

**Norwalk Gamer Symphony Orchestra**  
**Minutes for the General Meeting of Wednesday, May 17th, 2023**

*Meeting called to order at 8:07 P.M. by Bryan.*

*Lexi motions to accept the minutes as read, Evan seconds.*

Committee Reports

<note> We will be doing a new method of committee reports in our meetings, whereby each active committee will be asked whether they have a report to give, so that the membership can be better kept aware of what committees exist and could be taken part in. </note>

- 1.) Finance Committee Report, by Stephen
  - a.) No report to give.
- 2.) Fundraising Committee Report, by Lexi
  - a.) No report to give.
- 3.) Music Committee Report, by Nick
  - a.) No report to give.
- 4.) Social Committee Report, by Rei
  - a.) No report to give.
- 5.) Stage Committee Report, by Ben
  - a.) We're working on developing a rider, with a technical side for our technological stage needs (power/etc.), as well as a logistical side for our space and time needs.
  - b.) We had a meeting last week going over the responsibilities of each member in the stage committee.
  - c.) Ben has a walkthrough with Westport Library scheduled for tomorrow to start planning that performance. Please fill out the attendance form if you're planning to attend that show.

Old Business

None.

New Business

*Lexi moves to suspend the normal order of business in order to hold elections, Ben seconds. Bryan is opposed, but the motion passes regardless.*

*We will post the Google Forms to conduct voting in the **#nominations** channel.*

- 1.) Presidential Election - Lexi, Rei, and Sam accept nominations.
  - a.) In a run-off election, no candidate is able to reach a majority of votes among those present at the meeting. Therefore, this position remains unfilled!
- 2.) Vice Presidential Election - Rei, Ben, and Sam accept nominations.
  - a.) Rei wins on a run-off ballot between Ben and Rei!
- 3.) Secretarial Election - Sam and Lexi accept nominations.

a.) Lexi wins!

4.) Treasurer - Stephen runs unopposed, accepts nomination.

a.) Stephen wins!

5.) Member at Large - Josh, Evan, Sam, and Ben accept nominations.

a.) Ben, Evan, and Sam win election!

*Lexi moves to return to the normal order of business, Stephen seconds.*

<back to new business>

*Evan moves to discuss a special election for president, Lexi seconds. Bryan says he will discuss that with the board in a separate meeting. Evan withdraws motion.*

*Rei moves to adjourn the meeting, Sam seconds.*

#### Announcements

0.) Next rehearsal is **Tuesday, May 30th, at the American Legion.**

1.) Next General Members Meeting is **Wednesday, June 21st, 8 P.M. ET over Discord Voice Channel.**

2.) Next performance is **Remembering Bryce at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation in Westport on Saturday, May 20th.** Be ready to play at **1 P.M. EST.**

3.) "Keep practicing!" - Ben

4.) "Thank you, everyone." - Bryan