

## Band Booster Meeting 10/3/17

1. **Call to Order:** Meeting was called to order by Lisa Gross at 6:36 pm. Present in attendance: Lisa Gross, Penny Murphy, Laura Pfeiffelman, John Pfeiffelman, Beth Twynham, and Dakota Weldon.
2. **Minutes from last meeting:** April made a motion and Beth seconded it to approve the minutes from last month's meeting. Motion carried
3. **Correspondence:** None
4. **Financial Report:** Available balance \$5,037.10 in checking. Penny needs to reimburse Paul's account for the uniform pants ,and the shoes that were paid.. Laura made a motion and April seconded it to accept the financial report. Motion carried. Concession sales are rolling along. Some nights are better than others. Laurai made a motion and Dakota seconded it to reimburse April and Beth for the concessions supplies they purchased. Motion carried. Dakota made a motion and Beth seconded it to accept the financial report..
5. **Band Director Report:** .
  - a. Things are running smoothly. If someone disagrees with that informations, please contact Mr. Shimmons directly.
  - b. Alma's schedule is online for this Saturday.
  - c. At the Midland competition, SVSU will perform to end the show.
  - d. Thank you for allowing the students to go to Dr. Tim. It was great as always.
  - e. Cabin Fever is scheduled for 2/10/18.
6. **Committees**
  - a. **T-Shirts-**
    - i. Shirts are done and have been delivered. Paul has a couple that need to be picked up from him still. One of them is Cindy Green's moms. (I believe.)
    - ii. After final costs the t-shirts brought in profit of \$152.
  - b. **Uniforms:**
    - i. Beth has fixed a couple of uniform pants for students. Thanks! Jeffrey has two pairs of marching pants. One of them was left in the band room. The other pair we need the new number for.
  - c. **Equipment/Trailer:**
    - i. Thank you to the Frost's for all you do with the trailer! Thank you April, for pulling the trailer everywhere we need!!! We need more water for the kids at the games.
  - d. **Fundraising**
    - i. We want to do trash bag sales in January. We want to purchase a few extra boxes to sell at Cabin Fever.
    - ii. We will be doing the box tops drive. It ends on October 20th. Paul will fill out the form and get the information in the announcements.
  - e. **Color Guard:**
    - i. Thank you Shari and Amber! Color guard is getting great reviews at the shows.
  - f. **Chaperones:**
    - i. We have enough for the competitions.
  - g. **Concessions:**
    - i. There is a conflict with concessions on 10/11 It is our Midland Invitational. We need to have parents of 7th and 8th graders in band to work that night. Paul will be asking the 8th graders to work the concessions booth. Thank you to the 7th and 8th grade students who stepped up and worked it during our last conflict!!
    - ii. CMU concessions-If someone is willing to work at CMU the day of homecoming, band boosters will receive money to help purchase instruments. Workers would be done and back to Farwell by 6pm.

- iii. CMU concessions- Wednesday 11/8 and Friday 11/24. We are concerned about the 24th as that is the Friday of Thanksgiving break. However, decent money is made from their concessions and we really, really need people to work this.
- iv. We are still looking for donations for of:
  - 1. Bottles of Dasani water
  - 2. Cans of Coke, Diet Coke, Sprite, Fanta Orange
  - 3. Bottles of Powerade 20 oz or smaller.
  - 4. These donations are used for students who purchase food/drink before a competition and for concessions.

## **7. Old business**

### **a. Marching Season:**

- i. Shorter practice on 10/10 6:30 - 7:30.
- ii. Home football game:
  - 1. 10/20 is senior parents
  - 2. 10/20 is uniform turn in night. All students must turn in their uniform that night after half time. Make sure to have acceptable clothes/coats/etc to change into.
  - 3. Lisa will order flowers for the parents of senior's.

## **8. New Business:**

### **a. Concert Uniforms-**

- i. Concert uniforms will be handed out on October 23rd starting at 6:00 pm. Mr. Shimmons will create a schedule with what times specific grade levels need to be there.
- ii. Dakota and John will be handing out the uniforms for the boys. We need two adult females to hand out the uniforms for the girls.
- b. Drive 4 UR School- Carl Seiter told us last year that the band could have the drive for your school event the next time it was offered to us. Lisa will be talking to our current superintendent and the new one once he is hired regarding that.

- 9. Adjourn:** A motion to adjourn was made by Laura and seconded by John. Motion carried. Meeting Adjourned at 7:45 pm.

**Next Meeting on Tuesday, November 7th at 6:30 pm in the High School Library.**

**\*\*\*Non-profit status must be must be voted on and paid for in the September meeting every year. Billing is now online.\*\*\***