

GH Band Boosters Board Meeting Minutes
January 10, 2019 at 7:00 pm

Attendees: Carla Wilson, Barbara Molnar, Susan Harper, Wendy Pizzo, Rhonda Hinnant, Maria Williams, Heather Brose, Patrick Poovey, Christina Rossi, Jennifer Charney, Deb White, Mr. Myers, Dave McCowan, Maria Calabretta, Shilpa Surkhund, Andrea Forbis

7:00 pm Call To Order

Carla Wilson

Motion to Approve December, 2018 Board Meeting Minutes:

- Motion made by Deb, Seconded by Maria C., and Motion Passed.*

Directors Update

Mr. Myers

- Jan. 18th Recruitment Night for elementary and middle schoolers. The goal is to recruit kids not just for band but to get them excited about instruments.
- Students have been working hard for All District thru scales, solos, reading & performance anxiety. Proud of all 100 students this year. Out of 1,200 only 300 students can make it. Wake Co. may be its only entity/district next year. Currently, there are 14 counties in the current district. All District is the most competitive band. We had 34 students make it this year-highest number we've ever had was 30 and 34 is more than any other school. We also have a couple of students which will be representing us at the All State level.
- 2nd semester starting up.
- Wind Ensemble has been invited to Winston Salem March 4th.
- We have Pre MPA & MPA the end of March.
- Symphonic and Wind performing in World Premieres in Spring concert.

Old Business

Carla Wilson

- Wrap and Run fundraiser at Bond Brothers did not go as well as we wanted. Had 3 customers who found us via next door post. We collected \$150. Jackie Poovey also collected an additional \$150. Tobey would like to continue the partnership and we will try again next year.
- Fruit Sale fundraiser: \$900 went to student accounts with \$450 going to band.

Go Play Save Fundraiser

Deb White

- We made approximately \$7,667.00 (will have a better figure soon)
- Deb proposed that next year the larger profit/share of the money go to the Uniform fund.
- We had 2 families which sold the most GPS books: Poovey's and Arie's parents & they received gift certificates.

Walnut Creek Sales

Jennifer Charney

- ❑ Jennifer said Kathleen wanted to propose that we increase the profits from 10% to 15% for the band. *Susan asked that we Table the Walnut Creek proposal until the 2019 Budget meeting.*

Props

Patrick Poovey

- ❑ Athens Drive contacted us & wants to buy our Chains. Patrick said we have approx. 95 yards of Chain. We are asking for \$500.
- ❑ Lost a trailer tire coming from Indy. Working to get this fixed.

Grants

Carla Wilson

- ❑ Lazy Day Grant was denied. Angelo would like to thank everyone for all their help. He is currently working on other grants and will keep us posted.

AIM

Carla Wilson

- ❑ AIM will be held on March 23rd. Tobey wanted us to know that AIM Planning is going well. The Sign-up Genius will be going out soon.
- ❑ Open Positions: Hospitality, Check-in, Parking lot & Tickets

Indoor Percussion

Susan Harper

- ❑ IP had a very successful week for the Fans fundraiser with \$6,126.00 raised in 21 days. 100% of the students are participating in this fundraiser with 358 email contacts & 99 donations so far. Soon we can push out to social media.
- ❑ Our goal is \$8k. We are very proud of the students.
- ❑ Uniform order is coming up
- ❑ 1st competition coming up in Feb. WGI in Richmond
- ❑ No concert percussion group this year; only had one student interested
- ❑ Dr. Milazzo/family are sponsoring t-shirts with the logo being Duke Children's Hospital.

Winterguard

Christina Rossi

- ❑ We have 12 Varsity & 10 JV registered this year. Registration still open to students coming into JV. All students are brand new to guard for first time this year with 2 freshmen and the rest middle schoolers.
- ❑ Costumes have been fitted & the students are excited.
- ❑ Varsity got their floor last night & are very excited.
- ❑ Camp this coming weekend.
- ❑ First week in Feb. local competition for Varsity
- ❑ JV has local competition 2nd week in Feb. & Atlanta competition 1st week in March.

Next meeting is scheduled for February.

Motion was made to adjourn by Heather, Seconded by Maria C. & Motion Passed at 7:26 pm.