

SMS Band Booster Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, April 3, 2018

OPENING

Cheryl Bermond, president, called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. in the band room

MEMBERS PRESENT

Vance Crain, Donna Brandt, Pat Duff, Mark Adair, Amy Knudsen, Michelle Saunders, Tim Kelley, Gina Horner, Tina Monks, Steve Adams, Cheryl Bermond, Debbie Schluben

DIRECTOR'S REPORT by Steve Adams

- Symphonic Band played at Shawnee Mission East on Tuesday 3/27 along with all other high school bands. There will be a clinic on Thursday with Dr. Perisi from UMKC who will give input on contest pieces.
- There is a concert tomorrow evening for all bands: Jazz, Freshmen, Concert and Symphonic. The concert will feature Rising Star soloists from IWMS.
- Regional Solo & Ensemble festival is next Saturday 3/14. Times for performances were posted today in the band room.
- We need 3 volunteers for the Solo & Ensemble festival. Please let Mr. Adams know if you can help.
- Enrollment for next year is up. Band will be about 10 larger than this year. Marching band looks like it will be about 130 students.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT by Cheryl Bermond

- Cheryl welcomed all 8th grade parents in attendance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES Tina Monks

- The March minutes were disturbed. There was a correction to the spelling of the student teacher. A motion was made to approve the March minutes as corrected. The motion was seconded and carried.

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT by Tim Kelley

- If you are interested in serving on the nominating committee for next years slate of officers let Tim Kelley know.
- Mattress Sale-Tim went to the a mattress sale at SM East. Was able to credit SM South program by asking for credit for our program. Our sale is scheduled for Sept. 15.
- Plastic Bottle Recycling bins will be at South soon in the stadium.

TREASURER'S REPORT by Debbie Schluben

- We paid for Solo & Ensemble registration
- Our insurance was renewed
- We paid for our portion of masterworks.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- **Evening of Jazz:** Heather Kutz/Jessica Sexton/Celeste Kirmer-Currently working on getting donations for the auction. Heather is working with student leaders to promote Evening of Jazz. There are gift baskets for the auction that are being put together by sections in the band. T-shirt order deadline will be extended until the end of the week.
- **Senior Reception:** Stacy Nelson and her husband are getting a list of seniors. They are looking for an understudy to do senior reception next year. Donna Brandt volunteered to do senior reception next year.
- **Awards:** Vance Crain- Mr. Adams will share list of names for various awards.
- **End of the Year DVD:** Continuing to look at options for how to produce the slideshow. There will be something, it may look different than in past years.

OLD BUSINESS

Band Forms Online: Debbie Schluben has completed the forms. They will be available online and paper forms will be available as well for those that prefer that.

NEW BUSINESS

- 50/50 Raffle tickets will be sold at South Area Band Festival. May also sell spirit wear. EOJ will sell tickets.
- Band Beach Party-We have communicated with JoCo Parks & Rec. We can rent the beach on Aug. 3 for the annual Beach Party.
- Germany Trip (trip to Germany)-3 people will help plan trip to Germany.
- Our next band booster meeting will be in another room due to Dance extravaganza.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made and seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 7:53 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Tina Monks