

Midview Band Boosters Meeting

August 4th, 2016

Members Present: Suzanne Martin, Kim Lambert, April Foster, Donna Heuler, Lora Kilgore, Rachel Carter, Sue Lawwill, Leah Prunty, Roberta Plas, Matt Plas, Coreen Joviak, Tammy Koleski, Kim Gallagher, Tim Gallagher, Melissa Keating, Josh Brunger, Rachel Besand, Alex Fleming, Rosa Fleming, Kathy Wilson and Jonna Belshaw,

7:04 Meeting called to order by Matt Plas, Band Boosters President.

June meeting minutes presented. April Foster made a motion to accept the minutes. Motion was seconded Rachel Carter. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: *Melissa Keating:* Audit was completed and a few suggestions were made to improve the book keeping. We are going to use Excel instead of QuickBooks for the time being to see how it goes. Invoices are still being processed from the end of the 2016 school year. Unpaid uniforms fees of \$998.65 from the 2015-2016 school year will be addressed with students at uniform fitting next week. We will not be able to offer the refund of uniform cleaning fees anymore due to the 501C-3 status. All mature CD's have been deposited into the savings account.

The 2016-2017 Budget – Summer uniforms will now be under apparel for the budget. Tri-M is moving to Choirs budget. Need to add the new uniform purchasing to the budget as we will be purchasing uniforms in January.

GFS update – No update

Jonna Belshaw made a motion to accept the treasurer's report. Motion was seconded by Tammy Koleski. Motion passed.

Committee Reports

Apparel: *Sue Lawwill:* Summer uniforms and Middle School polos are here. Bringing apparel inventory to band fittings to sell.

Concession: *Matt Plas:* Concession stand is now 100% band volunteers. August 18th football scrimmage has been added to the schedule. Need a small crew to work concession stand. Adding event to Charms for volunteers. Baked Potatoes will be added the menu this year, cost -\$3.00. T&D Kettle Korn will be at all games, our take is 10% and we will be paid at the end of each game. Looking for anyone interested in joining the Concession Committee for next year.

Band Barn: *Rachel Carter:* Barn has been cleaned. Old stove will be moved and new stove will be delivered in the next week. Keeping menu similar to last year as the students really enjoyed the snacks that were provided. Volunteers can sign up to work in the Barn in Charms.

Blitz Card Day: Blitz day is September 10th from 9-2. Advertisement going in the paper and looking into selling cards on the website.

POB: Parade of Bands is September 10th at 7pm. Terry Kitchen will be the MC. Rachel Carter is sponsoring Strongsville's trophy. T&D Kettle Korn will be at the event to sell their popcorn. We have \$950 so far in sponsors. We are going to ask students to bring in \$5.00 each to create 4 gift baskets to raffle off. Themes are Lottery Ticket basket, Halloween candy basket, Movie night basket, and Night out basket. Donna Heuler volunteered her grill for the event.

Band BBQ: BBQ will be Aug 16th from 6-8pm and will be an informative meet and greet. Tables will be set up so each committee and can represent. Parents will be able to sign up to volunteer at the BBQ. Freshman and sophomores are to bring side dishes, juniors desserts and seniors drinks.

Evening with the Band: Holding event at Christmas concert December 12th. Already started collecting donations.

Night of the Races: Will discuss after POB. Date set for March 4th.

Website: Band calendar is now synced with Charms calendar. PayPal has been added to the site so parents can pay for uniform fees. Ms. Besand and Lora Kilgore are willing to help with the website.

Directors' Reports

Ms. Besand: Been great first 4 days working with marching band at band camp. Reviewed inventory of instruments at middle school and some need to be replaced or repaired. Will ask for money for repairs in batches. First thing that needs replaced is a bassoon case and obo case. She will get quotes. Also would like \$50 to purchase 10 - \$5.00 Spirit gift cards. Tim Gallagher made a motion to accept the purchase for gift cards. Motion was seconded by Jonna Belshaw. Motion passed. A new copier/printer is needed for the band office. Donna Heuler offered to donate her copier/printer to the school. Twitter page has been set up @MidviewMSband.

Mr. Brunger: New uniforms for the 2017-2018 school year are being designed. Only buying new jackets and hats. Keeping current pants as they are only 3 years old. We are getting reimbursed for the bus charges to the United Way 2015 event. We shouldn't have been charged. We are going back this year on August 19th. New sousaphone is here and the endowment fund approved to purchase another one. Uniform fittings start next week. Picture Day is August 12th. Come watch the band practice from 7-8:30 on Tuesday nights. Show One songs this year are Indiana Jones, ET, and Star Wars.

Old Business: 501c-3 filling- IRS has reviewed our application and requested additional information. We should have approval next month. State Attorney General filing will be after IRS approval.

New Business: All new business discussed under each committee.

Announcement of next meeting: September 1st at 7pm in Midview HS Band Room preceded by a POB planning meeting at 6pm.

April Foster made a motion to adjourn & Suzanne Martin seconded the motion at 8:44pm. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by Kim Lambert, Midview Band Boosters Secretary, 2016-2017