



**LEHIGH VALLEY MUSICIANS ASSOCIATION – LOCAL 45**  
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The regular monthly meeting of local 45 took place on the above date at the DAR House in Bethlehem PA. All officers and board members were present except for Debra Heiney, Kim Seifert and Ken Krasley. In the absence of a forum the meeting was held as an executive board meeting.

Liam Champagnie-Ellington was accepted into membership upon motion of Reisteter and Danner.

The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted upon motion of Rohal and Richmond. Bills in the amount of \$12,290.98 were ordered paid upon motion of Richmond and Reisteter.

The treasurer's report was approved upon motion of Danner and Rohal.

In the absence of the business agent President Yale gave the report. Work Dues collections of \$1,915.38 for the month of December and for the year \$23,663.57. Invoices will be mailed this week. Accepted upon motion of Danner and Rohal.

The ASO Players committee was recognized upon motion of Danner and Rohal and the NEP Players committee was recognized upon motion of Danner and Richmond.

Committee assignments:

Finance - Yale and Cascioli

Marketing - Richmond

Scholarship - Reisteter, Heiney, and Krasley

By-Laws - Yale, Cascioli, Danner

A discussion on the number of scholarships to be awarded this year was tabled until the Feb. meeting. Also discussed were new ways of reaching out to the schools to ensure the students are aware of the opportunity for getting a scholarship.

A discussion was held concerning security at West Park Concerts. We will mention this at our next meeting with city officials.

We will plan a visit to New York in the spring to meet with the new MPTF Trustee as well as AFM Officers. So far Cascioli and Gachenbach are interested in going.

The resignations of Margery Metzger, Rita Mitsel, Susan Spafford, Simon Maurer, Jean Elbich-Galich, Doug Matz, Carol Lutte and James Rester were accepted upon motion of Reisteter and Richmond.

The meeting adjourned at 10:30 AM upon motion of Danner and Rohal.

Respectfully submitted,  
Matthew Cascioli, Secretary