

Valdosta Choral Guild

Board Meeting Minutes

January 4, 2016

The regular meeting of the Valdosta Choral Guild Board of Directors was held at Messiah Lutheran Church on Monday, January 4, 2016, at 7:30 pm. The following members were present: Polly Diamond, Ralph Gosnell, Ronda Paoletti, Patti Erskine, Judy Bennett, Jana Gumley, Nick Gumley, Terry Erskine, Sally Honeycutt, Jim Rinehart, Mary Boyd, Ann Embry, and Jean Plondke.

Review/ Approval of Minutes

Ann Embry called the meeting to order at 7:52 pm.

Minutes were approved as amended.

Treasurer's Report:

The total before the meeting was \$8,473.55. The treasurer's report was accepted.

President's Report: Discussion was held about the amount (if any) to pay for the rehearsal site.

We need to set dates for concerts for next year in order to book St. Johns (it was agreed that that was a good site).

Jim wants fund raiser suggestions.

Music Director's Report

Ronda suggests that the next concert should be music from the movies. She suggests the title of "Movie Musical Magic". The list of music that she suggested was agreed upon. It included:

My Favorite Things

Fascinating Rhythm

Over the Rainbow

Music Man Medley

Lydia the Tattoo Lady

As Time Goes By

The Impossible Dream

Kokomo

Unchained Melody

My Heart Will Go On

Les Mis Medley

Phantom of the Opera

Hooray for Hollywood

The pieces that we don't already own will cost about \$1000 to purchase. This was agreed upon.

Then we had a discussion of accompanist. Ronda was reluctant to fire anyone, but it was agreed that Angela plays better than Leanne, and therefore Angela is the accompanist that we want. Ronda will talk to them both.

Next Monday all board members who are able will gather at 7 to help get music into the envelopes.

Adjourn:

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted

Jean Plondke, Secretary