

## **LRHS Dance Boosters Minutes November 6, 2007**

### **Welcome**

The LRHS Dance Boosters held their third meeting of the school year at 7:00 p.m., on November 6, 2007, in the Black Box. In attendance were Laurie Cain, Dave Marsico, Carol Grossi, Gwen Jenkins, Teresa Lassiter, Cindy Hoban, Lori Noble, Cindi Flanagan, Nina Ringley, and Debbie Morrison.

Laurie Cain, President, began the meeting by welcoming everyone and thanking the following people:

- Parents and dancers who helped with the Powder Puff Carnival and donated items
- Parent drivers for all of our events
- All dancers participating in the SE Raleigh Emerging Artists Concert for a wonderful performance

### **Updates from Ms. Hoban**

Ms. Hoban reminded everyone of the following upcoming events:

11/16	Fri	HS Day of Dance	8:30-2:00 PM	Meredith College
12/5	Wed	Pieces of Gold Audition	3:20 PM	SE Raleigh High School
Mid-	December	Student Showcase	<i>(Note change in date from November 20)</i>	
1/9	Wed	Dress Rehearsal	Afternoon	LRHS
1/10	Thurs	Dance Concert	Evening	LRHS

For the Meredith College HS Day of Dance, the dancers will leave Leesville at 7:45 AM. The dance workshop begins at 9:00 AM. Following the workshop, the dancers will perform in Jones Auditorium on the Meredith Campus from 1:00-2:00 PM. Parents and families are invited to attend this performance at no cost. Following the performance, the dancers will travel back to LRHS.

Ms. Hoban is investigating bus transportation options for the POG auditions.

Costumes for the Winter Concert have been ordered. Costumes for Pieces of Gold have been selected, but orders are on hold until acceptance into POG has been determined. Ms. Hoban shared pictures of the costumes with the group.

### **Treasurer Update**

Cindi Flanagan reported that we made approximately \$42 from the Powder Puff carnival. We have a balance of \$4,637.82 in our checking account, with \$1,782.80 earmarked for the NYC trip. All but two students have paid Fair Share this semester.

### **Volunteer Coordinator Update**

Dave Marsico reported that volunteer drivers are needed for Meredith College. Please contact Dave if you can drive to or from Meredith: [dmarsico@nc.rr.com](mailto:dmarsico@nc.rr.com). (Since Meredith College is near by, Ms. Hoban added that it is okay for dancers to drive themselves.)

Volunteers will be needed for the upcoming Winter Concert.

### **Fundraising Update**

Lori Noble reported that approximately \$9.00 has been raised thus far from the use of Harris Teeter Vic Cards and only 16 cards have been linked thus far. Please remember to link your VIC card to the Leesville Dance Boosters and ask family and friends to do the same by following this procedure:

- Go to this web site: <http://www.harristeeter.com/default.aspx?pageId=172>
- Select "Click here to link your VIC card now"
- Enter our code: **6731**

Friends and family can continue to place their own orders with Century Resources by doing the following:

- Go to this web site: <http://www.centuryresources.com/>
- Select "Shop Now"
- Enter our customer number: **18800**

If you have any feedback regarding the Century Resources fundraiser, please send email to Laurie Cain: [gcain3190@aol.com](mailto:gcain3190@aol.com). She is collecting this feedback for a vendor survey.

The Staff-One fundraising efforts are continuing to go well. We have raised approximately \$1200 from Staff-One, which has gone into student accounts.

The dancers received invitations to the NYC Fundraiser at the Parker home featuring Premier Designs Jewelry. Please remember to RSVP to the party by 11/16/07 by calling the Parker home at 571-4610 and leaving a message. The party will be held on Sunday, November 18 from 2:00-4:00 PM (drop in). The address is 7913 Ocoee Ct.

Another fundraising idea being investigated is Entre Vous meal preparation. A representative will be invited to attend our next meeting and bring sample food.

#### **Other Business**

- Gwen Jenkins investigated using her church (Baptist Grove) as a venue for a dance concert. The normal charge for usage is \$500 per day. We may be able to receive a discount depending on if the event is a benefit concert or a fundraiser.
- The next payment for NYC is \$150 and is due Tuesday, November 13, 2007. Please do not send the payment until this date, since there will be a substitute teacher in the classroom until then.
- The girls have voted on the Broadway shows they would like to see in New York. The winning shows are Wicked and Phantom of the Opera.
- A holiday party will be planned for the Ensemble.
- Teresa Lassiter will be responsible for Winter Concert tickets again this year. Seating will probably be reserved, rather than general admission.
- We will sell the leftover candy from the Power Puff Carnival at the intermission of the Winter Concert.

#### **Next Meeting**

The next meeting of the Dance Boosters will be held on Tuesday, December 4, at **6:45 p.m.** The earlier start time is planned so that we can enjoy some tasty treats from Entre Vous! All parents and guardians of Leesville Road High dance students are invited to attend.

Debbie Morrison  
LRHS Dance Boosters Secretary