

## **Band Booster Minutes**

**Tuesday, November 10, 2016**

**President Mary Hovater** called the meeting to order at 7:00.

Welcomed everyone and reminded them to sign in and pick up information sheets.

**Minutes** from October 2016 meeting have been posted on the band web site. Mary asked if any corrections needed to be made. No comments. A motion was made to accept the minutes as recorded, a second motion was made, and the minutes were approved by all those present.

### **Treasurer Report**

- Reported the booster account has a balance of \$0.
- Outstanding band fees are being collected.
- A motion was made to accept the Treasurer's report, there was a second, and the treasurer's report was approved as reported.

### **Old Business**

- None to discuss

### **Hospitality**

- Band Card Party was a success.

### **Mary**

- Concession stand clean up date will be announced soon.
- Senior recognition was a success.

- Prides store amounts will be coming out soon, but it was a success.
- 5064 band cards were sold by the high school and 295 were sold by the middle school. 51 cards are still out.
- There are band show shirts available if anyone wants to purchase one.
- Please contact Carol to find out how much is due on the Chicago trip if you are unsure of the amount.
- Will print up a letter to hand out to anyone interested in helping sponsor the new uniform purchase.

## **Uniforms**

- Leslie stated all is good in the uniform room.
- Picture day is coming up Tuesday, the 15<sup>th</sup>
- Parents remind your children the full uniform is to go to Chicago and please put uniform in a uniform bag for convenience.

## **Public Relations**

- Kathryn requested everyone continue to take photos of the games so we can send them in to Mr. Smith by the end of the school year.

## **Chaperones**

- Thanks to everyone who helped out with away and home games!

## **Pit Crew**

- John Sisk asked about shocks and brighter head lights on the equipment truck.
- Loading crew was the best ever.
- **Mrs. Bean presented by Mr. Tuescher**
  - A special thank you to the band booster parents who helped at the middle school games.
  - Lockers are on the priority list and will be purchased with the band card funds.
  - Thanks to Mary and Judy for all their hard work.

## **Mr. Teuscher by Mr. Smith (CMS Football Game)**

- Performance competitions went well, with percussion scoring an 89 at the Hoover event and a 95 at the Athens event.

## **Mr. Smith**

- Marching season went very well and the students were superior.
- Thanked the boosters for all their hard work.
- We have been looking at some different style uniforms for the band when the time comes to order.
- We will need sponsors to get the new uniforms by next year. We will have to order them by December of 2016 to receive them by April 2017.

- Met with the students to discuss rules for the Chicago trip.
- Preparations are underway for the Christmas concert.
- MPA's will be Feb 28-March 2<sup>nd</sup>. Will know exact date later.
- Jazz Band is preparing for the Christmas festival.

### **Big Band Dance**

- Dance will be Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- Katherine Andrews passed around sign-up sheets for anyone interested in helping with the Big Band Dance.
- Theme will be Mardi Gras.
- Suggestions were made to remind parents this is a community event and not a chaperoned event. Children under 12 will need a chaperone.

### **Mary**

- Next meeting is scheduled for January 3, 2017 at 7:00 pm

There was a motion, a second, and the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

La Tonya Boike, Secretary

Mary Hovater, President