Newport Music Boosters Meeting on 1/2/24

Meeting called to order 6:00 pm

In attendance: Robby Carr, Director; Julia Strecker, President; Alethea Burn, Treasurer; Carol Logsdon, Uniform Coordinator; Grady Gibson, Symphonic Band Rep; Audrey Menke-Baltazar, Concert Band Rep; Hilarie Conrad, Kristen Olsen, Marshall Thompson, Pipi Smith

Approval of December minutes - Julia moved to approve, Carol seconded.

Treasurer Report given by Alethea Burn. Other relevant information: Discussed the need for a third officer in order to be compliant with DOJ Charitable Activities Division.

Julia gave the December Recap, including shout outs to volunteers at the Sam Case/YV Winter Concert.

Robby discussed January upcoming plans, events, and Pep Band Schedule.

Julia discussed possibility of a large item raffle that students could/would sell tickets for. Ideas were put forth and Julia will explore ideas presented. More info to come on this. Julia will also look into alternative restaurants for another 50/50 night.

Robby gave update on NMS festival funding - NMS covering the events 100%. Upcoming meeting with District to explore what it would take for District to give assistance for state-qualifying HS Band events. Still waiting to see results of the FAN funding request previously submitted...possible assistance of up to \$5000 for these sort of events.

Open positions were discussed - especially in light of the need for 3 officers. Kristen Olsen and Marshall Thompson expressed interest in being Co-Secretaries. Motion to elect them into this role made by Julia and seconded by Pippi Smith.

Meeting Minutes taken by Alethea Burn.

Meeting adjourned 6:30 pm.