

SPA Jan 2015 Meeting Minutes

January 12, 2015

Attendees: Mr. V, Sujatha Karoor,, Raji S, Cheryl Sunder
Ewa, Helen Chen

1. Cheryl reported financials through December and discussed budget for the rest of the year through June 2015.
 - a. Donation, membership drive, market day sale, all lower than last year
 - b. Uniform around the same as last year
 - c. Expense estimated as ~\$4000
 - d. Need to increase the fund-raising activities
2. Spain trip
 - a. 13 signed up
 - b. Budget \$200 per student
 - c. Shipping cost for cello/guitar is \$100 each way.
 - d. Mr. V will check rental cost for cello to make a final decision on cellos.
 - e. Base rental has been taken care of and no cost for SPA
 - f. Tips for bus driver \$130 per driver covering 10 days. Potentially one or two drivers.
 - g. Mr. V will check document to declare student-brought instrument.
 - h. Total estimated cost for Spain trip for SPA is \$5140
3. Recruit for new board members:
 - a. Treasurer
 - b. Secretary
 - c. Web designer
 - d. Sujatha to review the parents' sign up list and reach out to potential members. Check if Deb plans to continue and if she can recommend someone from her team to take on.
4. Consortium on Jan 21
 - a. 100 students will be coming (up from 89 last year)
 - b. 5:15 – meet with SHS students
 - c. 5:30 - quick tour led by SHS students
 - d. 5:30 – SPA members to set up pizza tables
 - e. 5:45 – potential students have pizza
 - f. 6:15 – SPA members meet with the parents
5. Feb 18: chamber concert
 - a. SPA prepare for bake sale

- b. Mr. V announce the bake sale in classes so the students are prepared
- 6. March 7: Solo Ensemble
 - a. No bake sale