

September 6th Band Patron's Meeting

Present: Kendra Griffin, Russ Griffin, Janae Bates, Michelle Erickson, Kari Templin, Ryan Scholl, Lisa Scholl, Keith Brinkerhoff, Lorraine Brinkerhoff, Shannon Wolf, Matt Wolf, Leticia Ramirez, Chelsea Hamilton, Jeff Hamilton, Melinda Gartman, Kren Himes, Erick Cook, Angie Cook, Kristina Saul, Noelle Freshner, AJ Jennings, Alana Saul, Kristen Washburn, Waylon, Berry, Caleb Powell, John Haagenson, Jessica Sanders, Scott Hutton, Abby Marx, Kathy Hoffman, Richard Hoffman, Becky Washburn

Meeting called to order.

August Band Patrons minutes approved. Motion by Lisa S. Seconded by Russ G

Treasurer's Report:

- Expenditures reviewed (hand out) income and expenses
- Savings has scholarship money in there for 6 kids, who received summer lessons, Kathy need to receive invoices to transfer funds
- Checking account balance reviewed
- Benevolent scholarship fund for students to use, can be used for band fees
- Repair fund - Pit at and Percussion have small funds
- Band has 2 CDs one matures in March and one matures in September
- The Griffin family donated \$300 to the guard for painting their house
- Credit union has donated two checks \$100. Each.
- T-shirt sponsorships are being collect, 9 so far

Correspondences:

- Received STP check \$7,750
- Two new sponsorships received

Old Business:

- The new enterprise (holds electronics for marching band) is completed. Receipts being put together, is within budget approved at previous meeting.
- Props- 6 are completed and out on field for testing. 6 more to be made. The question is how are we getting them there, they are foldable about 6x4 feet.
- T-shirts looking at other bids, hoping to get a better deal. Credit Union will not be on t-shirts due to a name change occurring this year. 4 free sponsors on t-shirts like Stan's refrigeration for donating ice and Scappoose bagels for doing guard show and Grant's Pass show.
- Winter bazaar- December 8th
- MOD pizza fundraiser tonight. Online orders do not count. Can use/buy gift cards. Next MOD fundraisers are Oct 30, which is associated with the friends and family show, and Dec 19th close to a concert band show. Currently the manager is ok with people saying they are here to support the band and not show flyer.

- Candle fundraisers starts Monday the 10th goes through 26th of September. Goes towards the benevolent scholarship fund.
- Next is the wreath sales: Oct 4 - 26th
- Band will be doing 50/50 raffle at homecoming game, it is also senior night.
- Popcornopolis is scheduled for Nov. 5th - 26th, this is also for BSF
- Current ongoing fundraisers are box tops, Scripts, Amazon Smiles (\$22.14 check received, and Fred Meyer through rewards program. There is a possibility of doing another spaghetti feed.
- Name the golf cart, need to paint it first.
- Rummage Sale, AJ. - Will be done after marching band season and possibly piggy back off the holiday bazaar. AJ to meet with Michelle E to plan.
- Can drive this Saturday, will be using the US Bank parking lot. Usually earn \$800-1000, varies. Does much better if we can get people to go out into community to get cans and bottles. Running Dogs will let us pick their can and bottles up on Fridays.

New Business:

- Need to find ways to get more parents involved
- Cooks got golf cart working. Band needs to reimburse their costs. Motion made by Michelle to approve reimbursing the Cooks the costs of fixing golf cart. Seconded by Noelle. Approved
- Need to get a food committee together, with 4 - 6 volunteers to simplify menu and insure parents can see shows. Meeting Sept 11, time to be determined
- Uniform committee: Michelle Worman willing to take this on. She works full time so schedules for fittings may change, or we will need volunteers that come in during school hours to assist. Marching band uniform fittings is during summer so volunteers who work for school district can come during the day. Fitting usually take several days. Kathy will be posting the volunteer sign ups.
- Noelle is notifying band patrons she has accepted the job of activities director at the high school. The school district has hired a long term substitute for the middle school. Larry Jackson is a retired band instructor from Scappoose. Noelle is excited about the change as she has worked at two campuses for years, and it has been challenging.

Announcements:

- The BSF committee is meeting briefly after this.
- Look a calendar on Noelle's school site for updates and schedules
- Encouraged students to audition for state bands for middles school and high school. These typically happen in January over a long weekend.