Farwell Band Boosters Meeting: 91//2015

1. **Call to Order:** Meeting was called to order at 7:10 by Lisa Gross. Present in attendance: Penny Murphy, Shari Buccilli, Beth Twynham, Laura Pfeiffelman, John Pfeiffelman, Lisa Torr, Katrina Cotton, Dorothy Hunt, Melissa Evans, Shari Marhofer, Stephannie Conroy, Kristina Boling, Jill Albaugh, Shelly Walkiewicz, Brad Evans, Cheryl Wyatt

2. **Approval of Minutes:** Shari made a motion and Penny seconded it to approve the minutes from last month's meeting. Motion carried

3. **Correspondence:** None.

4. **Financial Report:** We have more to pay on Band Camp. We have to pay Paul back for the marching shoes that he paid for out of his account that students gave the money to the boosters. We have not paid for the marching band t-shirts yet.
   Starting balance: $17,735.37
   Net Expenses: $12,650.00
   Ending Balance: $8,044.37 - the cost of the trailer ads.
   Available balance: Approximately $5000.00 once unpaid bills are paid.

April made a motion and Shari seconded it to approve the financial report. Motion carried.

5. **Band Directors Report-**

   a. There is no practice September 8th and 15th. There may be sectionals those nights.
   b. Paul is now using class messenger instead of remind. People need to make sure they get signed up. When you sign up you can choose which form of contact you want: email, text, etc.
   c. Dr. Tim is on September 15th.
   d. Thanks to April for being a chaperone at band camp.
   e. Drive for your school event-There are pledges on the band website.
   f. Chaperones-All chaperones need to take their license to the admin office to have a background check before helping. This needs to be done every year.

6. **Committee Reports:**
   a. **T-shirt committee**- Laura will check with Paul and Jacob regarding the State Festival t-shirts and the t-shirts that people ordered at the last concert that they never received.
   b. **Equipment/Trailer:**
      i. Hopefully it will be ready to be picked up on Friday so it can go to have the ads put on it.

ii. Ads are still available to purchase. Contact Lisa Gross for more information.

c. **Uniforms:** John has 12 done and 16 more to alter. The students who did not go to band camp need to be fitted.

d. **Fundraising:** Drive for your school event-please help promote it!
   i. Ideas-Garbage bag-money goes towards general fund to purchase new instruments and such, bake sale at Jay's, Bowl-a-thon

e. **Color Guard:** No report at this time.

f. **Chaperones:**
   i. All chaperones need to give a copy of their driver's license to the Administration office before helping out. This needs to be done every year.
   ii. We need chaperones for the invitationals.
   iii. Lisa Gross has sign ups for chaperone opportunities. Contact her to help out.

g. **Concessions:** Lisa Gross has several sign up sheets for volunteer opportunities.

7 **Old Business- Camp wrap up:**

i. Thank you to Rich Maxwell, Greg Shimmons, Lisa Gross, Mr. Manley, and Nina for helping out at camp.

ii. The springs said we have really good kids

8.**New Business:**

i. We need middle school students to pass out flyers for the drive4urschool event during the Labor Day Parade. The drive4urschool event is Sept 18th.

ii. Concessions: We need workers for several concessions events. There is one September 2nd at 5:30. Stephen C and Andrea T are working it.

a. We need Middle School workers to do concessions on 9/12 since that is also a day that we are doing concessions at CMU.

b. For the CMU concessions, everyone who is signed up needs to be at the school and ready to leave by 11:30.

c.We will be using coke again so that we can use the cooler in the concession booth in the bubble.

iii. Membership, volunteers, communication-

a. We have many opportunities for volunteers.

b. We are always looking for new members. Spread the word.

c. Communication will be done mostly through Class Messenger. Please sign up. We will also have the band boosters meeting minutes on Google docs for people to see. If someone wants to receive them they need to contact Laura Pfeiffelman so she can get their email.

iv. Tailgate: Potluck-We will be doing a potluck at each home game. We will be asking parents to donate hot dogs, buns, chips, water, pop? for each home game. On September 18th we will be having it over where the drive4urschool event is happening.

v. Dr. Tim-Shari made a motion to pay for half of the cost for each student going to see Dr. Tim. April seconded it. Motion carried.

vi. A question was asked about what help we have for students who cannot financially pay for band camp. The following suggestions were given: Apply for a scholarship for part of the cost, sell Buccilli's punch cards, other parents or students who sell extra can sponsor someone who can't afford it.,

A motion to adjourn was made by to Kristine and seconded by Penny at 7:58pm and the motion carried. Meeting Adjourned

Next Meeting: Tuesday October 13th at 6:30 pm at the Football field.