

Highland Fine Arts Boosters
Meeting Minutes
Date: April 8, 2026

Call to order:
Treasurer's Report: Approved

Attendees: Emily Piette, Owen Piette, Sam Holden,
Andy Vercande, Andy McDonald, Jeremiah Carter,
Jason Knox, Katie Knox

Department Reports		
Band	Information	Action
SEISC Junior Honor Band	In West Burlington, April 28, 2026. 5 students attending, \$8 per student per meal. Andy M requesting \$40 for this event.	Owen P made motion to approve, Andy V seconds, all ayes.
Large Group Contest	In Fairfield, Friday, May 8, 2026	Awaiting time of performance
Upcoming dates: May 11, 2026, Spring Concert at 7 pm in HS gym May 12, 2026, Fine Arts awards night at 7 pm in the HS gym		
Choir	Information	Action
MS choir event at L&M	9 students attending, Jeremiah C requesting funding for meals.	Katie K made motion, Sam seconds, all ayes.
Large Group Contest	In Fairfield, Friday, May 8, 2026. Choir has been registered; accompanist has been hired.	Awaiting time of performance
Workshop	Blair Buffington coming to workshop 4/23/26. Jeremiah suggests an honorarium.	Katie K makes motion for \$100 honorarium, Sam seconds, all ayes.
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Speech	Information	Action
Speech showcase	Saturday, 5/2/26 in the library	Looking forward to it!
Upcoming dates: Speech showcase, Saturday, 5/2/26 in the library.		
Drama	Information	Action
This Murder was Staged.	Friday, 4/17/26 and Saturday 4/18/26 at 7pm. Admission \$5	Need to purchase for this event: 1) rechargeable batteries and battery charger, 2) three 50-foot 12-gauge extension cords for the lights. Sam makes a motion to approve up to \$300 for the purchase of these items, Jason seconds, all ayes.

		Jason will purchase these items.
Upcoming dates: This Murder was Staged, 4/17- 4/18/26 at 7 pm in the HS gym.		
Art	Information	Action
No updates		
Upcoming dates: -		

New Business		
Senior Recognition	Shadow boxes for Fine Arts Seniors.	Sam approves purchases related to shadow boxes, Jason seconds, all ayes.

Fundraising		
Dance Floor Rental	Discussion of rental costs of the dance floor. 1 week rental \$500 if the renter picks it up/sets it up. 1 week rental \$700, plus \$1 per mile if we deliver and set it up. We have interest from one individual who will need to rent in May.	Owen P makes a motion to approve these rental costs, Sam seconds, all ayes. Owen P to develop a rental contract.
Limited concession and raffle basket at the play this weekend	Approval received to use indoor concession stand for the play. - Bottled water and popcorn available for donation. - Card reader available for donations. - Sell raffle tickets for basket with perishable items/leftover Bingo prizes	-
Popcorn Fundraiser	259 popcorn bags sold, \$2,705 deposit from profits	

Open Discussion		
None	-	-

Next Meeting: No May meeting. See you in the Fall!