

COLUMBUS AGO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Date: Monday, July 23, 2012

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Place: Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church

Present: Sara Seidel, Brett Greene, Brian Johnson, Carol Neff, John Bryan, Mark Stuart, Sara Montgomery, Stan Osborn, Wanda Neudorfer-Pack, Weldon Adams, Al Adcock

Absent: John Schuder, Josh Brodbeck

The meeting was called to Order

Dean's Comments I..... Sara Seidel

- Welcome to new members / introductions
 - John Bryan (Music Director, St. Paul parish, Westerville)
 - Brett Greene (Organist/Associate Director of Music, Worthington Presbyterian Church)
 - Carol Neff (Director of Adult Handbells, First Community Church)
 - Wanda Neudorfer-Pack (Retired HS science teacher and medical lab technologist, private organ student)

Treasurer's Report Al Adcock

The final budget for 2011-2012 was presented. Printing and postage costs for the banquet and election were unbudgeted and should be considered next year; the committee approved appropriating money from 'membership development'. The report was approved as presented.

The new budget for 2012-2013 presented and approved.

The committee approved Al to recycle reservation cards from the spring social.

Dean's Comments II..... Sara Seidel

Sara asked for volunteers to take over various committees:

- Hospitality Chair – Carol Neff
- Facebook Manager – Brett Greene
- Review non-email phone tree

Mary Heger (Carol Neff)	Dorothy Riley (Brian Johnson)
Phyllis Hull (Wanda Neudorfer-Pack)	Carol Wahl (Sara Montgomery)
Frank Kuhlmann (Mark Stuart)	Ernestine Peebles (Sara Montgomery)

Discussion: 2012-13 programs John Schuder / Sara Seidel

GOAL: Select venues, dates, and planning teams for each

- A social was suggested, as they are popular. However, consider not always putting it last in the year. Joe Otterbeck was suggested as a possible recitalist/entertainer. Brennan Loft was suggested as a location based on Tim Wilson's outstanding service. A Fall social might allow for installation of officers.
- Cosponsorship- Possibilities discussed included the 1st Congregational Evensong and the John Scott recital at Cathedral. There was a discussion around the nature / reason for sponsorship: to help an organization throw an event that we could not do on our own. Based on that criterion, the Cathedral concert is better suited. Al will contact Paul Thornock to inquire about co-sponsorship. Feb 22; Al Adcock to Coordinate; \$500 budgeted
- Significant recital – looking to co-sponsor with a member church
 - Date: (see below)
 - Venue: (see below)

Team:

- Significant workshop: Andy Kotylo – Saturday class on Searle Wright; Sunday recital
Flat fee of \$1,500; chapter member to host; potential dates in late February/early March.
Date: March 3 or March 10
Venue: Broad Street UM was suggested as a venue. Room is \$425. Broad Street could provide ushers and reception. AGO should usher. The \$425 fee is actually for tuning the organ (the room is would be donated by Broad Street UM).
Team: Sara Seidel, Sara Montgomery. Brian Johnson offered housing.
- Student recital / benefit.
Date: April 21.
Venue: North Broadway UM (Stephen Jacoby, organist)
Team: John Schuder and Carol Neuff, Wanda Neudorfer-Pack. John working to Stephen to see what charities the church supports. \$1000 budgeted.
- Top four workshops from survey: \$500 for printing costs budgeted. Each will be scheduled on a consecutive Saturday morning and Monday evening
 1. Internet resources for church musicians. Choral public domain library resources might be included. Mark will contact Anthony Fabro to see if he would like to be involved. A Saturday and a Monday were suggested for possible times. Sara to poll members about internet resources.
Date: September 22 & 24
Venue: Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church?
Team: Mark Stuart, Brett Greene, Anthony Fabro
 2. Registration for small instruments.
Date:
Venue: Capital? (5-rank Holtkamp) UCC Dublin (8 rank Schantz) METHESCO 10 rank, Dublin Community, First Congregation Chapel, Trinity Seminary (old) Chapel
Team: Brian Johnson to discuss with John Schuder
PROPOSE VENUE AND DATE.
 3. Introduction to basic organ building.
Date: March 16 & 18
Venue: St. Paul RC, Westerville
Team: Stan Osborn and John Bryan
 4. Building parish music programs.
Date: January?
Venue: St. Mary RC, German Village
Team: Don Marler, Marilyn Keiser, or Marty Rideout were suggested. Sara will inquire with Marty to check her schedule
- Competition: February 22, 2013 @ North Broadway UM (Sara needs to complete paperwork) \$2000 budgeted

Sara needs a 1-2 sentence description about each program for the directory.

Looking ahead...

- Explore scheduling Higgs, Jacobs, or Fishell for 2013-14? Nathan Laube?
- Major choral program: Anton Armstrong; Don Marler
- One of the most recent NYACOP winners?

Future Executive Committee meetings were scheduled for the THIRD MONDAY OF EACH MONTH, except August (27).

Registrar's Report Sara Seidel

- Members: 118 paid renewals; 9 awaiting checks; 44 to follow up on
- Ads: 6 confirmed (4 paid); waiting on 14
- The Magpie Consort again proposed an ad swap, which was approved.
- We did not raise advertising rates this year; should we for 2013-14? TABLE but DISCUSS.
- Mailing list – email and snail mail (Frank Kuhlmann, Capital). The committee felt that members were free to copy names and addresses from the AGO directory, but that the committee did not have consent or expectation from the membership to release electronic copies of address lists.

Old business, but not for tonight (J):

- How to increase young people's/students' participation in chapter events. How can the chapter better support this demographic?
- Possibility of hosting a POE in 2013
- Complete chapter elections earlier and install in May

Next Meeting Date:

Aug 27 Time: 6:45

Place: St. Paul's Westerville

The meeting was adjourned.

Advertisers' Scheduled Concert Dates:

Sunday, September 23, 3:00 p.m. Four Organists - Cathedral
October 21 Choral Evensong, in honor of G. Dene Barnard's 80th birthday - First Congregational
Saturday, October 27 at 9a - noon - workshops on copyright, funeral music, and purpose for Psalms in liturgy – ALCM Cantor Connection
Bradley Welch, organist - October 28, 4:00 p.m. - Central College
Sunday, October 28, 3:00 p.m. Mel Butler - Cathedral
Yun Kim, Sunday, Nov. 4, 3:00 pm - Northwest Christian
Sunday, November 11, 7:30 p.m. Complete Choral Works of Maurice Duruflé - Cathedral
Sunday, November 11, 3:00 p.m. Stephan Casurella – St. John's
Sunday, Nov. 18, 2012- "Feel the Spirit" John Ruttter- Chancel Choir and orchestra, during the 9:00 and 11:15 worship services - Worthington Pres
November 18 Christopher Marks, organ - First Congregational
Christmas Program, Sunday, Dec. 9, 3:00 pm - Northwest Christian
Friday, December 14, 7:30 p.m. Handel's Messiah – St. Paul's Westerville (Cathedral)
The concert will be repeated at the Cathedral on Sunday, December 16. – Cathedral
Sunday, December 16, 3:00 p.m. The Magpie Consort – St. John's
December 23 Festival of Lessons and Carols (prelude begins at 3:30) - First Congregational
Sunday, January 13 at 5p - Service of Lessons and Carols for Epiphany – ALCM Cantor Connection
Sunday, February 3, 3:00 p.m. Seidel/Bassett – All Saints Lutheran Church
Josh Brodbeck, organist - February 10, 4:00 p.m. - Central College:
February 10 Hymn Festival with James E. Bobb, First Church Choir and Choral Society - First Congregational
Sunday, Feb. 17, 2013, 3:00PM- Brett Greene, organist - Worthington Pres
Choral Program, Sunday, Feb. 17 or 24, 3:00 pm - Northwest Christian
Friday, February 22, 7:30 p.m. John Scott - Cathedral
Sunday, March 3, 2013, in the 9:00 and 11:15 worship services- "For Us the Living" Albert Fedak- Chancel Choir, organ and solo instruments. - Worthington Pres
March 17 Jeremy Filsell, organ - First Congregational
Good Friday, March 29, 8:00 p.m. Office of Tenebrae - Cathedral
Sunday, April 14, 2103, 3:00PM- Tianshu Wang, pianist - Worthington Pres
April 28 Handbells Columbus - First Congregational
Sunday, May 5, 4:00PM-The Columbus International Children's Choir - Worthington Pres
May 19 Choral Evensong - First Congregational
Sunday, May 19, 7:30 p.m. Annual Donor Concert - Cathedral
Sunday, June 2 at 7p - Hymn Festival – ALCM Cantor Connection