Presidents Report for March 20, 2017

I met with John Traynor from HMAC on March 1st to discuss his offer to host the HGMC in The Capitol Room (Ballroom) at HMAC for our Spring 2017 Concert. John apologized for his past errors with the Chorus and said he would like us to have the room free of charge (He said he rents the room for over \$3000). John brought me up to the venue to scope it out. It should be a terrific performance space, adequately lit stage, cabaret style seating, and bar service.

I had John sign a contract saying he would reimburse us for \$350. Per date or \$700. For the entire engagement in case any "conflicts" came up. He assured me there would be no conflicts and he would promote the event throughout HMAC and on their website. In turn, we will provide HMAC with PR materials (poster design) and space in our Annual Advertising Program for an In-Kind donation of \$3000.

This will be finalized after discussing with the PR committee on Monday.

We need to have a plan in place to have our video intro. Ready for GALA. We can touch base on this at the meeting and that item can also carry over into the Production meeting if needed.

Although we have had some inconsistency this semester due to bad weather and unforeseen absences, I feel like we are fairly on track and I'm sure Adam will have us feeling more focused and prepared in the next couple rehearsals.

Doug will be updating us on the new HGMC Logo selection and ideas for PRIDE this summer.

We also need to discuss a plan for transitioning the Board from this year into next year. There are more than the normal numbers of folks transitioning off the Board and Committees at the end of the year.

UPCOMING DATES:

Wed. May 4 DRESS REHEARSAL Sat. May 7, 7:30pm HCC York, Spring Concert Preview Sat./Sun May 14/15 8pm/2pm Spring Concert Penn State July 2-6 GALA

Next Board Meeting, Sunday April 24, 6pm UU Board Room (discuss Conflicts for May Board)