

# Valdosta Choral Guild

## Board Meeting Minutes

January 9, 2017

The regular meeting of the Valdosta Choral Guild Board of Directors was held at Messiah Lutheran Church on Monday, January 9 at 6:30 pm. The following members were present: Patti Erskine, Terry Erskine, Jim Rinehart, Melody Erskine, Adrienne Reissiger, Ralph Gosnell, Brenda Lipscomb, Mary Boyd, Dave Young, Judy Bennett, Rhonda Folsom, and Jean Plondke.

Jim Rinehart called the meeting to order at 6:33 pm.

### **President's Report:**

Jim introduced Rhonda Folsom, our new social chairman.

### **Social Committee Report:**

Rhonda introduced the idea of an ice breaker for us to get to know others in the group.

### **Vice President's Report:**

Ralph will get the site for the banner.

### **Membership Report:**

Dave will get tags printed to organize and computerize the music library.

### **Librarian Report:**

Judy says that 3 songs are still to come, the rest are ready to go.

### **Director's Report:**

Adrienne says that she has nothing to report except to talk about the accompanist. Cory will be back, but he wants to be paid differently – up front. We agreed to pay him monthly and to deduct a sub's pay from his pay if he misses a rehearsal. We will pay \$125 per month on the last Monday of the month, the remainder at the end. This was moved, seconded and approved.

### **Treasurer's Report:**

Mary says that we have about \$10,000 in the bank after the Christmas concert. The fall music cost was under budget. We will have another raffle at the spring concert, but no more patron money.

We need to start saving for a new banner – and then the discussion was “does the banner pay off?”

**Review/ Approval of Minutes**

The minutes were approved, and meeting adjourned at 7 pm.

Respectfully submitted

Jean Plondke, Secretary