

Minutes October 5, 2013

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Palo Alto - Mountain View Chapter of the Barbershop Harmony Society

Minutes of the Board of Directors' Monthly Meeting, 10:00 AM on October 5, 2013 at John Hinkle's office, 2007 West Hedding St., San Jose, CA.

Attendance:

President Dave Kocharhook, Treasurer Dave Morley, Member-at-Large Jim Sherman, Program VP Bert Laurence, Member-at-Large Jeff Harris, VP Development John Hinkle, VP Marketing Nigel Endersby, VP Music Terry Moore..

The meeting was called to order by the President at 10:00 AM.

Approval of the Minutes

Minutes from the previous board meeting on September 7, 2013, were approved without change.

Reports

Treasurer's Report

Short discussion.

Music VP Report

No discussion.

Chapter Development VP Report

Discussion of the Singer's Clinic. Kudos for doing tags with the clinic and chorus members.

Marketing VP Report

Cabaret flyers were mailed last week.

Program VP Report

No discussion.

A motion to accept the reports was approved without dissent.

Old Business

Cabaret 2013 Update – Activities are progressing; committees are forming slowly. We need to sell tickets. The on-line mechanism of selling tickets is up and running.

Bob Morrison is contacting senior centers in the area to generate Cabaret interest.

Jeff Harris suggested we contact the Far Western District for an evaluator for the Cabaret show.

Guest Director – We have three prospective guest directors for the time that Steve is at his musical commitment. .

Spring Show update – Steve is writing a script. A guest quartet has been signed.

There was a discussion about having a scripted show vs an MC-directed show, and our abilities to be actors as well as singers. Dave K will be talking to Steve about the script.

Holiday Chorus Performance Options – Several members of the singer's clinic will be invited to participate in the Holiday Chorus.

Terry will ask Dave Weatherford to make music and learning tracks available to the new guys.

New Business

Discussion of why we are singing better – In the last several weeks the chorus seems happier and having more fun, and as a by-product is working harder and working better with the director.

Barbershopper of the Quarter – The Barbershopper of the Quarter was selected.

Valentines – The price of valentines next year will be \$75. The schedule will be February 13, noon to 9pm, and February 14, 8am to 9pm.

The meeting was adjourned with the Good of the Chapter at 11:15.