

BPA Meeting Minutes  
March 9, 2021 7:30pm  
Recorded by Elizabeth Malatesta

### **Director's Update**

Mr. Mossa

- Communication was sent to hybrid students explaining that in person wind instruments are now allowed to be played indoors. Distancing, bell covers, masks, air cycle (period of time after 30 min for air to recycle with ventilation) will need to be in place.
- Co-curricular - percussion rehearsing right now. Putting together a moving and playing performance. Will allow spectators to come in for indoor events and can have a concert. Will include Winter Guard as well - preparing performances.
- Jazz band continues to be virtual - still ironing out details and info should be coming soon.

### **BPA Update**

#### **Nominations for next year's new board**

- 6 out of 10 positions via by-laws will need to vacate (President, Vice-President, Co-treasurer, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Membership Secretary)
- Patti Abela and Rupali Kumar are part of the Nominating Committee. If anyone is interested in any positions, please reach out to either one.

#### **Spring Banquet**

- Plans are being made
- Most likely will not look like years past.
- Goal is to offer something to celebrate our students. Freshman may receive their letters and we'll have a farewell to the Seniors.
- Patti Abela is the banquet chair. Need 3-4 more volunteers to help come up with a plan. What can or can't we do. Need to come up with the best plan given the restrictions. Patti's contact will be placed on the website so those interested in volunteering can reach out to her.
- Venue off campus may be better suited so we wouldn't conflict with another school event.

#### **Fundraising**

- Lost a huge opportunity to fundraise for the past two years.
- Patty Walsh is currently the Fundraiser Chair.
- We are currently planning another clothing drive.
- Restaurant nights will need to also be scheduled.