



Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, September 6, 2011

Mr. Ceresini called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. He and Cathy Sangillo conducted the meeting as Diane was out of town with a family emergency.

Treasurer's Report: Cindy Case: There was approximately \$10,000 spent this month, the major expenses were for guard uniforms, flags, the pool party and band fair. The deposit for band fair will be on the Sept. report.

Financial Secretary's Report: Maki Traynor: She is entering the business sponsorships into the student accounts. If you notice a discrepancy please contact her.

Recording Secretary's Report: Laurie Kissinger: The minutes are posted online in the week following the meeting. A motion to approve the minutes from last month was made by Janice Mountain, and seconded by Michelle Chambers. They were approved by a unanimous vote.

Vice President's Report: Cathy Sangillo: No report.

Student Officer's Report: Emily Longenecker and Emily Mountain: The officer's were happy to be giving their first officer's report and commented that they have been friends since elementary school. They reported that band camp was a success, but a grueling two weeks. The Jazz band has already had their first gig, playing for the teachers first day. They felt the show went well for the first game. The Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble, and Percussion ensemble will play with the Presidio Brass in the upcoming concert. They encouraged everyone to come out to Aarogas next Monday and bring your friends and family to support the bands. The officers ended their report by thanking the boosters for all their support, and the kids loved the Mac and Cheese at the first game!

Mr. Ceresini's Report: Kyle Starsinic won the contest for designing the tour shirts, and they look great! The submissions have been entered for the Buddy night shirts, and the staff will be picking the winner. Service day was a good bonding experience for everyone. Family night went well, and it is always great to see the parents marching around, and the pit parents getting a playing lesson. Mr. C. appreciates the great turnout for this event! The pool party was great, and he thanked all who helped with this. Band Fair/Pigskin had great attendance, and thanks to everyone who supported this event. The first football game was much too exciting! Jazz I had a 6 hour rehearsal to prepare for playing for the teachers first day. He gets great support from the administration and parents which makes for a great program. The show that the marching band was planning to attend on October 1st has been cancelled, and he is looking to schedule a different one.

The Presidio Brass will be having a workshop with our students and East High Band students, and the kids will perform with them. There will be approximately 230 student performers. The students who are performing will not need tickets for the concert. We are keeping ticket prices low to hopefully fill the auditorium.

Mr. C. thanked the large crowd for attending and for being interested in what's going on. He encouraged parents to get involved as much as possible, and commented that he loves input from parents, as they have a lot of good ideas! Feel free to ask someone how to get involved.

Old Business:

The volunteer sign up sheets for the next football game, Presidio Brass, and BandaRama were sent around.

Scrip: Missy Miller explained the program. We submit our orders on the first and third Tuesday of the month, and the orders are ready for pickup the following Saturday at Weber Vision Care. Check out shopwithscrip.com as they have been running a lot of specials. They have recently added American Express gift cards which can be used anywhere (Costco accepts them).

Wearables: Thanks to the Hanlins for all of their help with this program.

Pool Party: Thanks to the DeFazios, Losers, and Cosgroves for all of their hard work!

Band Fair: Thanks to the crew for putting on this event. Everything went well. Jan Gough reported that concessions had several requests from students for veggie burgers; we will try to remember that for next year.

Landis Concessions: Tim reported that the first game went well, the helpers handled the lines well, and they were not overwhelmed.

Mentoring: If you are a new parent and have not heard from your mentor yet, please let Kathy Herring know.

Discount Book: The kids will be bringing them home tomorrow. They sell for \$25 with a \$12.50 profit. This will be a 70/30 split between student account and boosters. The orders will be due Monday Sept. 19th.

Aarogas night: The vouchers are available on the web site. They are good at any location, but the back room at the route 22 location has been reserved @ 6:00 if band families want to gather there.

GTP/HERCO: There are currently only 5 band families that participate in this program. Hershey posts new shifts at the beginning of the month they pay 5.85/hour and a voucher for the park. 70% of this goes into your student account. Call or email Barby Warfield with any questions. Barby reminded the group that if you sign up for a shift, you must cover it, or find someone else if you can't do it. Family members are welcome to participate; you must be 18 to work.

Presidio Brass: We have currently sold approximately 100 tickets. Rich had posters available to distribute. There will be an upcoming ad in the Paxton Herald and the Patriot News. The Ramada Inn has donated 5 rooms to house the group.

Military Band: We currently have a request in to the Marine Band to come in the spring.

Wolfgang Candy: The sale will be in mid-November, with the orders delivered in time for Christmas. The brochures will be available at the November meeting.

Sub sale: The order forms are available on the website. They are from R&K subs and this is an easy fundraiser, with \$1.58 profit from subs, and \$1.40 from Kaisers for your student accounts.

Shed: Mr. Ceresini is working on this.

Audit: This is currently underway.

New Business:

SKH: This will be October 8th at the Linglestown Road location during their fall festival. We will be running a concession stand from 8:00-3:00 with hot dogs, burgers, soups, sodas, and baked goods.

Pictures: Cathy thanked Molly Thompson for the great pictures she has been taking and putting on the website. If anyone is interested in adding their pictures to the Flicker account contact Diane for instructions.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55pm

The next meeting will be Tuesday October 4th, 2011@ 7:00pm.

Submitted by

Laurie Kissinger

Recording Secretary