

# Fundraising Committee Report

## May 2018

- Committee Meeting:
  - No meeting held in May
- 2017-2018 Fundraising Summary (submitted by Steve Creps)\*
  - Fundraising Progress (cabarets, farm show, Amazon Smile, Equality Card)
    - 2016-2017
      - \$7,572.93 (Actual)
    - 2017-2018
      - \$7,779.49 (Actual YTD)
      - \$7,150 (Budget)
      - 109% of Budget
      - 103% of prior year
- Annual Campaign (Submitted by Doug Wentz)
  - Solicitation of LGBT friendly businesses needs to begin for the upcoming annual campaign.
- Grants Campaign (Submitted by Ted Neal)
  - TE Connectivity
    - Grant request of \$1700 for the keyboard and/or risers was acknowledged, but no award was yet granted or denied.
  - Jump Street
    - Follow-up 2018 Grant Report: Form has been changed and is to be sent to [info@harrisburggaymenschorus.org](mailto:info@harrisburggaymenschorus.org). It is no longer online. It is due 9/30/18
    - 2019 Project Span: 9/1/18-8/31/19, application due: 6/20/18
    - I've been in touch with Amy from Jump Street for questions about the new application. It should, in the end, be similar, but the state has merged their grant applications into one, with varying application paths depending on the type of grant requested.
  - TFEC
    - Follow-up 2018 Grant Report: Due 2/28/2019. I can complete it after the final "Girls, Girls, Girls" concert.
    - 2019 Project Span 1/1/19 – 12/31/19, application due 8/1/18.
    - The challenge with this grant is that we can't use Xmas 2018 for the project, so we either have to use Spring 2019, or Xmas 2019.
- Farm Show (Submitted by Bob Nease)
  - Nothing of significance to report.
- Special Events
  - Sunday Pride Brunch (Jul 29<sup>th</sup>)
    - Possible venues (in order of preference) are:
      - Stallions: Kyle has reached out to the General Manager but have yet to have a meeting.
      - Maennerchor: No contact yet.
      - Market Square Presbyterian: No contact yet.
    - Jose, who is a member of the Harrisburg Bridge Club, said that he would inquire on the possibility of using their space for the event.
    - Once location has been secured, we will work out further details.

*Respectfully submitted by Kyle Junk, Fundraising Chairperson*