



Band Boosters Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: 8-26-19

Call to order 7:06 p.m.

Attendees: Kristin Draye, Brad Treiber, Karen and Lenny Chormanski, Peggy Kerver, Aaron Schreiber, Rachel Calipetro, Kate Wank, Alberta Seawood, Annmarie Hill, Sonya Hill, Jolene Greve, Cathy Thurber, Diana & Biagio Pistone, Christine Dombrosky, Tina, Bucchioni, Mike Witczak, Laurie Coppersmith, Vince Ruggieri, CarolAnn Polin, Susan DeMello, Gina & David Schmidt, Emily Kless, Kenyana Suidh, Stephanie Bluffestone

Recording Secretary – Kristin Draye

- Presented minutes from 4/26/2019
- Motion to accept 4/26/2019 minutes: Kristin Cornelius / Second: Vince Ruggieri

Band Director – Brad Treiber

- Excited for the game Friday. One more Wednesday rehearsal.
- Dr. Kelly called today to ask for the drum line to go play at Progressive. Baker Mayfield will be at Progressive launching a new ad campaign. They are kicking it off.
- Thank you to all of the parents that help and do anything for the band.

Treasurer report – Teresa Gagliardo

- Introduced new Treasurer
- How do we submit receipts / checks?
 - Scan and email, bring to house
- Motion to accept April, May and June reports: Laurie Coppersmith / Second: Jolene Greve
- Motion to approve 2019-2020 Budget – Jolene Greve / Second: Susan DeMello

President Report – Stephanie Bluffestone

- Mascot uniform is in. Will make debut on Friday.
- Summer fundraiser results.
 - Chipotle \$386.90
 - Highland Heights \$104 kids games / \$300 zip line
- Pool party was a success.
- Banners are hung in the stadium. Thank you to all who helped hang.
- First game is Friday
- Upcoming events 9/13 – Mayfield MMS
- 9/27 senior night
- Wonderful news article on Cleveland.com on the band bash

1st VP – Kristin Cornelius

- Food is in concession stand ready to go

2nd VP Susan DeMello

- New items we introduced this year
 - Volunteer Incentive Program! - First 100 volunteers to sign up for an activity receive a free POM t-shirt. Also ordered 24 extra for sizes we needed after we placed initial order. Ended up with enough shirts to include Air Show volunteers (including student volunteers). Priced at \$11/shirt (with \$2 extra for 2X and \$3 extra for 3X), the shirts are made of waterproof, quick dry and came out great. Awaiting the arrival of the additional 24 shirts and 6 shirts for the “Grill Masters”
 - Band Bucks are here!! For each shift worked, each parent to sign up will receive a \$2 band bucks (all in \$2 denominations). Double rewards for the air show (\$4/family).



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Parents with more than one student in the band will be given \$2/child. Bucks may be used for all concession items EXCEPT: Arby's Chick-Fil-A and Donuts. No change will be given for items costing less than \$2, and items over \$2 must either be paid with cash/credit or another Buck. Bucks will only be given out by me when volunteer shows up to work shift.

- Game #1: We should be good with volunteers, though maybe some more runners mid shift. Cut runner shifts down from 3 to 2 shifts: 5:30-7:30 and 7:30-9:30. Runners have been instructed to show up earlier than 5:30 if available, but at present we didn't have anyone signing up to be there at 4:45 so that is why the change was made.
- Air Show: We need 12 people for Monday!!! Please contact relatives, friends, neighbors, etc. to get help for us. We must commit to 25 volunteers in order to get paid. We are only 1 shy for Sunday, and Saturday has 25 (hopefully there will be no last minute cancellations).

Corresponding Secretary – Cathy Thurber

- If you aren't getting emails let Cathy know.

Accessories – Lisa and Tim Zimmer

- Not present

Auxiliary Liaisons – Shannon Kootsouradis, Emily Kless, Amy Loprich

- New poms and the practice flags are in. Game flags are being cleaned / repaired.

Buttons – Tina Bucchioni and Mike Witczak

- Supplies were received. Photos need to be printed. Once they're printed they will make
- Christine Dombroski has volunteered to be the graphic designer for the band. She is adjusting the size of the photos so they are printed the correct size.

Fundraising – Todd Bluffestone, Aaron Schreiber, Mike Fero

- Mattress Fundraiser
- Idea - yardwork

Membership – Laurie Coppersmith

- All membership forms were put in the first day packets. Have some leftovers.

Hospitality – Shelly Blanchard

- Not present

Spiritwear – Jolene Greve / Tracey Ruggieri

- Had a successful spiritwear campaign. Looked online at different sites to come up with ideas. New Beard shirt, which was very popular. Spiritwear will be distributed on Wednesday after rehearsal. Jolene will draft and email to send to Cathy to send to parents letting them know. Brad will also send a Remind. Some of the items aren't in yet.
- Spirit campaign for the yard sign and car magnets.

Uniforms – Amy Loprich / Mike Witczak

- Amy needs to fit one more person
- Uniforms are clean.
- Need labels made and applied
- Need some new hangers, text will be sent later to vote once price is determined.



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Concession Assistants – David and Gina Schmidt

- We started shopping. In a good position for Friday. Bought a little extra of everything because we don't know how this is going to turn out with square.
- Want to raise prices on some items. Will discuss with Board.
- Meeting with Verizon rep to go over the Wi-Fi so we can have that in the concession stands which we will need of the square. Have a wireless router that will create a hot spot. Visitor side will be connected by hot spot as well.
- No need for signatures.
- Credit card minimum – will need to be determined once we find out if each transaction is charged or if it is a flat %.
- Waiting for one more stand to come in. Have all iPads.

Old Business

- None

New Business

- Should we do shirts for band bash? Discussion and decision was no.
- One of the school golf carts was destroyed by a student so we only have one at the school. Suggested that we raise money to buy the band a golf cart. \$2,500 - \$4,000 estimated cost.

Adjourn

- Motion to adjourn Mike Witczak / Second: Diana Pistone. Time adjourned 8:25 p.m.

Next Meeting – Monday 9/23/2019

Respectfully submitted by: Kristin Draye
Recording Secretary