

Hidden Hills  
Theater Committee Meeting  
January 7, 2019

The Theater Committee meeting was attended by Nathalie Blossom, Farnaz Fardad-Finn, Kedra Gottlieb, Courtney Newman, Pamela Boothe, David Stanley, Kim Ulrich, Karleen Basch and Patty Fiore.

December Meeting Minutes- A motion to approve the December minutes was made by Pamela Boothe and seconded by Nathalie Blossom.

Valentine Musical- David reported that all is going well. The music is done and they are way ahead of schedule compared to the past years. The biggest challenge has always been that residents sign up and then are not able to participate or residents sign up late. David continued to say that  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the show is already programmed and will run at a push of a button. There are 20 cast members singing karaoke to 39 songs from the 50's and 60's in a diner setting. There are 3 shows that are expected to sell out. One show on Friday February 8<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 pm and the other on Saturday February 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm and 9:30 pm. The cast, Theater Committee and the Parks and Rec. Committee unanimously agreed to donate the funds to California Strong. David suggested the piano be put on a piano dolly so it can be moved around easier without it becoming out of tune. Lastly David said that he has installed a new cable from the booth to the projector and all cast members will be using wired mics, also Britt Aaronson is learning to use the system.

Committee Meeting Attendance Policy- Nathalie reminded the committee that you may be excused from the committee if you miss 3 meetings in a row or a total of 4 within 12 months.

Replacement for Theater Committee Chair by Summer's End- Nathalie and Pamela both announced that they will be retiring from co-chairing the Theater Committee after this summer's show. Farnaz will send out an email to all the theater parents. Courtney suggested including the job responsibilities in the email. Kim suggested anyone interested should shadow Nathalie. Nathalie stated that the responsibility of committee chairperson is to prepare an agenda, head the committee meetings, oversee the programs, scheduling auditions, rehearsals and shows and reporting to the Board.

Jaxx "Mary Poppins"- Farnaz reported they are back to rehearsals from a 3 week vacation and the spring show is "Into the Woods" with performance dates on June 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Hidden Hills Jr. Players "Fiddler on the Roof"- the show is this weekend, Saturday at 6:00 pm and Sunday at 2:00 pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 am.