WJCL Board Meeting

March 25, 2012

Attendance

Julie Gokhman HHS Sam Silver HHS Gabe Jacobs HHS Jess Chan DSHA Danny Trunzo BA David Helminiak **MUHS** Corwin Weeks **MUHS** Peter Schelble **MUHS** Ignacio Sanchez **MUHS** U.K. Musa **MUHS** Andrew Miller **MUHS** Jordan Salinsky **Rufus King**

Mags (Gale Stone) MWPHSFTA, FTW

Marianne Wallach
Dan Tess
BCHS
James Greenwald
Ruth Osier
Mahalia Sobhani
Emilie Esser
Andrea Sommer
HHS
BCHS
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- I. Call to Order by Tsarina Julie Gokhman at 11:09
 - a. Historian Danny Trunzo arrives fashionably late at 11:10
 - b. Introductions
- II. Nationals
 - a. Transportation Update
 - i. Motion made, seconded and passed to take an 81-seater double decker bus
 - ii. Certain individuals who would rather fly to Nationals may certainly do so. Please contact Mr. Greenwald (greenwald@execpc.com or greenwald@muhs.edu).
 - b. Numbers
 - i. Should have just enough to take the double decker bus
 - ii. Get your forms in so we can solidify numbers. Link for forms and packets may be found on the WJCL website. Deadline May 1! Get 'er done!
 - c. Certamen Practices
 - i. MUHS, HHS, and MW can host
 - ii. A solid schedule would be great this year but some discussion still required
 - iii. Coaches: Max Silver, Ketan Ramakrishnan, Patrick Shirley, Mags, Magistra Wallach, Mr. Greenwald
 - iv. Thanks to the magic of Danny, we can have a live feed of practices if someone (an important coach, for example) could not make it to the location.

- v. Comment on State Certamen: For finals, student spectators should be kept farther back from teams playing to discourage distraction and cheating. Front two rows of seats should be teachers only.
- d. Ludi Practice
 - i. Optimus Prime (aka Greg Stemm) no longer available to run Ludi:'(
 - ii. Maxes Silver and Timm will be contacted (and perhaps monetarily compensated for their time?)
 - iii. All Certamen practice schools can also host Ludi. Therefore, Ludi practice will be held after Certamen practices, same place, same day.
 - iv. Ludi jerseys will happen this year
- e. Spirit
 - i. Nationals Themes have been announced!
 - 1. Friday JCL, My Better Half
 - 2. Saturday You have the Wright to Remain Purple and Gold
 - 3. Sunday JCLers are the Kream of the Krop
 - 4. Monday Live Life in the Past Lane
 - ii. DSHA, as winners of the state t-shirt contest, will handle the Nationals shirts. School chapters, please contact Jess Chan (<u>chanj@dsha.k12.wi.us</u>) with your students' sizes.
- III. WJ2CL (Sunday, April 29)
 - a. Snag
 - i. WHMS and BA both have a building usage fee for using the school on a Sunday
 - ii. Motion: Pending Treasurer approval, the WJCL Treasury will cover the fee up to \$200. Beyond that...well, we'll figure it out.
 - b. Tests and Certamen rounds are looking good. If you were supposed to write something and haven't sent it to Julie yet, DO IT.
 - c. Need to know definite number of participants and if they are interested in testing, Certamen, or both.
 - d. Bring your own lunch
- IV. Miscellaneous
 - a. Article about Magistra Austino of B'East and her Latin program in Brookfield paper!
 - b. End of School Year Roman Banquet (proposed by Gabe)
 - i. Togas, potluck, possibly cats
 - ii. Details TBD once we figure out when people are available
 - c. Presidential Gavel may possibly be purchased (pending Treasurer approval), so that Julie can stop abusing her phone and water bottles.
 - d. Our Treasurer, the aptly named Sam Silver, is humbly asked to actually know how much money is in the Treasury *before* we convene for board meetings.
 - e. Check out our Flickr account, wjcl_historian!
- V. Adjournment 12:04

The next board meeting will be held on April 29, at the location of WJ2CL (once it is determined), after the WJ2CL.