

**GSVLOC
Draft Minutes
Annual Meeting**

August 1, 2010

Present: Waldyn Benbenek, Stephen Hage, Mary Gregory, Barb Hovey, Eric Pasternack, Rhea Sullivan

The Pirates of Penzance

Stephen reported that these folks have been hired for *Pirates*:

Stage Manager: Laura Bidgood

Set Design: Larry Rostad

Lighting: Andy Kedl

Audio-Visual Engineer: Bob Johanneck

Assistant Stage Managers: Trina Morrison and Brianna Sullivan

House Staff: David and Trina Morrison

We still need a Costumer. Lesley has a plan for costumes. The 1910-era womens' dresses will need to be made. What she really wants is a Costume Coordinator. There is also a potential issue with the Guthrie. It may be harder to get costumes.

We need a new Orchestra Coordinator. Deb Clapp is moving to England. We will ask Deb and Marina to give their input.

Production Coordinator – Jack Kravik is interested in serving in this position. He would attend production meetings, keep the calendar. Regarding set building, Stephen will call Dean to find out what he wants to do and then will talk to Jack.

We will coordinate with YPC. Larry has not yet been hired by YPC for their next show.

Costume Storage Update

Eric Pasternack reported that Dean and Jack have built a platform for the storage space. The costumes have been hung up and catalogued.

Rehearsal Space

Rhea will make the reservations at Lake Harriet Methodist Church for rehearsal space. Auditions will be Sun., Nov. 14, Mon., Nov. 15 and Tues., Nov. 16. Rehearsals will likely begin January 24 and go through March 5. Rhea will confirm this with Marina and Lesley.

Website

We discussed the slow loading time of the website. We will move from Go Daddy to 1and1 Internet in the hope of speeding it up. We discussed that we are \$1,500 over budget.

The Yeomen of the Guard

Bob Neu is interested in directing our 2012 production of *The Yeomen of the Guard*. The Board agreed we should hire him as Stage Director and Marina Liadova as Music Director for *Yeomen*.

Thespis

We are planning an October 10 get-together to watch *Thespis* at Holly and Richard's. There is some concern that Jim's recording has poor sound quality. We plan to listen to both productions separately. We may need a smaller committee if we decide to do a rewrite.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

The next meeting will be **Monday, September 13 at 7:00 p.m. at Stephen Hage's home – 5521 Goya Lane in Edina.**

Respectfully submitted,

Rhea Sullivan
GSVLOC Secretary