Dow High School Music Boosters Board Meeting Tuesday April 9, 2019, 6:00 pm

- 1) Call to Order Michael Hales
- 2) Review and Approval
  - a. March Minutes Karen Rhee
  - b. Treasurer Report Carolyn Southwick
- 3) Business
  - a. Jazz and More Julie Hales
  - b. Uniforms Irmgard Redman
  - c. Ren Fair Kim Birch Notes
  - d. New Treasurer Michael Hales
  - e. Booster Positions for 2019-2020 Michael Hales
  - f. Memorial Day Parade Planning
- 4) Director Reports –Thoms / DeRees / Gardner-Northrop
- 5) Adjourn

Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 14, 6:00 pm (Board Elections)

- The orchestras sent 19 events to State Solo and Ensemble. Of those, 17 earned first division ratings. This includes Tia Li and Caleb Qiu who earned perfect scores.
- Michigan Youth Arts Festival nominations came out, and the results for Dow High were fantastic.
  - o Emilia Teed and Peter Redman were nominated for the honors band.
  - o Caleb Qiu, Abigail Ahn, Madeline Poupard, Jocelyn Cha, Tia Li, and Nathaniel Kalantar were nominated for the honors orchestra.
  - o Caleb Qiu, Tia Li, Nathaniel Kalantar, Peter Redman, and Joshua Burr were invited to audition to be featured soloists.
  - o Caleb Qiu, Abigail Ahn, Tia Li, and Nathaniel Kalantar were invited to audition to be the featured string quartet.
  - o The entire honors orchestra was invited to audition to be the featured chamber ensemble.
- The 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Concert took place on March 19, and it was a great success. We have not secured funding for this performance next year, but we are working on it.
- Upcoming performances include...
  - o Jazz & More on Saturday, April 13
  - o Gerstacker Awards on May 2 (Central Auditorium at 4:00PM)
  - Spring Concert on May 16 (Central Auditorium at 8:00PM)