

Bloomington Community Band Board of Directors Meeting
July 24, 2023

Chair Richard VanArsdel called the meeting to order at 9:12 p.m. at Bloomington Free Methodist Church.

Members Present:

Richard VanArsdel, Chair
Richard Denning, Vice-Chair/Manager
Dan Beeker, Outgoing Treasurer
James Sowinski, Incoming Treasurer
Ron Hardesty, Assistant Treasurer
Gretchen Weber, Secretary
Don Talbott, Web Master
Jenn Strayer, Librarian
Phyllis Solnzeff, Historian
Tim Bitzer, Personnel Officer
Dominic Thompson, Director
Joe Car, Assistant Director

Members Absent:

Jenny Smith, Publicity Officer

1. Standing Agenda Items:

- a. Minutes from the June 26, 2023 meeting were approved as submitted.
- b. The treasurer's report was approved as submitted.

2. Old Business:

- a. Committee reports: None
- b. Appointment of Equipment Manager (RV): No report
- c. Web page re-design (Don T): No report
- d. Tubs for music: Completed
- e. Booth at Farmer's Market (Gretchen W): No report
- f. 4th Street Arts Fair booth (Richard D): No report
- g. Trifold & Brochures: Recruitment and New Member brochures were updated and rebranded by Jenn Strayer. Discussion was had over edits to the trifold, including replacing old images with updated images. Tim will complete the copy and have it sent to the printer. Tim also discussed having a banner printed as well as car magnets for members and logo stickers that can be used to label our equipment. Others thought stickers might be a nice touch at our recruitment events.
- h. Church availability: The church will be available on August 31st. Thursday evening availability is pending.

3. New Business:

- a. Treasurer position: Dan Beeker will be stepping down as treasurer. James Sowinsky will be the new treasurer
- b. Stickers: Previously mentioned, see above.

4. Officer's Reports:

- a. Secretary Report: None
- b. Personnel Report: None
- d. Equipment Manager Report: None
- e. Librarian Report: Will continue to have members pass in music; Library work night will be at 5:00pm Monday, August 7th. Still waiting on folders from JW Pepper.
- f. Publicity Report: None
- g. Web Master Report: None
- h. Vice Chair Report: None

5. Director and Associate Director comments: None

6. Chair's comments: None

Meeting adjourned 9:43 PM