

Because Sharon Stewart (President of Gulf Coast Music Teacher's Association) was unable to be at the meeting, Beatrice Stanley called the GCMA meeting to order at 10:30 on Oct. 5, 2018.

Beatrice Stanley, Secretary, read the previous meeting's minutes. No corrections

Jennifer Key gave the treasurer report. She also spoke about the National Federation awards.

Autumn Artist Festival chair, Lara Fulcher, updated the members in attendance on the progress of plans for AAF. She reminded members of the private lessons with requests of all coming to her house for those private lessons use Google Maps to find their way. She sent around a sign up sheet for the luncheon after the Workshop and refreshments during the workshop and after the recital.

Cindy Kuenneke announced that advertisements went into the Bay Area News Letter.

Cindy Kuenneke announced the Jazz-Pop Festival at Heritage Baptist Church on Nov. 10 with a costume contest. She expects that piano, voice and guitar will be in the festival. It was recommended to her that Mariam McFalls would be a good voice judge.

Susan Hanks, Gold Cup Chairman, announced that the information about Gold Cup will be presented in the November GCMA meeting. Hymn registrations are due today.

Joy Timmons, membership chair, announced no new members today.

Jennifer Key will help with online registration for Gold Cup after today's meeting for anyone needing that help.

After today's meeting the AAF will be meeting with the UBC staff to finalize arrangements for the AAF.

Cindy Kuennecke announced the Symphony League meeting at St. Thomas Episcopal Church.

Beatrice Stanley noted that all members should have received an email with a flyer announcing Houston Young Artists' Concert online pre-screening audition. She requested money be approved for GCMA to put an ad in the January Houston Young Artists Concert at Stude Concert Hall.

Thank you to Andrea Warren for taking today's minutes.

Respectfully submitted

Beatrice Stanley