

Santa Cruz Shoestring Players  
Board Meeting  
12/10/24 at 6:00pm at Marcy Miller's home

Present:

Marcy Miller	Ray Hebert	Claire Corlett	Jeff Webster
Regina Ford	Susan Voorhees	Chad Eggen	Marie Valade
Kara Reynolds	Anne Butman	Janet Gerdes	Don Scarlett
Diana Ouradnik			

Meeting began at 7:04pm. JANET moved to approve minutes from November meeting. CLAIRE seconded. APPROVED.

Next Meeting: 1/14/25 at 6:00pm in the CPAC office

Officer Reports

Secretary's report was presented by KARA. We had 6 new members join since the last meeting.

Treasurer's report was presented by RAY.

Treasurer's Report 11/1/24-11/30/24

Beginning Balance	\$26,218.24
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Deposits:

Sold hidden door	\$75.00
Donation	\$200.00
GV Players donation	\$5882.47
Spider's Web Expenses and Profit	\$12,246.13

Withdrawals:

Sitebuilder	\$25.45
Spider's Web	\$3281.57
Board Expenses	\$185.37

Ending Balance	\$41,129.45
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Show Updates

Into the Woods: The show is almost fully blocked, and progressing well. RAY would like some fake Christmas trees for the set; JEFF will send a request for them out via the newsletter.

Farndale Ave: Auditions will be held January 28 & 29. CHAD will produce, with help from SUSAN.

Kids' Camp: Materials for Matilda Jr. have arrived.

#### New Business:

MARCY urged board members to consider taking on a production role during the upcoming season.

#### Old Business:

The cleaning and sorting project is moving forward. The storage room was cleaned/disinfected on December 7th. We need to purchase more metal shelving to replace the wooden shelves that were damaged by the packrats.

The new flats project is on hiatus until after Into the Woods.

Ticket prices: Chris Ashcraft asked us to consider raising our ticket prices. After discussion, we decided that for the '25-'26 season we would charge \$20 for the summer show, \$25 for the fall and spring shows, and \$30 for the winter show (because it's a musical). DON moved to vote to approve. ANNE seconded. APPROVED.

The Sahuarita Winterfest float was a success. Many thanks to CLAIRE for taking charge of this event!

SUSAN offered to write a monthly Shoestring newsletter, beginning in January.

#### Subcommittee Updates:

- Play Reading:

After approving several plays with the help of their committee, CHAD, DON, and KARA proposed the following for the '25-'26 season:

Summer: Office Party, directed by CLAIRE Corlett Brown

Fall: Unnecessary Farce, directed by Ron Heiss

Winter: The Fantasticks, directed by Kevin Hansen

Spring: Picasso at the Lapin Agile, directed by Mike Manolakes

DON moved to vote to approve. CLAIRE seconded. APPROVED. MARCY will take the proposal to Chris Ashcraft and work on licensing. KARA, CHAD, and DON will contact the directors to obtain content warnings for the ticket website.

MARIE moved to adjourn. REGINA seconded. APPROVED

Meeting adjourned: 8:41pm