

**Nashua High School South  
Music Boosters Association  
General Membership Meeting  
April 7, 2010**

Attending: Carolyn Kasten, Barbara Griffey, Diane Duras, Cathy Ringey, Adrienne Marshall, Laurie Heskett, Sean Neary, Christina Humber, Barb Young, Kevin Boghigian, Gary DePaolo, Ann Peters, Sharon Gray, Deb Dufresne, Eileen Hirsch, Lori Lerude, Julie Williams, Carol Weeks, Robin DePaolo.

Meeting called to order at 7:05 pm by Carolyn Kasten.

1. Approval of March's minutes: After an amendment to the minutes regarding a change to the email address listed for the Nominating Committee, a motion was made by Sean Neary to accept the minutes, seconded by Gary DePaolo; motion passed unanimously.
2. Director's Reports: On behalf of Mr. Courounis, Carolyn thanked all of the volunteers who helped out at Nashua Plays; it was a huge success. A reminder that Jazz Night is Wednesday, April 14 in the Cafeteria at 7:00 pm; the evening will feature the Pelham Memorial Middle School Jazz Band, the South Jazz Choir, Jazz Band and Honor's Jazz Band. And a reminder that the Spring Concert is Thursday, May 20 at 7:00 pm.
3. Spirit Committee: Carolyn Kasten and Barbara Griffey reported profits of \$600 from the Nashua Plays tee shirts and \$49 from the sale of carnations.
4. Yearbook Committee: Carolyn reported that the yearbook is under way and going well; there have been a lot of picture submissions.
5. Restaurant Fundraisers: Cathy Ringey reported that the next Uno's night is Thursday, April 8. We have recently received checks from Pizza Hut for \$48.61 and Shorty's for \$37.42.
6. Modell's Fundraiser: We have received a check for \$54.13.

7. Treasurer's Report: Sharon Gray gave a brief explanation of the monthly activity. There was a discussion of trip payments including recouping the charges for bounced checks. A motion was made by Christina Humber to accept the Treasurer's Report, seconded by Cathy Ringey; motion passed unanimously.

8. Special Guest Speakers former Nashua Mayor Jim Donchess, Deb Dufresne and Kim Muise. They are representing an effort to convince the city to put \$2 million back into our schools to get us back on top. If you are interested in finding out more about this effort, please visit their Facebook group "Nashua Schools-Back on Top" or send an email to [nashuaschoolsbackontop@gmail.com](mailto:nashuaschoolsbackontop@gmail.com).

9. Jazz night will be held Wednesday, April 14 with set up starting at 5:30 pm; if you can help out, please stop by.

10. Elections: The slate of nominees are: Carolyn Kasten for President; Eileen Hirsch for Vice-President; Julie Williams for Secretary; Christina Humber and Patty Brault for Treasurers; Kevin Boghigian, Sean Neary and Ann Peters for Directors at Large. Paper ballots were cast and counted for the Directors at Large and the winners are Kevin Boghigian and Ann Peters.

11. There was a discussion to change the final budget statement to June because of the May meeting is too soon after the Orlando trip. Carolyn made the motion, Kevin seconded it; the motion passed unanimously.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 8:53 pm by Eileen Hirsch. The next General Booster meeting will be Tuesday, May 4, 2010 at 7:00 pm in the Career Center.

Respectfully submitted,  
Barbara Griffey  
Secretary  
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