HHS Band Boosters General Meeting Minutes

04/12/2022 -

Executive Board Members (all present)

Dennis Marvin, President Jeremy Landfair, Vice President Lori Underhill, Treasurer Tammi Czewski, Asst. Treasurer Kate Sellers, Secretary Lisa Bean, Uniform Committee Kristy Cross, Uniform Co-Chair Mike Emerson, Band Director

Call to Order: 7:10pm

Other Attendees: Patty Dokum, Maria Rosa Palmer, Ted Palmer, Matt Lincoln

Review minutes from March 8, 2022: Kate Sellers reviewed minutes from previous meeting.

Financial Update: MSBOA cashed the check from November and dry cleaning was paid. Total was \$2500 paid. Current total bank balance is \$28,644.16. We have not received the funds from the Band Aid Go Fan ticket app yet. Lori will be following up with them.

Band Director Update: Tri-district concert in Eaton Rapids. Hopefully starting at 7:30pm with students arriving at 6:30pm. Short reception before. Jackson will not be able to make it. It should be done about 8:15pm. The Jazz band has a couple of performances coming up. The spring concert is May 12 along with distribution of awards after the concert. Mr. Emerson is organizing the awards.

Board of Director Updates: Nothing to report outside of already scheduled topics

Key Dates Going Forward:

- Band Booster meeting 05/10/2022 (annual meeting and elections)
- Spring Concert and Awards Night 05/12/2022
- Memorial Day Activities 05/30/2022

Fundraising Activities:

Old Uniform/Spirit Wear- Almost \$1500 this year raised from the old uniform sales. Lisa Bean will try to get a hold of people to get some more items made over the summer for future sales. The goal is to have the items ready for sale at band camp.

Band Aid Results- Overall Band Aid went well. May want to have tickets in the balcony next time if they are switched out again. Not everyone was okay with checking in at the separate tables and getting a paper ticket. Concert tickets (\$2,355), donations(\$226.84) and sold items(\$435) minus PayPal fees and what will go to the Junior High (\$500), the total was \$2,508.67. This is about half of what we typically take in for a traditional Band Aid event which has included a spaghetti dinner and silent auction in the past. Considering we only started planning 2 weeks prior to this past event rather than in November as we usually do, everyone is relatively satisfied with the results. The future leadership team in conjunction with Mr Emerson will have to decide how to proceed with Band Aid next year and what options to consider such as silent auction, etc.

Annual Meeting Call for Nominations: Election of Officers: This is the official call for nominations. They can be submitted until the meeting on 05/10/2022 is called to order. Nomination requests can be conveyed through Mr. Emerson.

Booster Member Comment Period/ Questions: It was suggested that we do pizza for Memorial Day instead of the cookout. Everyone agreed. Kate will order and pick up. The Bean family will pay for Kona Ice to come in between parades for the kids!

Band Camp cost has been discussed and will be a base of \$130 per student with anyone that needs a new polo or shoes paying those extra costs.

Mr. Lewis is retiring this year and Mr. Emerson would really like to do something special for him at the May 17th final J.H. Concert. We brainstormed some ideas and will continue to consider ideas around about how to honor all the work he has done with the kids over the years.

Adjourned at: 8:10 p.m.