

Pearland HS Musical Meeting Minutes/Notes

Date of Meeting: December 5, 2023

Meeting called to order at 6p by Audra Anderson.

*In Attendance.

PISD Staff: Simpson

Musical Board Members: Audra Anderson (Chair), Dustin Anderson (float build), Linda Roberts, Pam Van Maaren (Chair), Melissa Washington (Community Events), Anitra Frederick (Secretary), James Frederick (webmaster), Renee Nichols, Wendee DeLano (Costumes), Pam DeMartino, Sara Jones, Eboni Granger, Guest: Kelly -- (sister-in-law of Sara Jones)

*Approval of Minutes.

Previous meeting – 11.14.23 & 11.28.23 musical board meeting minutes reviewed and approved. Motion to approve Pam Van Maaren. Second by Sara Jones.

*Committee Business

1) **Pearland Christmas Parade Recap, Dec 2** – Talk of Pearland comments (general statements about the parade): Too many candy canes. Too quiet. We may consider mixing up the candy canes with other options next year. We ran out of flyers and candy-canes – make more next year. This year had the largest crowd in Pearland parade history. We had amazing decorations.

2) **Car Wash** that we contemplated holding on **Dec 9**: We aren't going to do this. Too many other commitments on the plate.

3) **Dance Camp, Jan 13.**

What songs will they be learning? (Ask Savannah and Micah – dance captains will teach the dances)

Have we booked the performance gym and other spaces for the event? Audra Anderson and Simpson will check this.

What is the budget? \$1000. (Cut the cost from last year)

Registration is open now until Dec 13 for \$75. After that time it goes to \$100 from 12/13-20.

Posted to facebook. Share with your friends, neighbors, family.

We have had 11 registrations to date via the website.

4) **Part of Your World Party, Feb 3** – Planning for a total of 276 attendees. 38 rounds tables of 6. Students are able to sell tickets to recoup musical costs until Dec 20. After students turn in their unsold tickets, we'll be able to get a count of how many tickets remain. Remaining tickets will be made available on the website for the party.

Note: Please keep your brown paper from (amazon) packages you receive over the next few weeks. Melissa has a plan for this paper. (Brown butcher paper)

3-year-old and younger are free. However, they will need to sit on a lap. If the young child wants a seat please buy a ticket.

5) **Musical Budget.** Tabled to next meeting.

6) **Jewelry/Merchandising** opportunity sales for musical. Sister-in-Law of Sara Jones, Kelly --, makes jewelry. She brought possible merchandise items we could sell. Price range? Kelly -- will provide a description and quote for Audra Anderson.

7) **Musical Meals** – Feeding: 55 cast & 21 crew + directors/volunteers. We need to start planning meals. Ideas: Meal #8 Dino-nuggets & French fries (Jan 31, pick-up rehearsal), Pasta Meal, Meal #11 (Feb 4) = 30 pizzas and dessert (strike day), Meal #7 donated by the Mejia family (Jan 27).

8) Other Updates:

HeadShots are back from Mike Fox. We'll do smaller pictures than last year to fit everyone on the board.

PlayBill – no volunteers yet to put it together. Any takers...?? Audra Anderson is currently collecting and saving playbill ads being submitted by families.

Next Musical Board Meeting: Tuesday, Dec 12, 5pm (Theatre booster meeting will be held at 6:30p)

***Adjournment.**

Audra Anderson adjourned the meeting at 6:51pm.

Signed – *Anitra Frederick*; PHS Musical Board Secretary

Date of minutes editing and completion 12-12-2023