Jackson County Stage Company Membership Meeting October 21, 2019

Call to Order: 7:00 pm in the West Theatre by President Susan McLernon

Present: Susan McLernon, Jeff Keasler-Bird, Brandyn McGhee, Eric Billingsley, Craig & Jo Hinde, Jim Lambert, Sandy Lambert, Ruth Dougherty

Treasury Report

- -- Tony has been organizing the system and formatting categories for funds.
- --Nick Earl's estate gifted us \$2500

Brandyn made a motion to approve the treasury report; Ruth seconds motion; the motion is approved unanimously.

President

- --Council is looking to update the director's handbook to include a section addressing minors and consent forms as well as sensitive issues that may arise based on the type of show (violence, intimacy, etc.)
- --"Options" group that deals with special needs children reached out interested in working with us and getting kids involved with volunteering in the theatre.
- --Looking to go back in to the constitution to reevalutate the job descriptions of all the coordinators/positions on the council as well as lay out the duties of the newly forming 'Community Outreach Coordinator' position to replace the 'facilities coordinator' position.
 - --VCA meeting on Thursday to begin discussion for next season's agreement.

VP of Productions

Anne Frank totals 48% in sales and over 500 in attendance. Over \$1000 in ticket presales before the show even opened. Very great response and feed back

Announcement of the Staged Readings

No Exit

The Revolutionists

The Complete Works of Shakespeare Abridged

A Piece of My Heart

Directors Applications for these are now available. Contact Brandyn McGhee for more info.

Christmas Carol starts rehearsals tonight. Director Shay Miller has a great vision for the production so things are looking good for that.

Stage Combat workshop will be this week Tuesday for beginners and Saturday for adults. Walk-Ins will be accepted if you have registered yet. Price adjustment to \$10 for non-member and \$5 for members due to low registration.

New Business

Ruth reported a particular response she received from an audience member who was a child in Austria at the time of the Holocaust. They commented on the accuracy and impact of the lighting and sound that added great authenticity.

7:25 pm meeting adjourned.