**Presidents Memo for January 18, 2015**

In lieu of an official Presidents Report (due to our canceled Jan. meeting) I did want to touch base on a few things that won’t all carry over to our February meeting.

Thank you to **Kevin Wagner** our Treasurer for organizing and taking care of the Board Voting for the **January Treasurers Report**. The Report was approved.

THANK YOU to all the Board Members and Singers (and friends of) who worked **The FARMSHOW in January**. We should have a check for over $700. For our efforts there. It turned out to be a more profitable weekend than expected.

Our February **OUTDOORSMANS SHOW** (the biggest money earner for our Farmshow events) is **Sat.-Feb. 7-Wed Feb. 11.** I have organized some daytime workers for the Monday-Wednesday shifts. All Board Members will be needed to work as much as possible that weekend and those days from 3-6pm. Sign up’s will be available on Musetta as soon as I get hours confirmation from Jessica at Centerplate.

Our **Gala Representative Kevin Wagner** will be presenting/polling some information from the Chorus re; **Gala 2016 at our Feb.2 rehearsal. Registration for Gala 2016 opens this coming March 1st.** Much appreciation to Kevin for being on top of this and making sure we get the best leads possible in terms of performance venue and scheduling for Gala.

Per **Terry Karanen’s Report**, I have been in contact with **Marlene Kanuck** about our proposed Donor Recognition tentatively scheduled for this Spring. Marlene will present information about our options at the February Meeting.

**THE FEBRUARY 22 MEETING coincides with the Oscar Ceremony and we will be moving up the meeting time to 4pm that day to accommodate Oscar parties and related events that evening. Please let me know immediately if there are any problems with that time switch.**

I have e-mails out to the UU Music directors about our **“pay the Rent”** service for them. The downtown Church is considering March 1st. I am waiting to hear confirmation from Sparky on that and from the Clover Lane Director as well.

Thank you to Eddie Diel for organizing our **February Fundraiser at 704** (and Thank you to Kevin Wagner for all your help with PR for this event). Posters are up around the community. I am confident this will be a money maker for us again and one we are looking forward too. 704 is excited about the Chorus performing at this event.