

## **INTRUMENTAL MUSIC BOOSTER MINUTES**

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014 – 7:00P.M.**

**MPHS BAND ROOM**

**Present: Bill Prout(president, presiding), Laurie Richards, Matt Taton(staff), Linda Elliott, Marilyn Lindsay, Leigh Wallace, Brad McAllister, Mary McAllister, Dana Smith, Staci Couch, Sindi Leak, Cheryl Strandskov, Lisa Sims, Jerry Sims, Linda Osbeck**

### **Minutes:**

**Minutes from the meeting held on October 7, 2014 were approved as distributed.  
(Moved/seconded-L. Elliot/D. Smith)**

### **Treasurer's Report: Bill Prout(B. Collett is working the election so could not be here)**

- Marching Band fund balance =\$1704.58**
- General fund balance=\$2880.01**
- Mr. Taton has some receipts that need to be turned in.**

**October's treasurer's report was tabled until next meeting in lieu of approval when Beth is here.**

### **Instructor's Report: Matt Taton**

- Mr. Taton thanked the IMB and all parents who helped with the marching band season.**
- Marching Band jumped two spots at State Finals. Score=75.95, 64 out of 100 field score, 80 out of 100 music score from the press box, 7<sup>th</sup> in winds.**
- At BOA, we are the last band to perform on Thursday night. We have sold 3 out of the 12 seats available on the bus. Chaperone fees were discussed. IMB will cover bus seat, Friday and Saturday admission into the finals. Chaperones are responsible for their hotel rooms.**
- Food for BOA, students are responsible for a disposable lunch for the bus, Friday dinner will be the preordered McAllister Deli and it will be delivered to the hotel. Continental breakfast will be served at the hotel Friday and Saturday morning. Friday lunch will be soup, rolls, fruit and chips. Friday dinner will be hot dogs 7 brats. Cheryl Strandskov is making cookies that will be served along with milk on Friday night when we get back from the stadium. On the way back home on Saturday, we will order pizza and serve it at the first rest area we come to.**
- IMB will order BOA patches for each band member.**
- Mr. Taton will check with Mr. Starnes about student send off.**

**Brandi Brauker- absent**

**Heather Ellenwood-class**

**Melanie Jorgensen - absent**

**Mr. Ratkos - absent**

**Fundraising: Linda Elliott**

- Poinsettia sales sheets will go out to students on November 17<sup>th</sup> and be due back in on Monday, December 1<sup>st</sup>. December 4<sup>th</sup> will be pick up at West Intermediate. We will pre-sell items at the West Craft Show.
- Pillars of the Community Bricks are ready to be purchased. Information is on Facebook.
- Chris Cakes will be doing pancake dinners before the Holiday Collage concerts.
- Jazz night will be held in the cafeteria on Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>.
- Spring Keepsake show on March 22. We will try to utilize west parents for this.
- Discussed spring fundraiser

**Public Relations: Leigh Wallace**

No report

**Uniforms/Chaperones: Marilyn Lindsay/Dana Smith**

No report

**Old Business:**

Scholarship committee had a meeting and comprised a letter to go out to the students. They also composed another letter that will go out to the students who still owe marching band fees. This letter discusses setting up a budget plan for those who still owe money.

**Operations:**

We still need transportation to BOA. Options include renting a trailer and hauling two trailers, \$800 estimate for gas. Penske truck (24ft) would be \$1000 to rent, and we would need another driver. We would need to pay insurance, gas and the rental fee. Dana will check with McQuirks if we can use their truck again. We can vote via email if we need to.

**New Business:**

- Mrs. Cregar, manager of Pixie's said that she could donate pizza if we needed it.
- Mr. Taton's Five Lake Silver Band has CD's available.
- Mr. Starnes saw Tarpon Springs performance and asked what it would take to have a band like that. Mr. Taton told him more student participation and about \$150,000,00 for equipment upgrades, etc. Mr. Starnes said that he will share this information with Mr. Pung.
- Cheryl will contact Jolesch Photography to see if we can purchase a digital copy of our marching band for use in brochures, etc.

Next IMB meeting is December 2nd @ 7 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 9:11 p.m.

Submitted by

Linda Osbeck, Recording Secretary

