Orchestra Concert</u></p> <p>Autumn, Wendy, and Ravisha will help with ticket and merch sales at the door.</p> <p><u>2. Website Update</u></p> <p>Ms. Poppe will get logos/artwork for the donors to Wendy to publish on the website.</p>

-Wake County Musical Festival The one-day field trip to Meredith College for selected Strings students will take place Oct. 18th; it will end with a concert at 6pm, which is open to parents and other guests this year. The PSAT is also going on this day, and arrangements have been made for students participating in both.

-Fall Concert The concert is on the 24th; a guest conductor was at GH last Friday to work with students on their concert pieces; many helpful tips were provided. The poster is ready to publish; Christian will add the tickets to the FAB Store/\$5 a ticket, and two cash boxes will be needed for the evening of the show.

-Orchestra Club The club is meeting with Salem MS students, and we'll see how it goes with the different tracks over there.

3. Visual Arts

-Tiles for the Stadium We're trying to get these finished by Homecoming Game time.
NC State Fair Six pieces of art will be entered, representing grades 10-12; top prize winners receive cash awards.

4. Treasurer

-Taxes have been filed.
-Sponsors/Donors so far include Bovenizer and Baker, Rachel Brown CPA, and Moe's.