

## LLSC Team Meeting, 8/4/22 9am

Present: Anita, Ami, Lorraine, JoyBeth, Jan, Rose, Myreta, Joanne

Myreta Finance Coordinator:

- Explained her invoices and has changed them recently to read more easily. From now on, she will send an invoice to members when she gets them from SAI to avoid confusion. She will send them again the following month to remind them if it's not been paid.
- Coaching money currently available:  $\$1025.51 + \$69 = \$1094.51$  Myreta explained that the monies are "flusher" in certain categories.
- Discussion was had about raising dues or doing more fund-raisers but decided not to raise dues at this time.
- We don't have a coaching fee amount from Niki yet but hope to have that soon.
- There was a short discussion about someone looking into grants we might be able to receive. This was tabled as we don't know anyone who would be able or knows how to go about this at this time. Perhaps make an announcement?

JoyBeth ~ Fall Festival

- JoyBeth has spoken to Marilyn and Delia but nothing to report at this time.

Rose ~ Facility

- We nearly lost our facility but Jan spoke to them and John is opening the door until 6:30pm on Mondays when everyone should be on the risers.
- After 6:30 someone will be on call to open for those later than 6:30pm.
- During our coaching with Niki, John will be there until coaching begins and Anita will be available by phone to open for those who arrive late.
- Rose said we shouldn't do parties at the facility and especially if there will be food served, we should have it in someone's home.
- Someone took our music stand and Jan or Rose will talk to Dennis about it being returned.

Joanne ~ Events

- Joanne spoke to the woman about singing at the tribute for MLK day in January. When she told the woman the fee we would need, she said she would get back to Joanne. She will contact her again at a later date.

Anita ~ Membership

- Anita talked about the need for streamlining the process of getting our members' names onto the Region 11 website. We've had some difficulty with the time it takes to get them into SAI then Region 11. She is going to speak to Oregon Spirit Chorus in Region 12, to see if they have the same difficulty.

#### Ami ~ Director

- Ami explained her plans for the coaching weekend with Niki. Friday will be dedicated to Vocal Production. Saturday we will work on "I Never Knew.." This will be helpful to put what we learned on Friday into this song. We will also be singing "Go the Distance."
- Ami talked about her contract and the fact that she hasn't signed it at this point. Discussion was had about gifting Jan and Rose money for their dedication and directing each week. It was decided they would be given some of the director's pay and it won't change their tax bracket.
- Ami wants to use her points for travel when she can as she travels much more now with her new job. This will help with the travel funds for Niki's coaching now and others we receive in the future.
- We still don't have an amount for Niki's fee for coaching but Ami is still trying to get that information from her, to this date.
- Ami really likes the "lessons" that are being done on every other Monday evening rehearsal. Joanne is scheduled to do the next on this coming Monday, the 8<sup>th</sup>.
- It was decided to only use the cost of gas and not use the "per miles" for trips to contest or other events in the future.

Next Meeting ~ September 8, 9am via Zoom

Anita Treichel