

EATON RAPIDS BAND BOOSTERS MEETING MINUTES

August 11, 2021

Attendees Jen Eck, Jon Beyer, Tamah Winzeler, Tina, Angela Clymer, Jeff Ballard, Steve Bohus, Melissa Bohus, Tom Maier, Mrs. Rosin, Mr. G, Doug Nayback

Welcome and Introductions (Jen Eck)

Approval of minutes from last meeting (Jen Eck) Jon made a motion to approve the minutes, Seconded by Melissa. Minutes Approved

Officer Reports and Standing Business Items

- ♪ **President – (Jen Eck)**
- ♪ **1st VP – (Steve Bohus)** Corn Sales – goes until the corn runs out.
- ♪ **2nd VP – (Jon Beyer)** Concession sign up went well.
- ♪ **Secretary/Communications (DeeAnn Schell)**
- ♪ **Treasurer – (Julia Brownell)**
 - ♪ Monthly financial report – Will send financial reports later.
- ♪ **GIS & MS Representative (Melissa Bohus)**

Director and Band Council Reports

- ♪ **High School – (Adam Gumbrecht)** preparing for the beginning of the school year now that band camp is done. Excited to have a hopefully more normal year. Watching covid and vaccine info. Would not be surprised to see a mask mandate by the school. Could possibly still do some sort of band banquet.
- ♪ **Middle School/Greyhound Intermediate – (Melanie Rosin)** They are having a rental night before school. May have trouble asking parents for money to rent instruments. May put together an email asking for old instruments to be donated. This year could be a strange year and we need to be prepared for anything.
- ♪ **Band Council – (Katherine Bodkin)**

Old Business:

- ♪ Band Camp: debrief – Mr. G – Thank you to band council for the help at band camp. Jen – Thank you to all who helped. – Notes – Could give larger amounts of ice cream to fill cups. Keep boxed lunches, it made lunch go quickly – Keep dinner buffet, that went well- Keep meals outside possibly, went really well – Neeva did a great job of asking us what worked and what didn't – Salad worked well – Agie May's did/does a great job – Include a section on health form for dietary needs and food allergies.
- ♪ Kids did ok on normal daily schedule
- ♪ Did games instead of cardio/running.
- ♪ Jon said it was nice to have people come in for later in the evening as chaperones so other could leave if needed.
- ♪ Corn sale update – Corn is selling great, the corn mascot is a big hit. Bill Defrance wants to promote our corn sales. Steve wrote up a thing for print. Melissa suggested a wagon full of corn to pull around at the car show on Wednesdays.

New Business:

- ♪ Venmo – have a QR code we can use now for many money transactions.
- ♪ New website – Transition underway. Some ideas are, add testimonials from students or parents on the website. Maybe have a photo manager to choose which photos go on website and sort and

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manage them. Could be a band council person. Do we want to separate the middle school and high school photos? Could give fundraising its own tab. Have access to google forms on the website but also offer a printable form. Maybe have a volunteer tab on the website.

- ♪ Need someone to run the bake sale and table and to get signups for baking or donating baked goods.
- ♪ Disney update – Mr. G – Disney confirmed the parade is on Friday. We don't officially know where or when.

Open Floor Angela – first parade – kids would prefer to wear full uniform. Weather permitting. Will prepare for summer uniforms. Need to get polo's and shoes. Probably just do black athletic shorts for summer uniforms. Frontier days parade – maybe have kids drink Gatorade.

Next Meeting: Thursday, September 9, 2021

Respectfully submitted by:

DeeAnn Schell