BSIMA Board Meeting Wednesday, January 15, 2025 7:30 p.m. Location: Earl Oxford Music Room

Meeting Minutes (recorded by Kaylah Knight)

PRESENT:; Financial Officer, Chris Veilleux; Vice-President, Chris Desormeau; Communication Officer, Kaylah Knight; Admin Officer, Melissa Jansen; Westside Band Director, Graydon Cramer; Grade 7 Band Director, Brooklyn Friesen; Eastside Band Director, Erin Dodds; Eastside Rep, Sean White; Alexander School Music Director, Kelsey Brown; CPN Band Director, Anna Penno; VMMA Band Director, Meaghan Graham; CPN Rep, Barb Schram; Westside Rep, Kim Melvin; VMMA Rep. Penny Pierce

Regrets: President, Cosmin Badea

I Introductions

Start 7:46

II Approval of Jan 15, 2025 Agenda

Motion made by: Kaylah 2nd by: Chris Veilleux

Cd: Approved

- III Approval of November 20, 2024, Meeting Minutes
 - Erin and Chris D were not in attendance
 - Old business: Bases (not cases) are not in great shape

Motion made by: Shawn

2nd by: Barb Cd: Approved

IV Approval of Nov/Dec, 2024, Financial Report

Motion made to accept the financial report as presented

by: Chris Veilleux 2nd by: Kaylah Cd: Approved

- V Administrative Officer's Report Melissa Jansen as presented
- VI Band Directors' Reports as presented

VII Old Business

- a) Summer Cleaning & Repair Sub Committee Follow-up
 - Tender has been made, Melissa, Shawn and Brooklyn had a meeting and discussed what is needed for cleaning and repairs for summer.
 - Only options seem to be St. Johns and Brent
 - Negotiations for terms and comparing cost and accessibility
 - Using examples of other Tenders to review
 - Some devotions own their own instruments
 - Reaching out to other contacts even in the US: seeking out other Tender options.

Action Item: Brooklyn (Presentation pending) at next meeting

- b) Community Instrument Rental Parameters Sub Committee Follow-up
 - 7PM Jan 30th meeting
 - Continued topic as Old business for further discussion at the next meeting

VIII New Business

- a) Music Monday Funding: Tabled till next meeting
- b) Administrative Officer Contract Sub Committee
 - Erin, Chair: *Chris D. +
- c) Budget Prep Sub Committee
 - Chris, Chair: *Melissa, Cosmin, Brooklyn
- d) By-Laws Review & Constitution Review Sub Committee
 - Anna, Chair: *Chris D., Kaylah

- e) Supply Request From The School of Music at Brandon University
 - Letter from The School of Music March 12th-17th Festival
 - Band Directors approved
 - Concerns with proper transportation with equipment and instruments
 - U-hal rent \$120
 - Vending instruments: forms for each school to sign in and out instruments
 - Students from BU will be moving the instruments
 - Van/Enclosed vehicle with a ramp
 - How do you plan to track each instatement to return to it's proper location in the same working order it left in.
 - Rental forms signed to say they have position of the instruments
 - Have the instruments back On Monday by Noon.

Motion made to proceed with Jazz festival request to The School of Music contingent on satisfactory response to our questions.

Motion: Shawn, Seconded: Chris V.

Cd: Approved

IX Miscellaneous

Erin petitioned for continued use of instruments for Honour Band

Motion: Kaylah Second: Chris V. Cd: Approved

X Adjournment

8:37 Meeting Adjourned

Next Meeting: Wednesday, February 19, 2025 – 7:30 pm Location: Earl Oxford