

The general meeting of GCMA was called to order at 9:45 on April 6, 2018 at UBC. Beatrice Stanley read the previous meeting's minutes with one correction.

Elizabeth Kwan is at this meeting and moving slowly.

Whitney Nolder's student is to talk to Mariam McFalls about pieces required.

Jennifer Key gave the treasurer's report. She also reported on the State Convention where she was awarded lifetime membership in NFMC.

Joy Timmons (membership chair) announced that there are no new members.

Mariam McFalls gave the Sonatina Festival update: 2 Hour teacher assignments. Recitals in the UBC Sanctuary with printed programs will be at 9, 10, 11, 1 and 2. There are a total of 4 judges. One request for the recitals – No cell phones!

Beatrice Stanley suggested that all the meeting minutes go on the GCMA website. Because of privacy issues this issue will be brought up at the yearly board meeting. Whitney suggested a private area on the website for the minutes.

Sharon Stewart requested a volunteer to step up to take care of ordering the food for the May luncheon at Jerri Pipperts' home. No one volunteered.

Cindy Kuenneke announced Symphony League home tour this week. April 11 the Symphony League meeting includes Houston Symphony embedded musicians at Gloria Dei.

GCMA adjourned at 10:10 for a very informative program presented by Elizabeth Guittierez focusing on piano technic.

Respectfully submitted Beatrice Stanley, recording secretary.