

THSIMB Meeting Minutes
General Membership Meeting
January 11, 2024

- I. Call to order - The meeting was called to order by Billie Jackson, President. Five members, three board members and Mr. Karos were present.
- II. Minutes - The prior meeting minutes were not presented.
- III. Welcome - Billie
 - A. Billie noted that we are looking into a Band Photographer as a Fundraising opportunity in the Fall
 - B. Solicited volunteers to get sponsors for Bingo and indicated an intent to canvas Westview and downtown Frederick for this effort
 - C. Starting a weekly Facebook news post - upcoming post will focus on students that are performing in the All County Concert
- IV. Directors Report - Mr. Karos
 - A. Third quarter/spring semester starts on Thursday, January 18. Switching from Marching Band to Concert Band and from Freshman/Beginning Orchestra to Orchestra with Upperclassmen
 - B. Jazz A rehearsals started in December and Jazz B will be forming soon
 - C. THSIMB Calendar updated with concert and rehearsal information for the entire spring semester
 - D. Mr. Karos is planning a spring semester parent meeting in early February
 - E. Bingo and KIDA are approaching; the first indoor competition is on February 17 in Greencastle, PA
- V. Fundraising - Liz
 - A. Bingo is scheduled for Sunday, February 4. Tickets have been distributed to students and are available online THSIMB Square page
 - B. KIDA hosted by THS is scheduled for Saturday, March 2. Start time is still to be determined, likely 2 pm or 3 pm. 33 groups on the schedule. Liz is working on volunteer and donation SignUps and on getting volunteer leads assigned. We will be soliciting parent volunteers from all of the schools involved in the Western Frederick Percussion and Color Guard groups. Mr. Karos will take care of student SignUps
 - C. 5K decision is waiting on whether athletics wants to be involved, Mr. Karos is waiting on a response from the THS Athletics Director
 - D. Restaurant fundraisers
 1. Chipotle has been scheduled in March (date to be publicized in late February/early March)
 2. Will look into Chick-fil-A, Liz hasn't heard back from the POC for the location on 355

3. Liz and Billie will look into getting a dual fundraiser at Brusters and Starvin Marvins in April

VI. Financial Report

- A. John Halupka, presented the report from early January (same document was presented to the board on January 4)
- B. Andy Conley noted that he is an accountant and can look into instructions for the THSIMB tax form filings.
- C. Andy and the Merciers are the Audit team and plan to meet on February 4.

VII. Volunteers and Miscellaneous

- A. Loreta volunteered to solicit the slate for next year's Board
- B. Billie volunteered to work with Mr. Karos to finalize the Scholarship in April
- C. Fees for Spring semester groups are up on the THSIMB Square website and will be due February 1. The information will be distributed in the upcoming weekly THSIMB emails.

VIII. Meeting Adjournment - 8:05 pm

Respectfully submitted,
Liz Hahn-Dantona, Revenue Coordinator