

## **Buckeye NATS Business Meeting Minutes April 10, 2010 – Spring Auditions**

- I. Call to order**
  - a. President Nancy Jantsch called to order the fall business meeting of the Buckeye NATS.
- II. Secretary/Treasurer Report**
  - a. Balance is \$1,285.47 (does not include Audition income or costs)
  - b. Present membership is 132.
- III. Business**
  - a. Emails on Website - Discussion of possibility of having members emails listed on the website. Motion was made by Stephanie Sikora: "To return email addresses to the website with the option of not being listed". Seconded by Mari Opatz-Muni. Motion carried.
  - b. Dues Deadlines – Discussion surrounding the difficulty of processing applications for Spring Auditions for those members whose dues are not current. Motion was made by Jacqueline Barlow Ware "To have deadline for paying of NATS and BNATS dues in order to participate in Spring Auditions be February 1. Seconded by Kirsten Osbun-Manley. Motion carried.
  - c. Staff Accompanist – Spring Auditions – Discussion about raising the fee for the staff accompanist for Spring Auditions. Motion made by Tim Culver "To raise staff accompanist fee to \$35.00". Seconded by Diana McCullough. Motion carried.
  - d. Enrichment workshops for Fall Meetings and auditions. Motion by Diana McCullough "To develop an application on the web site for members to apply to present a workshop, or suggest a presenter that they feel would be good for the overall enrichment of our membership. The board would then review the applicants and make recommendations for our meeting activities." Seconded by Beth Cram Porter. Motion carried.
- IV. Announcements**
  - a. Questionnaire for NATS Foundation from Norma Codispoti.
  - b. Karen Peeler – Scott McCoy at OSU Saturday April 24.
  - c. Lynda Snyder – University of Dayton Annual Voice Camp – July 19 – 23, 2010.
- V. Upcoming Schedule**
  - a. National conventions July 2 – 6, 2010 – Salt Lake City, Utah. Ohio attendees let Nancy Jantsch know if you will be in attendance – she would like to have a get together.
  - b. Fall Meeting – Kenyon College – October 9, 2010
  - c. Great Lake Regional Auditions – Bowling Green State University, March 5, 2011.
  - d. BNATS Spring Auditions – Cleveland State University – April 2, 2011.
- VI. Meeting adjourned** to announcements of winners of auditions.

Respectfully submitted,  
Sheila James Ludwig, Buckeye NATS Secretary-Treasurer