

**IMB BOARD MEETING**  
**Tuesday October13, 2009**  
**7:00 P.M.**  
**MPHS Band Room**

Persons in attendance were Matt Taton, Susan and Brian Godde, Doug Lapp, Michelle Harrast, Tiffany Haines, Doris Chen, Janine Kovitz, Mrs. Orlik , Mrs. Brauker and Mary McAllister

Items for discussion were as follows:

Approved Minutes from September 8 and September 22.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

- Approved September reports.
- There are still outstanding fees for Marching Band. Nothing out of the ordinary

**INSTRUCTORS'S REPORT**

**Mrs. Orlik**

We discussed how we plan to pay the strings para pro that was hired. It was agreed that we would do it the way we always have and pay her as an instructor. Mrs. Orlik will have her keep track of her hours and invoice the IMB by weekly. Mrs. Orlik also gave us some back ground about the rest of the string program and their schedule. A memo is attached to the hard copy of the minutes.

**Mr. Taton**

West has 75 beginners. Excellent talent! 8th grade has 49 students High School has 54 in Symphonic Band , 3 new students with lots of experience. Marching Band **NEEDS** to score high this weekend to get us into Finals. We are currently tied for 8<sup>th</sup> place and that may not be good enough to keep us in the top 10.

Coming up we need to register for CMU Jazz weekend. We are looking at doing an ALL MPHS Winter Guard and we would like to start up Winter Drumline again. Matt and Korey would like to have 35-40 students participate. Matt is getting the word out to the students. If we do this we will have to look at rates and FUNDRAISING!!

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- **IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:**  
10/13/09 IMB MEETING 7PM  
10/16/09 SENIOR NIGHT HOME GAME  
10/17/09 LAMPHERE MADISON HEIGHTS

10/23/09 WEST BLOOMFIELD  
10/30/09 POSSIBLE HOME GAME FINALS PLAYOFF  
10/31/09 DURAND  
11/06/09 POSSIBLE HOME GAME FINALS PLAYOFF  
11/05/09 HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT  
11/07/09 STATES FINALS MARCHING BAND  
11/08/09 CMU BRASS BAND CONCERT 3PM  
STAPLES  
12/05/09 WEST SOLO ENSEMBLE  
11/10/09 ORCHESTRA CONCERT 7PM  
12/15/09 WEST HOLIDAY CONCERT 7PM  
12/17/09 HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT COLLAGE 7PM  
02/20/10 HIGH SCHOOL SOLO AND ENSEMBLE  
02/19, 02/20, 02/21, 02/26, 02/27HIGH SCHOOL  
MUSICAL

**Mrs. Brauker**

Orchestra has a new exchange student and one student who is dual enrolled with CMU. Orchestra is getting T Shirts made to show their pride. We approved money to purchase recognition awards –letters, plaques and triangles.

**FUNDRAISING**

We scheduled a bottle drive for Friday Oct 22 after practice. Janine will A flier out to let the students know about the bottle drive. Other wise we have the poinsettia sale coming up soon, Christmas Goodies to sell at the concerts and Corbi Kick Off set up for January.

**PUBLIC RELATIONS**

Karen was not able to be present but she sent some quotes for trailer signage. We decided to table the discussion until she could be present and explain it to us. Also Karen did contact the Channel 18 rep and we should have info about the Music Program showing soon.

**MARCHING BAND**

**Food Committee:** No Report

**Operations:** No Change - Ready to Roll

**Uniforms:** No report/ No Issues

**Chaperones:** No report/ All Covered for Competitions

**OTHER**

Approved purchase of ½ sheet fliers to be handed out at the concerts with

Website information.

Thank You to be sent to Bill Lee for all his help with the order and printing of our show shirts. He also gave us a break on the price!! Thanks Bill they look great! Thanks to Jonnie and Matt for the design too.

Senior Night- Matt will email a list of how many seniors we have and Kim, Mary and Janine will take care of flowers.

- **OUR NEXT MEETING TUSEDAY OCTOBER 20,2009 HAS BEEN CANCELLED AND WE WILL MEET EARLY IN NOVEMBER THE FIRST TUESDAY NOVEMBER 3,2009 7:00P.M. AT THE HIGH SCHOOL BAND ROOM.**

Mary McAllister, Recording Secretary