

Hidden Hills  
Theater Committee Meeting  
February 11, 2019

The Theater Committee meeting was attended by Nathalie Blossom, Farnaz Fardad-Finn, Marsha Weidman, Pamela Boothe, Ziba Nassab, Karleen Basch, Kedra Gottlieb, David Stanley and the committee welcomes new member Tamika Watkins.

January Meeting Minutes- A motion to approve the January minutes was made by Marsha Weidman and seconded by Kedra Gottlieb.

Valentine Musical- The show was a hit. Everyone in the cast and audience enjoyed themselves. A total of \$13,970.00 was collected for California Strong.

Fiddler on the Roof- Pamela reported the show was great!

Shrek- Pamela said auditions went well, there are 19 kids enrolled and the show dates are May 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> and they are aware that is Mother's Day weekend.

Mary Poppins- Farnaz reported this was the first show she has missed. There was a miscommunication with the kids not being allowed to eat in their costumes. The person enforcing the rule was new and wasn't aware that they were allowed to eat since dress rehearsals were so long. Farnaz also said they need help with clean up after intermission for the second show. She had scheduled with Jackie for the cleaning crew to come clean up, but they showed up late not knowing they were supposed to clean after intermission and before the cast party. They were expecting to clean up after the event. Jackie said the crew isn't available to come for intermission so they would need to hire a housekeeper which there is a budget for. Pamela requested large trash cans because the current ones are too small and overflow.

Into the Woods- Farnaz reported auditions are on February 21<sup>st</sup> 4:30 to 6:30 pm with show dates on May 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>.

Movies in the Theater- Nathalie said that Jennifer Zuiker asked if Preston could give suggestions for family movies to show in the theater. Pamela said she would speak with Preston and have him contact Jennifer.

New Theater Production Companies- In preparation for Gloria's retirement Farnaz did some research and found Golden Performing Arts, Kid's On Stage and Triple Talent who was recommended by Michele from View Point School. Jackie contacted the three companies and both Golden Performing Arts and Triple Talent are interested. Farnaz suggested the committee read their "About" page. Ziba expressed to the committee how talented Palmer Davis is and how well she works with the Valentine Musicale cast. Tamika agreed with Ziba and said how wonderful Palmer was with her daughters. The committee agreed to invite them to the March meeting. It was suggested they bring their resume. The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 am.