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DISTRICT 1 Spring Meeting

May 31, 2019

AGENDA (for meetings meeting minutes/district report, simply type discussion for each agenda item)

PRE-MEETING: **Dinner & Celebration**

- Call to order and introductions, Attendance
 - Jill call to order
 - Katie 2nd
 - Attendance: Jill, Emily, Kaitlyn, Katie, Debe, Elliot, Scott
- Approval of today's agenda
- Approval of FALL 2018 meeting minutes
 - No new business
- MSVMA January 2019 Full Board meeting update
 - Updated about committee's instead of "full board" and how restructuring is taking place. Most of our 2019 "full Board" meeting was a District manager's meeting, discussing dates for the upcoming years.
- Receive treasurer's report
 - Shared that we have a sufficient "cushion" in the bank account. Exact number wasn't shared, but we are in the black for D1.
- Report on District 1 Festivals 2018, 2019 (Reflection)
 - Mass Choir Festival:
 - Comments:
 - Finding a place big enough for all the students. Men's rehearsal room was too small. Church worked better than LHS, but still had issues with space.
 - Rep Ideas for next year:
 - Finalize rep by next Friday, June 7!
 - MS/HS Solo & Ensemble:
 - Comments: Keep it the same, discussed moving to November, but too many were in conflict with shared band students.
 - MS/HS Choral Festival:
 - Comments: Keep it the same

- Festival dates for 2019-2020
 - Mass Choir Festival
 - Date: TBD by Friday!
 - Location: Ludington / Shelby
 - Host:
 - MS/HS Solo & Ensemble
 - Date : Jan 28, 2020
 - Location – West Shore Community College
 - Host – Ted Malt
 - MS/HS Choral Festival
 - Date : Feb 18, 2020
 - Location – McBain
 - Host – Jill Neverth

- Festival dates for 2021 to present at the District Managers Workshop this summer ...
 - MS/HS Solo & Ensemble
 - Date : **Jan 26, 2021**
 - Location– **West Shore Community College**
 - Host – **Ted Malt**
 - MS/HS Choral Festival
 - Date : **Feb 23, 2021**
 - Location –**TBD**
 - Host – **TBD**
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- State nominations:
 - Executive Board President Elect (2020)
 - None
 - Executive Board Treasurer (2020)
 - None
 - Executive Board Secretary (2020)
 - None
 - Executive Board Director of State Festivals (Choral and Solo & Ensemble) (2020)
 - None
 - Executive Board Director of Specialized Festivals (2020)
 - None
 - Executive Board Director of Summer Conference and Michigan Youth Arts Festival (2020)
 - None

SUGGESTIONS for HC Directors to be given to the HC Committee

- MS Honors Choir Directors (MMC 2021)

- (6-7-8, SA)
 - (7-8-9, SSA)
 - (7-8-9, TTB)
 - HS Honors Choir Directors (MMC 2021)
 - (SSAA)
 - (TTBB) Elliot Plummer
 - (SATB) Scott Emelander
 - Teacher of the Year
 - Katie McInnis
 - Emeritus Membership
 - None
- District 1 concerns to be presented to the Executive Board
 - **Comments: Change Repertoire list / Required. No required repertoire, no required sight-reading level. Let the directors decide what is best for their students success**
 - **More repertoire options for blended grades, 6-12, etc. or specifically more clarification on what 6-12 choirs should do. Is it really best to have HS students singing MS repertoire? Is it really best to have MS students singing HS repertoire if a mixed group? Many choirs are now in this situation, so directors need more clarification, specifically written on the website for their situation.**
 - **Special Ed Accomodations for MSVMA events, Large print, etc. Who would be in charge of this? Does MSVMA have any policy in place we aren't aware of? What happens for soloists when they have a school IEP and accommodations but those accommodations are not available at S&E for example.**
- Other Business
 - District 1 Managers for 2019-2020 - nominations and vote
 - **Could District Manager be someone who is retired or not a teacher?**
 - Next Meeting
 - Date: **August 28th, 2019: Katie's House,**
 - Location: **Katie's House (Blue Cloud as alternate option)**
- Adjournment
 - Motion: Jill
 - 2nd: Emily

POST-MEETING: