

MINUTES

WCHS BAND BOOSTERS

Date | time 8/8/2018 7:00 PM | Meeting called to order by Tammy Miller

In Attendance

There were 11 Booster members present plus Mr. Tallman. Tammy welcomed new Freshman parents to the group and introductions were made.

Approval of Minutes

The minutes from the July meeting were read by the members. Tonya Schnell made a motion to accept the minutes, Jennifer Reed seconded, and the minutes were approved by the members present.

Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's Report for July will be postponed until the August meeting.

Mr. Tallman's Corner

Mr. Tallman confirmed the Hoop-De-Doo meal has been finalized for Thanksgiving Day. The travel agency has been able to get the additional tickets needed with the exception of two tickets.

A retired band director has access to several military band instruments from an estate. They will have Music Shoppe appraise the instruments and assess the cost for repairs needed. Boosters need to evaluate the budget to determine if there is money available to purchase some of these instruments. Will continue discussion at the next meeting.

The band will be tailgating for dinner at the U of I competition following the performance. The current plan is to stay through awards in the evening.

The band will now be participating in an evening parade at Magic Kingdom on Wednesday at 6:30pm and the Holiday Parade at Universal Studios at 5:00pm on Friday.

A stage platform will be ordered next week for the front of the field along with a backdrop and front panels that will look like a castle and rock walls to cover the stage.

Mr. Tallman would like a list of areas needing student help for invitational so he can post sign-up sheets soon.

The current count for the Invitational in September is still 21 bands, not counting WCHS.

Committees

Band Camp: Overall, camp went well. All drill is done and students are working on adding music to the sets as well as memorization.

Chaperones: The volunteer form will need to be filled out and submitted to serve in this capacity. There are a few spots still available. The band will be taking five buses and 3 trailers to each competition this year.

Invitational: Sign-up Genius links for open volunteer spots will be posted on Facebook, sent via email and posted on Mr. Tallman's page.

Uniforms: All kids should have uniforms. The plan is to have a uniform night prior to the first performance to check hems, fits, etc. There is a need for someone to shadow the uniform chair with the intent to take over next year.

Spirit Wear: The online store will be open until August 19th.

Popcorn: A few more volunteers are needed to help during the varsity game on August 24th.

Fundraising

Restaurant Fundraising: The next restaurant night will be Ice Cream Shack on September 25th from 4-9pm.

Great American Fundraising Opportunities: The group discussed the possibility of selling custom cups. Tammy left a message with Jay asking if we can buy in bulk to sell from the popcorn booth at home football games. The group also discussed the possibility of having a "power hour" at a later date. Mr. Tallman stated Boosters would need to get permission from Administration for student involvement.

Old Business

Thank you notes from students who received camp scholarships were available to read. All were appreciative for the Boosters help.

New Business

No new business was discussed.

Next Meeting

The next Booster meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 5th at 7:00pm (NOTE DATE CHANGE). A motion to adjourn was made by Jennifer Reed, seconded by Sarah Fackler, and the meeting concluded at 8:12 pm.

Minutes respectively submitted by,

Jess Bochart

Band Booster Vice President