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Minutes 21/12/2009 19.45

1. Apologies

Tim

2. Minutes of the last meeting

Change 'we will return scores' to cheques.
Proposed Elaine, Seconded Adam

3. Correspondance

We have received two Christmas cards – one from Grantham College and one from the Carnival. We have sent Christmas cards to all Patrons, including the thank you letters.

4. Treasurer's

- Elaine has written to Dave and Steph asking for their money again.
- We will hopefully have audited accounts by the AGM. **Elaine** will ask if he is ok to audit again next year.
- We have sold the left over beer from the show
- We have £1150.16 as at 9th December 2009.
- From the first carol singing we made around £200. Tonight we raised £133.83 from ASDA carol singing.
- **Hannah** to write to ASDA to tell them how much we raised.
- **Elaine** to send a £300 donation to Macmillan Nurses.

5. AGM

- Approved agenda, same as last years.
- We have the hall booked from 6pm. **Committee** to get there early so we can put the heating on!
- DVDs will be sold on the night - £5. Please order in advance! Replacement Hot Mikado disks will also be available.
- **Hannah** to email reminds to all members.
- DVD night to follow AGM – with Free Pizza
- Hannah mentioned we should remind people that if you are not a paid up member you cannot vote.
- Discussion about needing to make sure we have enough people on the committee next year. A vote as taken and it was decided that Hannah is superwoman.
- Tim needs to be reminded to attend if possible.

6. Funny thing

- We only had one production team put themselves forward. It was voted that Hannah will direct, Tim will MD, Sophie will choreograph, with Luke to assist. Hannah is looking for an assistant to train for next year.

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- **Hannah** to tell **Elaine** when/where deposit for College is due.
- **Production Team** need to set date for audition

7. AOB

- Workshops were discussed. Anna pointed out that we should offer drama/improv workshops.
- **Hannah** will ask Leonie if she will run an improv workshop during May half term.
- It was also discussed that we could have a new writers workshop. Elaine suggested putting the two days together.
- Suggested that Elaine/Tim will run a singing workshop in Feb half term, Leonie will run a improv/new writers workshop in May half term, with auditions early July. Then we would like to sing in the St Wulframs music and art festival in July – good opportunity for free publicity.
- Off the back of our carol singing we have been asked to sing in the GIFTS carol service next year!
- We need a handover meeting with the new committee
- Compliments from both ASDA and George re: our carol singing!

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