

FOFA Monthly Meeting Minutes

Date and Location	Tuesday, September 5, 2017, 7:00PM – 8:51PM, DCG High School Choir Room
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Attendees

	Lyddia Asman		Ben Ihde
X	Joy Augustine	X	Bonnie Ihde
X	Wendy Becker		Julie Koch
	Michelle Breach		Kim Matteson
	Sara Bridie	X	Greg Menke
	Mike Burgher		DeAnn McAninch
	Tammy Chance	X	Eric Mohlis
	Craig Crilly		Dawn Murphy
	Susan Collins		Karyl Palmer
	Dawn Dillivan		Joyce Putzman
	Amy Forbes	X	Sarah Schaefer
X	Kathy Fortune		Jim Shutt
X	Anne Frett		Heidi Steger
X	Stacey Frett	X	Janet Stevens
	Lisa Gomez	X	Lisa Thompson
	Kathie Hicok		Addie Vance
X	Amy Hofland	X	Jeff VandeKieft
	Jan Huff	X	Ben Zaugg

Topic	Person Responsible
Call to Order <u>Meeting Minutes</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kathy called the meeting to order. 	Kathy Fortune
Introductions <u>Meeting Minutes</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome new participants! 	Kathy Fortune
Secretary Minutes <u>Meeting Minutes</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • August minutes were reviewed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Motion to Approve: Lisa Thompson ○ Second: Anne Frett ○ All approved 	Lisa Thompson

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- After reviewing the presented options, it was recommended to allocate \$10,000 and allow Joy to determine how funding would be managed:
 - Motion to Approve: Lisa Thompson
 - Second: Sarah Schaefer
 - All approved

Wendy Becker on behalf of Mike Burgher

- Mike has a need for a new camera lens
- Given the limited information Wendy had available; it was suggested that he attend a meeting to present additional information following leave

Janet Stevens on behalf of Steve Britt

- Need for a new acoustic bass in the amount of \$1,819
 - Scott Grimes indicated that the district would pay the balance after FOFA allocated funds
 - Steve should leverage his \$500 stipend and request that the balance of \$1,319 be funded by the district
- DCG Jazz Festival
 - Scheduled for January the 27th with awards planned at 5PM
 - The festival will offer wild card consideration for the Iowa Jazz Championship
 - Registration is \$150/band and due by 12/1/2017.
 - Admission will be \$5/Adult and \$3/Student
 - Need to determine if activity passes will be accepted
 - There will be a need for concessions and volunteers (both concession and ticket takers)
 - Steve to bring additional details to October meeting
 - Need to understand if the cost of the clinician (Larry Green) in the amount of \$350 will be covered by the district since it is considered curricular
- New Cannonball Tenor Sax for Jazz I
 - The total cost of the instrument is \$1,900; considering requesting \$500 from the DCG Education Foundation and utilizing the FOFA Instrument Replacement fund for the balance

Eric Mohlis

- Opera Iowa
 - Was started in 2016/2017 and began with Northridge ; would like to continue in 2017/2018 with Dallas Center Elementary
 - Requesting up to \$700 to fund.
 - Motion to Approve: Erich Mohlis
 - Second: Joy Augustine
 - All approved
- 2017/2018 stipend has been used to purchase a Bluetooth speaker

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Next Meeting

Date and Location	Tuesday, October 3, 2017, 7:00PM, DCG High School Band Room
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FOFA EVENTS			
Description	Date	Time	Location
Marching Band Football Game vs. Greene County	Friday, September 8 th	5:30PM - 9:30PM	DCG Stadium
All State Vocal Workshop	Saturday, September 9 th		DCG HS Auditorium
7/8 Show Choir Rehearsal	Saturday, September 9 th	9:00AM – 12:00PM	DCG Middle School
Johnston Marching Invitational	Saturday, September 16 th	7:30AM – 1:30PM	Johnston High School
Pella Marching Dutch Invitational	Saturday, September 23 rd	2:00PM – 12:10AM	Pella High School
Marching Band Homecoming Parade	Thursday, September 28 th	5:30PM – 8:00PM	Dallas Center
Marching Band Football Game vs. Webster City (Homecoming)	Friday, September 29 th	5:30PM – 9:30PM	DCG Stadium

2017/2018 DECISION SUMMARY	
Description	Date
Investments	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Allocate \$6,000 (\$150/student) to fund Revelation Show Choir costumes for 2017/2018 	6/6/2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Allocate \$900 to fund the Speech Program expansion for the 2017/2018 school year 	6/6/2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Spend \$10 per stipend teacher on a gift/gift bag for teacher appreciation 	7/17/2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Roll the following funds into the 2017/2018 school year and all other balances will be returned to the general fund: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Meadows (8th/9th Grade) – Show Choir totaling \$2,257 ○ Other – Crilly totaling \$1,759 ○ High School (10th – 12th Grade) – Show Choir total \$958 	8/1/2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Annual stipend (\$500) will be allocated by teacher (vs. by department) for the 2017/2018 school year 	8/1/2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Allocate up to an additional \$100 for Band Camp supplies which are not in inventory 	8/1/2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Funding in the amount of \$1,500 to subsidize the Marching Band Banquet on 10/17/2017 	9/5/2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Allocate up to \$10,000 to purchase approximately 75 dresses for Infinity Show Choir (7/8) 	9/5/2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Allocate up to \$700 to fund Opera Iowa at Dallas Center Elementary 	9/5/2017