

BAND BOOSTER MINUTES
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 7:06 by Ondrea Pate.

NEW BUSINESS

- Felicia asked that anyone who has signed up to work concessions to please let her know if you can't make it. There have been a couple of rough days and this way we could plan better. We need more help for the Columbia game on 10/13 and we are feeding Columbia. New games have been added on 10/17 and 10/19 for playoffs. Kids can help on the weekday games.
- We have band shirts left for sale except for small.
- We need chaperones for the competitions.
- Cliff let us know that concessions have been doing well. The kids have been a big help. Thank you to everyone else that has been helping.
- Leeanna let us know that there are still a few band cards out at the High School. The Big Band Dance will be at The Loft. The theme is USO 1940's.
- We could use more water donations for the kids.
- The Cullman Band and Band Booster pages are 2 different pages on Facebook. We put our stuff on the Booster page and you have to join the Booster page.

TREASURER REPORT

- Carole let us know our bank balance is \$.

MRS. BEAN

- 10/20- Night at the Stadium. Advanced and Beginner Band will be on the same night.
- The parade and band exhibition went well. Thank you to Ayden Norris and Molly who carried the banner. Thank you to Mrs. Scott and Mr. Tucker for riding along and carrying gatorade and water for the band. Thank you to all the HS band mentors who have come straight to our 6:00 practice directly from their own practice.
- 10/19- Advanced Band is playing for the 8th grade championship game.
- 11/1- final day to turn in band cards or \$.
- 11/3- field trip to Fall Spectrum at University of Alabama. Their whole music department takes part in it. The Million Dollar Band plays at the end.
- 12/7- Christmas Concert in CHS auditorium.
- Advanced Band is playing at the Veteran's Day Drive By. There is no date yet.
- Thank you to Lexi Chadwick for making sure the rehearsal space is in order and ready for the next rehearsal.
- Legend shirts are running late.
- Now is the time to sign up for All County and All State and to be learning 12 major scales.

- Thanks to the School Board and Mr. Kyle Kallhoff the MS has received 5 concert tubas. All MS players have 1 for home practice and 1 for school now.
- Thank you to Sara Cherry for the food for the band parents on Instrument Night.

MR. SMITH

- We are meeting at 5:45 for the game against Athens this Friday.
- Saturday is the marching contest. Buses leave at 3:20 and we perform at 6:20. We are the next to last band. There are 5 band judges and the score is from 0-100. 90-100 is superior and that is our goal in everything we are judged in. We always listen to the judges' comments to learn and grow.
- The room lists for Chicago are up on the window. It can be checked for any mistakes.
- 10/14- Trussville Marching Invitational at Hewitt-Trussville HS. We are playing at 5 pm.
- There is no contest on 10/21. All the rest of the games in regular season at home.
- 11/07- Individual Band Picture Day
- Band Booster meeting has been moved to 11/13 from 11/14. There is a chaperone meeting for the Chicago trip directly after.
- Chicago trip summary- day of the parade schedule is the only thing up in the air. The parade will be broadcast, live streamed and in syndication for the month of November. The parade is run by ABC and Disney and there is a fireworks show at the end.
- Band Exhibition- was a great night. Our band had their best run of the year so far.
- 10/20- Senior Recognition- It is a pre-game event. The parents will go on the field with their senior, It's the same night as Night at the Stadium.

MR. TEUSCHER

- Thank you to everyone who helped on the 9/11 percussion field trip to Florence at Muscle Shoals HS. It was a great night and at the end all the bands played the cadence together.

There was a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:54 and it was seconded.

Stephanie Lambert, Secretary

Ondrea Pate, President