**Falls Choir Association**

General Meeting

Nov. 15, 2023

**Attendees**

Brian Scheehle

Jody Lau

Deb Verville

Shawn Dean

Amy Dean

Becky Thompson

Charles Thompson

Jake Stujenske

Rebecca Stujenske

Cindy Bugiel

Paula Roberson

**Director’s update**

Kelly Francis unable to attend

**Kringle sale**

* Monday, Nov. 20, 2-4:30 p.m. pick up in choir room

**Jingle Bell Craft Fair (Nov. 19, 2023**)

* Vendor Update
	+ All full
	+ New – food truck
	+ Popcorn vendor outside
* Food - Rebecca Stujenske
	+ Kitchen staff
		- Been in contact with Brian, she is coordinating (Jeff)
		- Scott may be the onsite person
		- Confirm can use the warmers
		- Otherwise need to ask for Nescos, Crock Pots
	+ Menu/pricing
		- Same as 2022
		- Order forms
	+ Sam’s Club shopping
		- Rebecca and Becky going on Friday
		- Reducing number of hot dogs
	+ Set up Saturday
		- Some food in kitchen; most by raffle table
	+ Start coffee and muffins Sunday at 6 a.m.
		- Ready for when doors open at 6 a.m./someone lets us in
	+ Food for 2024
		- Have to purchase through the District
		- Food should be similar, may be not hot ham
		- Soda? Or can we bring in if packaged?
* Bake Sale – Becky Thompson/Shawn Dean
	+ Sign-up genius Brian found confusing
		- Skimmable format
		- Two drop off dates is plenty (Thursday/Friday); send it with kids
		- Will depend upon what Shawn wants to do next year
		- Deb didn’t get sign-up for bake sale
	+ Every year the stuff we get is better
		- Being specific with what we want helps
	+ Sugar cookies – may not ask for next year (might be Shawn)
	+ Restrictions with bagging
	+ 2022 made more money than before
* Social Media
	+ Keep pushing the information
* Volunteers
	+ Open slots (6:30-9 a.m.)
		- Keegan Dean will help and earn football volunteering credits
		- Shawn will see if any more football players want to volunteer
	+ Middle School Choir
		- Are the parents being informed of volunteer hours can be banked toward trip
		- Next year (October) having a District choir meeting (6-12 grades)
			* At North Middle School (auditorium)
			* Brian and Kelly explain the trips, volunteer hours, choir association, etc.
			* Consider also communicating with 5thgrade parents who are going into 6th grade
		- Middle School Schoology bulletin had small blurb at the end
		- High School Schoology bulletin also had small blurb
			* Callie Lenz – contact to get onto high school bulletin
		- District email featured it
* Online Tickets
	+ Very few/ nobody purchased online
	+ Scheehle shared QR code
	+ Cindy B will create shareable FaceBook event
	+ Will have a cash line and a QR code credit card line
	+ Cindy did all the signs
* Yard Signs
	+ Is it possible to get a list of choir student
	+ Deb has more in her van
	+ Possible to have yard signs next year for first concerts (third week in October), all-choir meeting following week

**Treasurer update**

**Executive board meeting**

* Dec. 13 (6:30 p.m.) at Rebecca Stujenske’s house
* Bylaw review
* Bring snacks
* Brian, Ruth, Rebecca, Cindy, Amy, Jody
* Kelly invited (hasn’t RSVPed yet)