

## **Band Booster Meeting 5/2/17**

- 1 Call to Order:** Meeting was called to order by Lisa Gross at 6:35 pm.  
Present in attendance: Lisa Gross, Penny Murphy, Laura Pfeiffelman, John Pfeiffelman, April Frost, Shari Buccilli, Beth Twynham, and Paul Shimmons.
- 2 Minutes from last meeting:** Beth made a motion and John seconded it to approve the minutes from last month's meeting. Motion carried
- 3 Correspondence:** Laura read a letter to band boosters from two seventh grade students thanking the band boosters for the purchase of the new band instruments. We also received \$57.10 from the box tops drive.
- 4 Financial Report:** Available balance \$6443.47 in checking. April made a motion and Beth seconded it to accept the financial report. Motion carried. A motion was made via email to pay the bills for the new awards.
- 5 Band Director Report:**
  - a State Festival went well. Thank you to the chaperones. The judges are very well known and respected throughout the state of Michigan. The students should be proud of their accomplishment.
  - b Thank you for approving more awards for the band students.
  - c Upcoming dates:
    - i May 5th - 7th Spring Drama
    - ii May 11th - 5th - 7th grade concert
    - iii May 12th - 8th - 12th grade band, Melodic Fusion, and choir concert
  - d Students will wear polo's again for the parade and the concert. For the parade students need to be at the school by 9am.
- 6 Committees**
  - a **T-Shirts-**
    - i Shane S. at Farwell Buccilli's does shirts now. Check with him on pricing once we are ready to order.
  - b **Uniforms:**
    - i We will order them in June or via email vote once Paul has fitted the students for uniforms and knows how many students will be in the band in the fall.
  - c **Equipment/Trailer:**

- i April will be hauling the trailer to Fussman's. Penny made a motion and John seconded it to pay Fussman's once they have the ads on the trailer.
- d Fundraising**
  - i June 2nd-Penny will check in to see if we can do a bake sale at Surrey Point gas station.
  - ii Bowl-a-thon- There doesn't seem to be a good weekend in May for this. Paul is going to check with the students to see if they want to do one in June.
- e Color Guard:**
  - i The next three Monday's will be a practice after school from 3:15 - 4:15.
  - ii Wednesday, May 31st right after school will be tryouts .
- f Chaperones:**
  - i Thank you for those who chaperoned State Festival.
  - ii We may need chaperones for the bake sale.
  - iii Paul would like to hire a woodwind instructor for band camp. April suggested her niece Trisha Wentworth. Paul will be contacting her.
- g Concessions:**
  - i Laura suggested that in the fall to have Paul send out a remind message to parents to donate Powerade, Dasani water (16.9oz), and cans of Coke products such as Coke, Diet Coke, Sprite, Fanta Orange to help out with our concessions profit.

## **7 Old business**

- a Band Camp:**
  - i Old Debt- This is slowly getting paid off. We had one parent call and say their child was not in marching band in the fall so they will not be paying. Since the child was enrolled in marching band in the fall trimester Paul will be having a conversation with the student and the parent.
  - ii We have the square now so people can pay for band camp with a credit/debit card. There will need to be a convenience fee to cover the cost of the transaction. April, Lisa, and Penny will be set up at a table on May 12th for people to be able to pay their band camp balances.
  - iii Students can sell Buccilli's cards for \$10 each or raffle tickets for \$20.
- b State Festival awards:**

- i John made a motion and Beth seconded it to purchase awards for State Festival. Motion carried. (See below in new business.)
- c Scholarships and awards:**
  - i Shari made a motion and Penny seconded it to award four scholarships. The recipients will be listed in the next month's meeting minutes. Any used money from scholarships will roll over to the next year to be used for years that we have more than four deserving applicants.
- d Yearbook ad:**
  - i Paul will double check with Amy Rohdy to make sure that she has the picture. Penny wrote out a check for the ad. Motion was made via email.
- e Officers for next year:**
  - i All current officers are willing to do their position for one more year.

## **8 New Business**

- a Pins: John made a motion and Beth seconded it to purchase State Festival awards. Motion carried.

## **9 Adjourn:** A motion to adjourn was made by Beth and seconded by Shari. Motion carried. Meeting Adjourned at 7:45 pm.

**Next Meeting on Tuesday, June 6th at 6:30 pm in the High School Media Center.**

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

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