March Band Patrons

March 2, 2017

Meeting called to order.

Present: Kendra Griffin, Kathy Hoffman, Richard Hoffman, Noelle Freshner, Russ Griffin, Carisa Schneider, Kristina Saul, Andi Maroncelli, Janae Bates, Dave Johanson, Nicole Johanson

Minutes from February were approved as written.

Treasurer’s Report: See attached.

3 deposits of 6th grade money so far. Still have 22 students unpaid.

Correspondence: Received a $100 donation from the Semlings in memory of Marilyn Naish.

Band Announcements:

Wind Ensemble qualified for state at their first festival.

Incoming freshmen have forecasted for next year. High school is currently forecasting for next year. Mr. Stearns will hopefully be offering a music theory/history class.

We had two students audition for colleges recently. Senior scholarship info will be coming out soon.

Report of Exec Board: We met, discussed Disneyland and where we are at with that, discussed the Square account for use at the Winter Percussion/Guard Show.

Scrip Update: We had two new families sign up tonight. We still need to convince people that this program is worth the effort to get it set up and use it. We also discussed using Scrip cards to pay for Disneyland hotel and possibly food money for students.

How do we get more volunteers? There were various ideas brainstormed. Fee credits for volunteer hours, contract parents to do some of the big jobs (like props), etc. It was asked that we table this to the executive board for further discussion. It was decided that we create a membership committee of 3-5 people to iron out 2-4 ideas to bring back to the next general meeting. National Honor Society is always looking to accumulate volunteer hours, so maybe we can access them to volunteer.

Krispy Kreme Fundraiser:

We will need to get the order in 48hours in advance. There is concern that there is not enough time this month to have kids presell for the March can drive. It was suggested that we move this fundraiser to the April can drive.

Next executive meeting: Thursday March 23.

New Business:

Could we do an informational night to get people set up to do the Fred Meyer partnership? Kathy will talk to Bonnie about setting up a time.

Nominations for board positions are now open and will be for the next couple months.

Chair: Richard Hoffman was nominated and had to decline. Russ Griffin was nominated and has not yet accepted the nomination.

Vice Chair:

Secretary: Kendra Griffin was nominated and accepted.

Treasurer: Kathy Hoffman was nominated and accepted.

PR: Michelle Erickson was nominated but is not present to respond.

Next Band Patrons Meeting is April 6.