

PHS Band Booster Minutes for December 17, 2013

There were 18 people at this meeting. Thank you to those for being there and being involved.

Review minutes: Motion: Jeanette Vaughan

2nd: LaChelle Acton

Minutes from November pass are approved.

Mr. Carpenter:

- *There may be a fundraising opportunity for us. They are looking for schools to host a Drum Corp Group. He will be trying to work this out in the next month or so. It would be June 16 18.
- * Finished auditions and the lists for Symphonic and Concert band are posted.
- *Please mark your calendars for the Disney practices to prepare us for the parade at Magic Kingdom: March 12, 19, and 26 from 3-5pm after school.
- *There are 109 people signed up for Disney. The end cost could be \$920.00.
- *We will need to have the kids quick try on their marching uniforms before we go.
- *The winter concert is in February. Spring concert is in April.

Treasurer report: Harriett Doss

- *Spaghetti dinner and bake = \$667.00
- *Drum line invoices went out and there was a problem with the ability to pay online. She is working on the problem and it will be fixed soon.
- *She will be sending out Winter Guard fees at the first of the year. There are 14 girls in Winter Guard this year.

- *We have \$16,000.00 in the bank, but after this fiscal year we will have a \$2800.00 short fall.
- *She will be turning in the parents who haven't paid their marching band fees to collections.

Ways and Means: Jeanette Vaughan

- *The mattress sale is on March 15, 2014
- *We will have a sheet sale for the mattresses on January 21, 2014
- *The golf outing will be on May 10, 2014
- *Trash bag sales are ongoing and will continue to be until we have enough orders to send in.
- *Kroger cards are still available for \$5.00.
- *DVD sales = \$1500.00.

Tim Underwood:

- *We usually rent our semi truck from Ryder. We may need to change to Pensky. Tim Underwood will try to talk to Ryder and see if we can work out some of the insurance concerns. He will also make sure that there is a truck available when we need it.
- *We also need to pay the school for the damages to the gator that we borrowed.

*He has three recommendations:

- 1- pay the \$620.00 fee for the Color Guard that is needed for them to be able to compete. Motion Lachelle Acton 2^{nd} Jeanette Vaughan. APPROVED
- 2 change the date of our festival to Sept. 20, 2014 so that more bands will be able to attend. It is also the same weekend as Quaker Days so that will hopefully bring in more people. We will continue this discussion as more info is available.

- 3 Purchase a program called My Music Office.
- *It is a program that gives us the capability to track each student, instruments, uniforms, emailing, etc...
- *It costs \$999.00 for a lifetime membership but can be purchased as a 1 or 3 year membership also.
- *it can also track all payments for fees and fundraising but we would still need to use quick books for the financing. This means that there will need to be a double entry and Harriett Doss will need help with this.
- *We may want to talk to someone who has used it and see what they like and dislike about it.
- *after much discussion we decided to table this discussion and bring it up at the next meeting. Hopefully decide then.
- *Winter Guard has their first competition on January 25 at Greenwood. Their next competition for them is on February 1 at Danville.
- *Drum Line has their first competition on February 8 at Franklin Central. The Winter Guard and Drum Line state competition is on March 22. This is the same day as the Choir Festival that is to be held here at Plainfield High School. We are going to need volunteers for this festival because they helped us out at our festival and we promised to return the favor and help them in return.

The next meeting will be January 21, 2014 at 7:30pm

Meeting adjourned