



Band Boosters Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: 1/27/2020

Call to order 7:04 p.m.

Attendees: *Kristin Draye, Teresa Gagliardo, Kristin Cornelius, Diana Pistone, Alberta Seawood, Susan DeMello, Stephanie Bluffestone, Todd Bluffestone, Vince Ruggieri, Jolene Greve, David Schmidt, Cathy Thurber*

Introductions

Recording Secretary – Kristin Draye

- Presented minutes from 11/18/2019
- Motion to accept 11/18/2019 minutes: Todd Bluffestone / Second: Vince Ruggieri

Band Director – Brad Treiber

- Not present
- In February is the Green Tie Gala and the Jazz band is playing
- March 4th is the next concert

Treasurer report – Teresa Gagliardo

- Two month's reports. We did about what we budgeted.
- Jolene asked if the band directors paid for half of the band shirts. Teresa said they did not so Jolene asked Stephanie to follow-up with the directors to get this payment. At the end of last year Jolene had told the boosters we were going out to bid to get the best price for the t-shirts. The directors wanted to use a specific person so they agreed to pay for half.
- Motion to accept treasurer's report Susan DeMello, seconded by Stephanie Bluffestone.

President Report – Stephanie Bluffestone

- Next event is the Green Tie Gala
 - Sitting at the band table is Mr. Treiber and his wife, Mr. Palermo and his wife, Mrs. Pahor and her husband and Stephanie and Todd Bluffestone. Jolene brought up that this needs to go to the boosters before someone at the middle school. Asked Stephanie to look into this.
- We were asked to do the Highland Heights Home Days again. We accepted.
- Jolene asked about the slate for next year as this month we need to collect the nominees in February had have elections in March.

1st VP – Kristin Cornelius

- Getting quotes to update the banners with the new prices. Kristin will bring the quotes to the next meeting so we can decide on items and prices.

2nd VP Susan DeMello

- Passed out the band buck summary (what was earned and what was used)
- Talked about the volunteer shirts. We should get a quote for a smaller amount for the incoming freshman for next year.
- Our cost between the shirts and the band bucks was approximately \$1,800.

Corresponding Secretary – Cathy Thurber

- No report

Accessories – Lisa and Tim Zimmer

- Not in attendance



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Auxiliary Liasons – Shannon Kootsouradis, Emily Kless, Amy Loprich

- Not in attendance

Buttons – Tina Bucchioni and Mike Witczak

- Not in attendance

Fundraising – Todd Bluffestone, Aaron Schreiber, Mike Fero

- No final numbers yet for the Monster's game. We will make some money but it will be nominal. We sold around 90 tickets; bought 200. We need to sell about 160 to break even on ticket sales but we will make money on the 50/50.
- We still need volunteers to work the 50/50.

Membership – Laurie Coppersmith

- Not in attendance

Hospitality – Shelly Blanchard

- Not in attendance

Spiritwear – Jolene Greve / Tracey Ruggieri

- Sold at the December concert. Will also sell in March.

Uniforms – Amy Loprich / Mike Witczak

- Alberta is still waiting to see if she can get hangers from the dry cleaner.
- Kristin C. said the Kohl's ones break too easily.

Concession Assistants – David and Gina Schmidt

- Will need to charge the iPads before the band concert.

Old Business

- Twitter – should we create a band Twitter account?
 - Vote to create a Social Media Coordinator – Yes. Need to write-up a description to put in the By-Laws.

New Business

- Questioned if Hawaii was happening in 2 years. Asked to table this until spring.
- Is the parade uniform going to be the same next year? We currently have a lot of inventory on the green shirt. Would like one more year in order to try to get rid of a little more of the inventory.

Adjourn

- Motion to adjourn: Cathy Thurber seconded by Todd Bluffestone
- Meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Next Meeting – Monday 2/24/2020 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by: Kristin Draye
Recording Secretary