

Marcus H.S. Theatre Booster Club  
Parent Meeting  
September 15,2020  
Zoom 6:30 pm

Attendance: Denise Tooch Head Director, Taylor Mudd Associate Director  
Grayson Merchant Technical Director, Holly Soape President, Nicole Applegate Volunteers  
Jennifer Patrick Publicity, Lysva Olenkiewicz Treasurer, Audrey Mylett Secretary

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Also the general public

Holly calls the meeting at 6:33

We have assigned a Minute Approval Committee:

Marla Allen: [marlaallen0727@gmail.com](mailto:marlaallen0727@gmail.com)

Julie Lawford: [julie\\_lawford@yahoo.com](mailto:julie_lawford@yahoo.com)

Lyndsay Roome: [lyndsayroome@hotmail.com](mailto:lyndsayroome@hotmail.com)

Treasurer Report: Is attached

Lys lets us know that Charlene Matthews will be our Monthly Bank Statement Reviewer.

We have a motion to approve

Approved Holly , Julie , Jenn

Need Motion to approve Treasure Report.

Motion Approved by Holly, Julie Jen

Reconciliation Report was read by treasurer.

Motion to approve the report as presented.

Approved Holly Julie Jenn

The FR report will be filed for the 2021 Financial Reconciliation.

Suggestion was to join the good neighbor program at Tom Thumb

No budget amendments at this time.

Nicole talks about positions that are open and will be open next school year.

There is a sign up genius where people can go to look at the positions and

Sign up.

Some are Scholarship Committee, Financial Reconciliation Committee

Nomination Committee

Jenn states a critical role is the web page take over, they would have to update all booster information.

Holly goes over Booster Fees.

Which is \$60.00 and you can go to the theater web page to purchase.

Jenn states they will be active later this evening.

It also allows the Seniors to possibly receive an available scholarship.

It also gives you the member the right to vote.

All members of the Board has their email address available on the website

Holly goes over the Tempest Show Fee and what it includes.

\$20.00 which includes two boxed meals.

The choices for the boxed meals will be on a google form when you pay your show fee.

The Tempest T-shirt is 20.00 and is an optional purchase.

Playbills will be online and we will only be doing personal ads

.No business ads.

You can find all the information on the Theatre website.

You can pay with cash or check if you don't want to pay online, please have your student

Ask for an envelope. Checks are to written out to MHSTABC please put

Your students name and what the check is for on the check.

Holly is done at 6:50.

Denise starts: Lets everyone know she is glad they are at the meeting and introduces new staff Member Mr. Merchant, who is our new Tech Director.

Please be patient with this first show it takes awhile to go through all the emails of questions.

But we will get back to you as soon as we can. I appreciate your support.

We rescheduled the show to Oct. 16, 17, and 18. Hopefully with a partial audience at 25%.

Tickets must pre purchased online. If we can not have an audience we will record Friday and Saturday performances and not have a performance on Sunday. A decision will be made in the

beginning of October. We have reduced the tech side by not having a set and our entire performance is socially distanced by each actor staying within a space and no interaction.

Hopefully the J.V. Show in Dec. will be able to have an audience.

The Musical is on hold. If we have a musical it will not be in the traditional sense.

UIL is still on and at this time has not been altered.

The Tech meals provided will be on Oct. 10th and Oct. 16.  
There will not be an aggressive tech week rehearsals will only go to 5:30  
The Sat. Oct. 10 will be 10am to 5pm.

The way this show will run Theatre 1 students will not be penalized for not helping.  
The show will run with JV and Varsity only.

Denise is done 7:00pm

Talyor: So excited I can see some Theatre 1 student parents.

So all personal ads will be full size and \$20.00.  
They should include a picture and words of encouragement.  
I can make one for you if you don't know what to write.  
The due date will be Oct. 2nd for the ads.

If we have an audience we will need parent help to stagger the exit and get people out. We will also need a Bathroom monitor.  
Denise states: There will not be intermission or concessions and also no box office.

Mr. Merchant: So excited to be here at Marcus!  
The Tech crew assignments have changed since we cut out a lot of the work.  
They will only be called on certain days. If you want to come and watch and learn please let me know ahead of time. There will be a calendar for rehearsals for cast and tech on the Tempest web page.

Please contact me if you have any questions. I am so excited for this year!

Denise: So we started a 2nd shirt for Middle School and High School combo for our feeder schools. You will be able to order them online when they come available.  
The shirts are specific to our Theatre Program. More information will come out in the following weeks.

We are here to answer all questions form our kids it would best if they contacted us through Webex. Our emails tend to overload so that is the quickest way to get us.

Oh, yes we are having our very first All District Seminar with a UIL Clinician. What you can do with Theatre in your future is the topic. It will have all the High Schools in our District listening in.

That's it. Good night! Thanks for being here and supporting our program!

Meeting closes at 7:16 pm.

**Link to the Treasurer's Report:**

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1D8nZANJ4WwNgergHuaTPv6JEfnKm9g9ckTaGVuvC5kc/edit?ts=5f6133fe>