

Clinton County Music Educators Association meeting
Tuesday, December 5, 2017, 6:00 PM, Plattsburgh Brewing Company

Attendance: Brian Baker, JoLee Yeddo, Elisha Harrington, Matt Snyder, Daryle Redmond, Alex Malsan, Carolyn Willson, Patrick Towey

1. Call to Order at 6:04

2. Secretary's Report

- a. Reading and approval of the minutes from September 5, 2017
Motion to approve minutes by JoLee, Alex seconds. Motion carries.

3. Treasurer's Report

- Every school has paid dues.
- Music and hotel rooms were purchased for All-County
- The music budget went \$19 over for music purchases.
- We will be spending for two honorariums (two paid conductors) and an accompanist this year.
- Motion to approve report by Matt, seconded by Daryle. Motion carries.

4. Officers' Reports

5. Festival Report

a. Area All-State

- it was amazing and well-done. There was a brief discussion of the summer NYSSMA conference possibly being held at the conference center in Lake Placid.

b. All-County

- reminder to teachers to give their students conductors' notes for the pieces. Schedule will come out after Christmas (think January).

c. PEAK

- Megan: PEAK is April 14th at Peru. Registrations are due January 31st. Guest clinician will be SUNY Step Team.

d. NYSSMA

- festival in May. Registration for solo festival is online (gdoig.com).
- Beekmantown is hosting solo festival. **Registration opens on February 5, 2018. Registration closes in March.**
- Major Festival is in Lake Placid.

6. Old business

7. New Business

a. Administrator meeting

-Brian attended the Zone 6 meeting at Area All-State. There was a concern about upcoming staffing issues (shortages). Brian suggested bringing a variety of our administrators to our All-County meeting in February to address our current issues. Discussion ensues. Brian is researching potentials.

Patrick Towey arrived at 6:21 pm.

b. New Learning Standards for Music - transition year

-Apparently everybody needs to be trained on the new Core Arts Standards.

8. Announcements

9. Adjournment at 6:36. Motion by Patrick, seconded by Matt. Motion carries.

Upcoming meetings (2017 - 2018)

CCMEA General Membership Meeting - Saturday February 3, 2018, All-County Festival (SCS), time TBD

PEAK End of Year Meeting - Tuesday June 5, 2018, 6 PM, location TBD

CCMEA End of Year General Membership Meeting - Tuesday June 5, 2018, 7 PM, location TBD

Respectfully submitted,
Carolyn Wilson
CCMEA Secretary