

**Pacific Okinawa Players**  
General Membership Meeting  
June 8, 2009

Meeting called to order @ 6:07 PM by President Jamey Pellegrini.  
Minutes from last meeting were approved.

Scholarship Awards were made to the following students:

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| Cassidy DeVries | KBHS |
| Takiah Coleman  | KDHS |
| Jacob Miller    | KDHS |
| Audry Padgett   | KDHS |

(Rebekah Bradley was awarded her check separately.)

Thanks to Jamey Pellegrini and Amy Deakins for doing the presentations at the respective schools.

**Membership:** Please see Lee Romero to renew/join POPS. He has sent out letters to those members who are expiring soon.

**Treasurer:** The POPS balance is \$----- including \$----- income from Night of One Acts. This balance does not include the payment from POPS Follies. If anyone has any outstanding items to be reimbursed, please fill out a reimbursement form (available from the treasurer or on the website) and turn it into Christine Davies by June 15. The books will be audited over the summer and funds will not be available until August.

**Old Business**

**Night of One Acts:** Eleanor Esparza, one of the directors, deemed the show a raving success. One hundred eighty-three people saw the show and a profit of \$1,177.68 was made. Eleanor was thanked for acquiring furniture for future POPS productions.

**Summer Movie Nights:** Rachel Ferguson presented the flyer that will be going up very soon. A copy of the flyer will be on the website and ad cards will be sent to members to distribute throughout the community. Members were asked to please sign up to bring concession items, work the concessions, box office and to be on the set up/clean up committee.

Members were asked at the last meeting to come up with an idea for an artistic presentation before the show. At the June movie night, the movie from Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat will be shown. If you have any ideas for future shows, please see Rachel.

**Publicity:** POPS would like to maximize our publicity. We are working on a commercial for AFN and have secured a monthly time on AFN radio – the first Thursday of the month from 7:00-7:30 AM.

**Show Proposals:** Malia Jakus recapped Urinetown proposal that was presented last month. Christine Smith recapped the Disney's Cinderella Kids that she presented last month. Both proposals are available to be seen on the website or in last month's minutes.

**New Business:**

**More Proposals:** The Importance of Being Earnest by Oscar Wilde Director: Julia Taute Asst. Dir: Janine Romero Casting: 9 (3-5 M, 4-6 W). Budget: \$2,250.00

Night of one acts with the following plays: A One Act Play Directed by Jessica Stamper & Murder Well-Rehearsed directed by Bernice Wittwer.

The Clown Prince of Wanderlust A two-week children's production that would be directed by Jamey Pellegrini.

(The meeting broke for discussion among the potential directors over times and refreshments.)

After discussions, the following season was presented to the General Membership and voted in.

The Importance of Being Earnest Audition dates: July 14-16 Performances: Early September.

Urinetown Audition dates: Sept. 8-10 Performances: November 5-21 (Thurs, Fri, Sat., all evenings, no matinees- 9 shows)

Cinderella Kids Audition dates: Dec 14-16 Performances Feb 19-28 (Fri, Sat, Sun – 8 shows)

One Acts auditions: March Performances: April 23, 24 & 30 and May 1.

This leaves time for POPS Follies at the end of the season in the theater. It was also suggested that in addition to singing at the Courtney Christmas Fest, that POPS also be available to sing at other functions during the Christmas season to raise money.

**Summer meetings:** It was decided that POPS would continue to meet during the summer months. There will be a meeting on July 13 and on August 10.

**Facebook:** POPS has a Facebook account. It was suggested this would be a good place for discussions and recruiting of people to help with shows.

**Logos:** Gary has found a place to engrave logos for the gobos. For each show, come up with a design that can be engraved on the glass.

**Banner:** Gary proposed that POPS get a banner to put up when we do things to advertise our presence. Chrissy Miller, the publicist, will look into that.

**Permanent Poster:** POPS has the Key to the poster box in front of the theater. Chrissy Miller is working on a poster to place there advertising POPS.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted,  
Christine Smith  
POPS Recording Secretary