# **NACUSAsf Board Meeting Minutes**

Tuesday, October 19, 2021, 7:30PM-8:30PM PT via Zoom

#### Attendees

John Bilotta, Shawne Workman, John McGrew, Greg Steinke, John Beeman

### **Minutes of the Previous Board Meeting**

- 1. For future consideration, when enough board members are present: John Bilotta proposed that minutes be read, and corrections and approval sent by e-mail prior to the meeting.
- 2. Meeting minutes were read and approved.

### **Treasurer's Report**

- 1. John Bilotta, Karl Schmidt and Sheli Nan met at Wells Fargo to transfer signature authority to Sheli and John. They learned that the account was originally created for a corporation (which NACUSA is not), so had to be closed. Sheli and John set up a new Wells Fargo checking account for NACUSAsf as a nonprofit and transferred the funds there.
- 2. Sheli and John are working with PayPal to transfer authority for the chapter's account there.
- 3. John Bilotta presented the treasurer's report as of October 12, 2021, and reviewed anticipated expenses for the 2021-22 season.
- 4. It was suggested to create a savings account to keep a pool of funds from life memberships and donations, separate from operating funds. John Bilotta will look into it.

# Status of Upcoming 2021-2022 Concerts

- 1. John Bilotta presented the current plans for the 2021-22 season:
  - 1. Avenue Winds Concert all details now confirmed and PR has been released.
    - i. Zoom rehearsal with composers October 22
    - ii. Recording date October 25 at C4NM
    - iii. Recording broadcast November 12, 8:00 PM, streaming via C4NM
    - iv. Composers will receive individual video and audio files for their pieces.
  - 2. Composers & Friends I February 2022
  - 3. Composers & Friends II April 2022
  - 4. Presidio Chapel Concert April or May, 2022, streaming and live.
  - 5. Hired Ensemble Concert June, 2022
- 2. Past concert venues, their convenience to members, and pandemic practices were discussed.

#### **Composer & Friends Concert Format**

- 1. To guide composers submissions, we need to know whether this will be live or streaming.
- 2. Further discussion was postponed until Davide Verotta returns from travel.

# Voting Results for Hired Ensemble Concert

- 1. John Bilotta shared the email survey results (also attached to agenda for this meeting): Top entries were brass quintet or Pierrot ensemble. He will conduct a tie-breaker e-mail survey.
- 2. John Beeman mentioned Menlo Brass as a potential (and past) brass ensemble.

#### **Member Outreach**

Discussion was deferred to the November board meeting, to include more interested members.

#### Nancy Bloomer-Deussen Young & Composers Competition

Shawne Workman will prepare pre-announcement materials for review prior to the November board meeting.

#### **Next Board Meeting**

Tuesday, November 16 at 7:30pm over Zoom

Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9553311425?pwd=VUxOMUxtdzJjUoZIaDl2bzhKTVp4Zz09 Meeting ID: 955 331 1425 Passcode: 94518

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