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Band Boosters Meeting

Tuesday, June 8, 2021

1. Call to Order
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Officers Present: Jenn Brown, VP; Steve Burns, Treasurer; Stacy Bowman, Financial Secretary; Sandy McClain, Recording Secretary; Christiana Haugsby, Officer at Large; Mr. Tate and Mr. Bitner, Band Directors; Adrian Burns
2. Minutes
 - a. Last meeting Minutes review – Sandy McClain Corrected spelling errors for Heather Meyers and Scrip Program.
3. Officers Reports
 - a. Student Officer's Report
 - i. President – Eleanor Haugsby
 - ii. Vice President – _____
 - b. Treasurer's Report – Steven Burns. Please email to view the Monthly report. Discussion held regarding recent activity vs prior years and activity over the summer vs. school year. A small summer dip but hard to distinguish because of limited activity due to Pandemic.
 - c. Financial Secretary's Report – Stacy Bowman. Please email to view the Monthly report.
4. Directors Reports
 - a. Director of Bands, Mr. Tate
 - b. Director of Jazz, Mr. Bitner
 - i. Past Month Concerts and Events Review Jazz Band Orchestra performed at Hempfield; Jazz Band and Concert Bands outside concerts were well attended and received. The Graduation Band went well. May ask teachers to play again in the future. They enjoyed seeing many of their former students.
 - ii. Upcoming Concerts, Programs and Events: Marching Band is gearing up for the summer band camps

iii. Directors New Business

5. Committee – Event – Program Coordinator Reports

- a. Reports from the floor
- b. Scrip Report Heather Meyers. Presented by Jenn Brown. Please email Band Boosters to see the report. Would like to have a presentation by Heather on how to sign up and use the Scrip program.

6. Old/Unfinished Business

- a. Budget review and approval. The Budget was approved, with the exception of the 20% to Student accounts for Business Sponsorships, at the May, 2021 Meeting and can be posted.
- b. Uniform Fittings Sandy McClain will chair this year but is requesting a co-chair to make it easier to transition in the following school year. Awaiting a new Volunteer Badge. Received the supplies and instructions from Mary Rose. Requested/Received access to the Charms account from the Band Directors. We will need lots of volunteers to help in the evenings with fittings and organizing at the Marching Band mini camps. Sign ups forthcoming.
- c. Coordinator Openings – Jenn Brown
 - i. Uniform Coordinator We will need a Co-chair 21/22 to transition to the 22/23 school year.
 - ii. Concessions Stand. Football Boosters provides and stocks food and drinks. Band Boosters provides the volunteers to work the Visitors' side concession stand. The Chair will coordinate the volunteers and will usually need to be at Landis Field on Friday nights around 3:00 to 10:00 or later.
 - iii. Pool party Jenn Brown chairing. Pool party is held during the Band Camp. August 13 6-8 p.m. Checking into Koons Park and Christian Haugsby will check with Devon Manor. Traditionally, Pool Party is for the families of the Marching Band. Boosters will provide hot dogs and hamburgers and drinks. Students/ families provide side dishes.
 - iv. Band Camp Dinners will be coordinated by Amber Heshler. Please watch for information regarding donations and volunteer opportunities. (This was listed at the Executive Meeting only.)
- d. Email and Website –
 - i. Steve Burns will create an Announcements Link on the Website as a central location for all current information and updates. Calendar is updated. Moving away from weekly email announcements to monthly or as needed basis. Will also use Social Media to highlight events.

- e. Fundraising
 - i. Marching Band Member Posters. Christian Haugsby will be Coordinator. Requires handing out forms, contacting Photographer, Andrea Cavoli, collecting forms/money. Amy Gabriele will forward the information.
 - ii. Planned events
 - iii. CDrambands Together. Students received the information by the end of school to invite people to donate to our fundraiser. Link is on the Website.

7. New Business

- a. Marching Band Family Night/Kauffman's BBQ – Ranee Buck August 19, 2021. Chicken BBQ is a fundraiser. Tickets sold in advance with pick up starting at 4:00-6:00? Family Preview Night: 7:00? Enjoy a preview of this season's Marching Band show.
- b. Questions, Comments, Concerns
 - i. Christian Haugsby asked if we are in a holding pattern for planning? It seems like there is a hesitancy as we schedule and plan events. Discussion about a shared expectation that we are moving forward and getting through the mask mandate at the end of the month. Current students are emailing 8th Grade students as part of Mentoring. Open gyms for Percussion and Guard are helping to encourage students. Mr. Tate will be calling 8th grade families this week. Mr. Bitner stated that district wide attrition is affecting football numbers district wide. CD Football is experiencing the smallest team since 1954 inception.
 - ii. Parent Introduction Meeting to be held at our August 3 Booster's meeting to introduce the Band programs to new families: Highlight different committees, expectations and how-to's.

8. Adjournment at 8:30.

July meeting July 12th 2021 via Zoom 7:00 Executive Meeting General Meeting at 7:30. Please email boosters@cdramband.org for a link

Respectfully submitted.

Sandy McClain
Recording Secretary.
Please email secretary@cdramband.org for corrections.

Donations of cases of Water bottles being accepted and may be dropped off at the Band Room during the mini camps.