

Band Patrons General Meeting

August 5, 2021

7pm, Loo Witt Room

Board Present: Josh Fully, Jennifer Griffith, Ryan Scholl, Shannon Wolf, Lisa Scholl

Others Present: Michelle Erickson, Kristina Saul, Melinda Gartman, Vanessa Wallace, Sadie McGuire, DeAngelo Mitchell, Nicole Huson, Brayden Huson, Noelle Freshner, Travis Freshner

Meeting called to order by Ryan Scholl.

Correspondence

- Jennifer Griffith read a letter that the High School band and choir received from congress.
 - The letter was congratulating them on earning top honors from OSAA this year.
- Jane Garcia & Jennifer Pugsley with Keller Williams presented the band with a check for \$1,000 to help replace the items that were stolen.

Approval of June Meeting Minutes

- Melinda Gartman moved to approve the minutes.
- Lisa Scholl seconded.
- It was a unanimous approval by all who attended.

Board Meeting Report

- Ryan Scholl gave a report for the board meeting. We talked about budget, correspondence, fundraisers, upcoming events.

Band Announcements: High School - Noelle Freshner

- Leadership Camp - August 6th
- Marching Band Camp - August 16th.
 - 69 marchers & 5 non-marchers
 - Need help with uniform fittings.
 - Kendra Griffin heading it up.
 - Sign ups online.
 - Parent show and picnic on the last night of camp.
- Rehearsal schedule is set.
 - Right after school on Mondays.
 - 6-9pm on Wednesdays.
- Two shows: Grants Pass and Century Showcase.
- Possible assembly performances.
- Jazz Band moved into the school day as one of the eight periods.
- OMEA conference
 - Unofficially a go to perform at the state conference with the Wind Ensemble.
- Disneyland
 - A lot of people didn't make June payment. Need to make sure that is paid along with August.
 - Register with World Stride online and ignore all their payment things.

Band Announcements: Middle School - Travis Freshner

- Summer camp was a success.
 - 35-36 kids
 - 8th-10th with a couple of 11th & 12th graders
- Will be doing most instrument fittings before school starts so when school starts he can get right to teaching.
- Numbers are low.
 - 45 total students
 - 15 - 8th graders
- Some work orders he's had in for years are starting to get done.

Fundraisers

Can & Bottle Drive

- 50/50

TNT

- Profit was low.
 - 2020-2021 \$7,086.35
 - 2021-2022 \$3,447.02
 - Cost went up.
 - Sales were low.
 - Staffing was low.
 - Discussion about continuing it or replacing it with more can drives in the summer.
 - There is no limit on how many times we can drop cans & bottles off.
 - Noelle supports a move either direction.
 - Melinda suggested trying it one more year.
 - Noelle said we should talk to Ron (TNT contact) and ask questions about how things are run before we decide. Once TNT is gone as a fundraiser it is gone for good.
 - Vanessa Wallace suggested getting a booth at Halloweentown or 13 Nights to replace TNT.
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- Josh Fully talked about having a committee for fundraisers.
 - Josh also suggested having a competition between Mr. & Mrs. Freshner to try and boost sales.
 - Michelle Erickson will get the bulb fundraiser going for September.
 - Popcorn fundraiser to get going for August.
 - Discussion about options for different fundraisers.

Shop With Scrip

- It's easy to do with the app.

Amazon Smile

Sponsorship Program - Kristina Saul

- T-Shirts
 - 26 max sponsors
 - Add Jane Garcia to it.
 - Logos & checks due Sept. 17th
 - After that they will have to be just on the trailer.
- Discussion about pulling old sponsors that no longer give off of the trailer.

Treasurer Report - Shannon Wolf

- Total Revenue for July \$3,447.02
- Total Expenses for July \$2,231.20 (2.9% of budget)
 - Jenison Band Boosters - Dancer Flags
 - Northwest Self Storage - 1 year for storage unit
- Total Net Income \$1,215.82
- Account Balances
 - General Fund \$24,125.21
 - Boost Savings Account \$25,052.16
 - Benevolent Scholarship Fund \$44,968.65
 - Scrip Checking Account \$3,016.20
 - Summer Scholarships (Including Holiday Showcase for Lessons) \$1,498.65
 - Hoffman Summer Music Lesson Scholarship \$1,067.37
 - Music Lesson Scholarship CD 12 month (Sept. 2021) \$3,622.51
 - Music Lesson Scholarship CD 33 month (Dec 2021) \$3,245.55
 - Total Band ASB Account \$49,312.59
 - Disney Trip \$36,363.00 as of 7/11/2021
 - Marching Band/Color Guard \$0
 - Color Guard Uniforms \$0
 - Ensemble Uniforms \$0
 - Winter Guard \$0
 - Percussion \$0
 - Winter Percussion \$0
- Shannon mentioned that we will be needing a new treasurer for next year.
 - Noelle mentioned separating the BSF to help out this year.

Old Business

- Michelle Erickson questioned if the CD getting ready to renew would be renewed at a 12 month or better interest.
- There was discussion on this.
- It was decided that Shannon would look into it.

New Business

- Funds to replace stolen trailer and items inside valued at around \$10,000.
 - Go Fund Me
 - Up to \$4,630
 - \$50 in cash donations.
 - Jane Garcia donated \$1,000
 - \$500 from the city
 - Another \$200 donation.
 - Another cash donation in envelope - \$200
- Discussion about items that were stolen and getting things donated.
- Discussion about upcoming can drive.
 - Drivers needed to pick up cans.
- Ryan talked about security measures to take for the trailers.
- Discussion about setting up the scaffolding on this upcoming Sunday.

Upcoming Meetings

- Executive Board Meeting
 - August 30th, 7pm in the high school band room
- Band Patrons General Meeting
 - September 2nd, 7pm in the high school band room.

Josh made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Sadie seconded.