

Valdosta Choral Guild

Board Meeting Minutes

August 10, 2015

The regular meeting of the Valdosta Choral Guild Board of Directors was held at Messiah Lutheran Church on Monday, July 13 at 7:00 pm. The following members were present: Ann Evbry, Polly Diamond, Ralph Gosnell, Nick Gumley, Jana Gumley, Ronda Paoletti, Patti Erskine, Mary Boyd, Judy Bennett, Paulette Butts, and Jim Rinehart.

Review/ Approval of Minutes

Ann Embry called the meeting to order at 7:20 pm. The secretary's report for July, 13, 2015 was approved as corrected.

Treasurer's Report:

The total before the meeting was \$6,224.49. A proposed budget for the FY16 concert season was presented and discussed. A motion to approve the budget was made by Jim and seconded by Jana' the motion passed unanimously. Renewal of the web address was discussed. Ann will check with Brittany about which company has our web address.

President's Report

The first rehearsal is next Monday, August 17. Board was asked to arrive by 7:00 to greet people. The Valdosta Daily Times article will be printed this week. Nick will send a mass email to members regarding the first rehearsal.

The concert venue this year will be St, John's Catholic Church. The Holiday concert will be Sunday, December 13, at 4:30, and Monday, December 14, at 7:30; dress rehearsal will be on Saturday, December 12 (time to be set later). The spring concert is set tentatively for May 1 & 2 with dress rehearsal April 30.

We still need a concert venue for the Holiday Concert. Ralph will check with Jim Rinehart about whether or not St, John's is an option.

Librarian's Report:

The piece from the Messiah needs to be copied. *African Noel* is on backorder. *A La Nanita Nana* will be ordered when we know how many sopranos and altos we have.

Music Director's report:

No report.

Social Chairman's Report:

We will have a opening social at someone's home, on a Friday evening, possibly September 18, 2015.

Adjourn: The meeting was adjourned at 8:00.

Respectfully submitted

Jean Plondke, Secretary