

The Fairfax-Loudoun Music Fellowship met on Wednesday, October 12, 2016, at Music and Arts in Sterling. Members present included Lydia Kriso, Sandy Baker, Amy Work, Maria Bokel, Mark Pino, Kathleen Hall, and Ellen Ortega.

Sandy Baker opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m. Libby McConnell read the September minutes, which were approved as read.

Sandy Baker reported that there is \$22,539.46 in the checking account. Recent expenditures included music printing, a music printing license, and the September speaker. Income included member dues and Reston Community Center recital fees.

Darya Gabay sent a report on the upcoming Reston Community Center recital. There are so many entrants that she is has to open a 4:30 recital time. The recitals will be held October 23.

Jeri Bennett sent an update on the website. The PayPal link for the Lansdowne Holiday Recital is active and correct.

Diane Kimble sent an update on membership. The membership year runs from June 1, 2016 - May 31, 2017. There are 76 members to date. PayPal was used by 43 members.

Members who have not renewed their membership have been removed now from the website and from email listings. To join or to renew, contact Diane Kimble or access the online renewal options at www.flmf.org/memberarea. New members include Alexander Isom, who teaches piano in Leesburg, and Monika Dorosheff, who teaches violin and viola in Herndon.

Amy Work reported that seven teachers have signed up for the Lansdowne recitals. Registration has been extended to November 1. Send registrations and \$15 payment per student to Amy Work or use the PayPal link on the website. Entrants will receive certificates. Steve Cunningham will tune the piano on December 2. On Wednesday, December 21, the Lansdowne restaurant Coton and Rye will donate 5% of the night's receipts to FLMF, to add to a final donation to MusicLink. Teachers are encouraged to invite their families and students to dine at Coton and Rye to extend the fundraiser.

Today's program is devoted to the Ensemble Festival, which will be held at John Champe High School on February 18, with a snow date of February 25.

Sandy Baker thanked Music and Arts for the use of their space and the refreshments.

The meeting adjourned at 10:25 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Libby McConnell
FLMF Recording Secretary