



BAMTA GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

Date: October 21, 2022

President: Carol Wickham-Revier	x	Immediate Past President: Amy Watt	x	Treasurer: Jill Ice	x
Secretary: Anne Ferguson-Laird	x	VP Membership: Shieko/Evie Uno		VP Student Activities: Amy Watt	x
Member At Large: Sherilyn Coldwell		VP Teacher Enrichment: Jennifer Jackson	x	Member At Large: Teresa Wong	
Newsletter Editor: Shari Griswold	x				

Meeting called to order: 9:30 By: Carol Wickham-Revier Adjourned: 11:30		Location: Home of Jill Ice
BUSINESS AGENDA		
Topic	Details	Action Item
Introduction	Carol read an inspiring story from the Houston Chronicle about Itzhak Perlman.	
Minutes	The minutes from 9/16/22 were read by Anne Laird and approved.	Anne Laird will make a small change in the wording of the MPF minutes.
Treasurer Report	Jill Ice reported \$8,594.68 in the checking account and \$6,320.21 in the savings account. She reported a membership deposit of \$130.	
2022-2023 budget	Jill Ice reviewed our proposed and actual budgets from last year. She explained the proposed budget for the coming year. Martha Thompson proposed approval of the proposed budget. It was seconded by Amy Watt and approved. Martha Thompson suggested we make a gift to Vacquero for his work on our website.	

By-laws revision	Jill Ice reviewed changes to the bylaws. Mitzi-Babb proposed approval of the revised bylaws. Martha Thompson seconded, and the revision was approved.	
2022-2023 Directory	A hard copy of the directory was shown to members.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Members must email Jill Ice with corrections before Friday October 28, 2022. ● Jill Ice will update the directory. ● Jill Ice will change the Achievement Day date to May 13, 2022.
Referrals	Shari Griswold reported that there have hitherto been no referral requests.	
Multiple Piano Festival		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Amy Watt will put codes in group C. ● Shari Griswold will update the teacher list. ● Karen will contact conductors by October 25 for changes to be made in the score.
Federation	Mitzi Babb, the current president of NFMC, presented a bulletin for Federation which will occur on March 11, 2023.	Teachers interested in participating in NFMC should contact Mitzi Babb.
“Students Who Struggle to Read”	Carol Wickham-Revier reported that two groups have gathered to watch the presentation. Carol has offered to show it again before December 15, 2022.	Interested teachers should contact Carol Wickham-Revier.
Halloween Costumes	Carol shared pictures of costumes for past Halloween recitals.	

Website Update	Carol Wickham-Revier reported that work on the website continues.	We will take candid photos at general meetings for including on the website.
Book Discussion	Anne Laird presented two options for the January book discussion. <u>Make it Stick</u> , by Peter Brown, was selected. There are two copies in the library as well as being available from Amazon or on Audible.	Anne Laird will send the book information to Shari Griswald to include in the newsletter or in a separate announcement.
Zoom Link for General Meetings		Amy Watt will offer a Zoom link for the general meetings.
Next General Meeting	Next general meeting will be December 16, 2022. It will be a brunch at the home of Anne Laird.	