

Washington High School PPA
Meeting Minutes
October 6, 2009

President Lisa Thirnbeck called the meeting to order at 6:05 pm and welcomed everyone. Thirty-two people were in attendance.

Executive Committee Reports

Secretary- The September 3, 2009 minutes were approved.

Treasurer- The Treasurer's Report presented by Danielle Rings was approved. Danielle Rings reported that the PPA membership is approximately \$1,100.00 behind last year at this time. She reminded everyone that all expenses must be approved by committee chairs.

Program

Dr. Gerald Kreitzer presented the program. He gave an update on all choral groups and show choirs. Dr. Kreitzer presented two handouts he prepared for the meeting. One from Dr. Kreitzer and Matthew Armstrong highlighting the many activities underway in the choral program and also the 2009-10 Choral Department Performance Schedule.

Committee Reports

Hall of Fame-Shelly Bell reported on potential nominees for induction into The PPA Hall of Fame at the musical "Into the Woods" on November 14. Mr. Bill Lammers discussed Dave Schmoldt, WHS alum who has volunteered extensively for Washington High School and the Cedar Rapids community including Theatre Cedar Rapids. Shelly Bell moved that Dave Schmoldt be inducted into the Hall of Fame, Len Struttman seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Buy If For A Song! Auction-Cyndie Birchansky gave an update on the auction including the new logo. There is a need for additional volunteers.

Endowment-Lisa Thirnbeck reported there is \$72,000 in the endowment account with no recommendation at this time.

Band-Anne Salamon reported that band parents are starting a campaign to purchase new band uniforms. The goal is \$25,000. The campaign will involve a paper model and the goal will be to dress the band member as money is raised.

Thank You! Lisa Thirnbeck expressed thanks to the Directors and the students for the concerts this month.

The meeting adjourned at 6:40 pm.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, November 3, 2009 in the Little Theater. Ms. Carrie Fattig, Drama Director, will present the program.

Diana Neppl, Secretary