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**Band Boosters Meeting Minutes**

**Tuesday, March 7, 2023**

1. Call to Order at 7:38 in person
  - a. Welcome
  - b. Officers Introduction - Jenn Brown, President; Rachel Fraser, Vice President; Steve Burns, Treasurer; Vince DeNazza, Financial Secretary; Sandy Gates, Recording Secretary; Heather Meyers, Raise Right
  
2. Minutes
  - a. February meeting minutes review – Jenn Brown made a motion to accept the minutes. Heather Myers seconded the motion. The minutes were approved unanimously.
  
3. Directors Reports
  - a. Band Director, Mr. Tate (by phone):
    - i. Events Review -
    - ii. Upcoming Concerts, Programs and Events – Bands concert coming up this month: Concert Bands on March 22 with dress rehearsal on March 21 after school for non-audition groups; Indoor Drumline competition this Saturday at Mechanicsburg Middle School and then WGI Regional in Monroe Township in NJ the following Saturday March 18; May 1 the marching band will be performing at the Capital for the VFW Remembrance Day at 10 am in the Capitol Rotunda. Rehearsals for this will be on the 25<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> after school.
    - iii. Directors New Business – Looking ahead for marching band and next season dates; memorial day parade and summer camp dates will be coming out soon
  
  - b. Band Director, Mr. Bitner (by email):
    - i. Past Month Concerts and Events Review – Thanks to all who came out and supported the musical! It was extremely well done and successful. The student pit orchestra musicians did a wonderful job!; Jazz Orchestra performed today at Temple University as part of the Essentially Ellington Regional Festival.
    - ii. Upcoming Concerts, Programs and Events – Jazz Concerts are next week with Big Bands on March 14 at 7 pm and Jazz Orchestra on March 15 at 7 pm. Student officers have organized a diaper drive for all March concerts; Jazz

Orchestra will be performing as part of the first ever Dauphin County Music Educators Associates (DCMEA) Jazz Festival on April 26. Location and times TBA; Quinn Stevens and Kaitlin Riley will be performing as part of the PMEA District 7 Jazz Festival at Boiling Springs HS March 31-April 1. Concert is April 1.; Indoor Guard is going well. They continue to improve each week and do well at competitions. They have a few more performances and their KIDA Championships are on April 1 at Chambersburg HS; We will be hosting legendary group The Four Freshman for clinics with the Jazz bands during the school day on April 26 (\$400 needed from the Jazz budget to pay them for the clinics)

iii. New Business – Knoebels Jazz bands performance trip unable to happen this year but plans are in the works to make it happen next year; We will be hosting the PMEA District 7 Jazz Festival next year and help will be needed from the Band Boosters to coordinate meals for Directors (a line item in the budget will be needed for this)

- c. Student Officer's Report – no report
  - i. President – Vinny Jordan
  - ii. Vice President – Kaylynn Keyrouse

#### 4. Officers Reports

- a. Treasurer's Report – Steve Burns presented the report and he is available for any questions. Adrienne Burns made motion to approve the report and Lark Shirley-Stevens seconded the motion. The report was approved unanimously.
- b. Financial Secretary's Report – Vince DeNazza presented the report and he is available for any questions. Steve Burns made motion to approve the report and Lark Shirley-Stevens seconded the motion. The report was approved unanimously.
- c. Recording Secretary - Sandy Gates – no report

#### 5. General Business

- a. Elections for office – need President and officer-at-large
- b. Vice President - Rachel Fraser - craft fair meeting was held before this meeting; sign-ups for donations and volunteer shifts coming out soon
- c. Officer at Large- Raneë Buck and Christian Haugsby - absent
- d. Raise Right – need position filled; email Heather Meyers at [cdbandscrip@gmail.com](mailto:cdbandscrip@gmail.com)
- e. Fundraising -
  - i. Dine to Donate- Adrienne Burns – Blaze Pizza on March 23<sup>rd</sup> 4-7 pm; Jersey Mikes end of April
  - ii. HERCO - Christian Haugsby- absent – no report
  - iii. Corporate sponsors – Jill Knauss
  - iv. Upcoming -Jill Knauss

Krispie Kreme- Order forms due March 21/delivery on March 30 delivery;  
Stauffers flower sale in April with delivery on May 9

- f. Banquet – Sandy McClain - May 31 at the Colonial Country Club - \$22 per person and we would provide desserts

Questions, Comments, Concerns: March 27<sup>th</sup> Disney Trip meeting at 7 pm

- 6. Adjournment at 8:27 pm.
- 7. April General meeting: April 4, 2023. 7:00 pm (in person). To be announced via email and website.

Respectfully Submitted, *Sandy Gates*