

GH Band Boosters Board Meeting Minutes  
November 15, 2018 at 7:00 pm

**Attendees:** Barbara Molnar, Susan Harper, Tobey Lopez, Rick Muise, Wendy Pizzo, Rhonda Hinnant, Danielle Goldberg, Maria Williams, Heather Brose, Patrick Poovey, Christina Rossi, Andrea Forbis

**7:05 pm Call To Order**

Tobey Lopez

Motion to Approve [October18, 2018](#) Meeting Minutes

Motion made by Susan, Seconded by Christina, and Motion Passed.

**Treasurer's Report**

Rick Muise

- Marching Band budget looks fine but we still have a lot of travel and miscellaneous expenses that still need to come in.
- A/R and cash look fine, Rick will take a deeper look.
- Barbara asked Rick if we paid marching band shoes, she's still getting invoices-Rick will research and get back to her.
- Patrick said he has some expenses from props, etc. that will be coming.
- Field costs going up. Tobey getting quote of 7,200 for our field and athletics may share cost with us; however, we are costs are going from \$2K to \$3,600.
- Corporate Donations are looking good and we still have time.
- Yard Sale is this Saturday, November 17th.

**Budget Approval for Indoor Percussion**

Susan Harper

- Fair Share for indoor will be \$3,600. This is budgeted on 36 students and 3 students for ensemble.
- Percussion Auditions start this Monday; hoping for 42 students
- Other Revenue (Sell Freddy's cards – Daphne contacting them & we would like a Sponsor for T-shirt to cover that cost)

- ❑ Operating Expenses - travel is going up because we may be going to open class versus A class (assuming going to Dayton earlier if we don't get pushed to upper class then costs go down)
- ❑ Uniforms lower only doing top marching bands bibs for bottom. Money will go to drum line and staff. Aaron is taking on a program coordinator to assist with him (music, etc.) included for show design which Aaron has been doing it for the same cost for several years without any increase.
- ❑ Deficit: fair share was not collected from 2 students and we did not get any scholarships. And we had lower kids.
- ❑ Rick suggested we move money from scholarships over to cover those 2 kids who will continue to participate in the winter programs for this year.
- ❑ Discussion ensued that scholarships need to be shared with indoor/winter.
- ❑ Not taking a bus to Richmond or Fayetteville. We will be doing parent drivers.

#### Motion to Approve Indoor Percussion Budget

Tobey Lopez

- ❑ Motion made by Heather, Seconded by Danielle, and Motion Passed.

#### Winterguard Budget

Christine Rossi

- ❑ Presented Winterguard proposed budget. The budget reflects 14 Guard Varsity and 26 JV participants. Varsity Fairshare will be \$1,250 and JV Fairshare will be \$676.
- ❑ Made \$850 on selling of flags.
- ❑ We would like to do Winter fundraising. Would like to find sponsor for show shirts.
- ❑ No budget for meals
- ❑ Trying to sell some of the costumes
- ❑ Guard Varsity will go to 6 shows; JV will go to 5 and 3 WGI events. Registrations fees have increased.
- ❑ Hotels are firm and have been booked (1 night Charlotte; Atlanta 2 nights; Dayton 4 nights).

- Travel budget included practice facilities area for \$6,620.
- Vote in December on monies coming out of general budget to cover practice area.
- Auditions will be on Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>; Practice on Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Registration Guard will be on the same night as IP on Dec 6<sup>th</sup>
- Question/discussion ensues regarding if we can have practice before registration – this will be inferred ask Mr. Myers

Motion to Approve Guard Budget

Tobey Lopez

- Motion made by Heather, Seconded by Rick, and Motion Passed.
- Pancake Breakfast at Freddy's before Cary Christmas Parade the marching band willing to let profits flow to IP and Guard.

Fundraising

Andrea Forbis

- Fundraising opportunity with Bond Brothers call Wrap & Run: Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> time frame 6:30p-8:00p wrap and run. Tobey suggested we do a SIG for parents sign up as well as to collect supplies (tape, scissors, wrapping paper, etc.).

Motion to Approve Wrap & Run Fundraiser

Tobey Lopez

- Motion made by Christina, Seconded by Heather, and Motion Passed.
- Angelo submitted Grant to the Town of Cary \$7K full cost of the commissioned piece for 20<sup>th</sup> year
- Sell Flash Drives again this year; price will increase from \$20 to \$25. Danielle to coordinate with Gil and Angelo.

Update on AIM

Tobey Lopez

- Looking for committee members (hospitality)
- Fundraising ideas

**Next meeting is scheduled for December 13th at 7:00pm at Carla's house.**

Motion was made to adjourn & passed at 8:18 pm.