

GMMA MEETING – October 9, 2024

Attendance:

Joel Paige	Christine Paige	Steven Holgate	Wendy Kraft	Brian McNulty
Toni McNulty	Rob Keffer	Zack Drenning	Vicki Werley	Stephanie Carter
Travis Williamson	Lisa Smith	Michelle Geddio		

Call to Order: 7:05

Administrative:

- Approval of September minutes - All review, Rob, Michelle 2nd
- Treasurer Report - Zach presented the treasurer's report; funds have been transferred to Diamond Credit Union; received \$89 in interest for the first month; SUTB netted about \$3,500 so far (waiting for Pip and Lilly's); discussed scholarship fund; students accounts need to be updated yet
- Membership Report - 138 current members (8 new for this year)
- Correspondence Report - Working on 'Thank You' notes for Strike Up and for the grant; just need addresses
- Music Department Report – Countywide music meeting coming up on Monday; seeing increased numbers of students taking private lessons at GMIS; Cumru and GMIS performed at pep rallies; GMMS will perform at their pep rally on Friday; Veteran's Day performances and holiday concerts are being prepared; GMMS band has over 80 students and chorus is around 140; GMMS is going to see The Outsiders on Broadway and the trip has already reached capacity; music will be added to the district website

Old Business:

- Sponsorship Fundraiser Update - Raised about \$1,000
- Strike Up The Bands Recap - Heard no negatives; made about \$3,500; huge thank you to all of the volunteers; middle school students were happy to help volunteer and would like to again
- Hiller Grant Update - No update, last year was approved on 10/20
- New Bank Account - Diamond Credit Union (see treasurer's report)
- Online Event Ticket - Switched from SchoolPay to Zeffy to avoid fees

New Business:

- New Food/Spiritwear Stand - Joel had a meeting with AD; he is very open to updating facilities; and will start to prepare a proposal
- Senior Banners - Are in the shed and ready to be hung for the game on Friday
- Spirit Wear Fundraiser - Going live on Homecoming
- High School Fundraisers - Candy sale is starting; possible candle sale later
- Craft Show - Will be held on November 16, 2024; Out of 117 spaces, 109 are reserved, and 86 paid; Keri will be in touch with Rob about food; need volunteers prior to and on the day of the event
- Holiday Concert Pie Sales - Due to the increased cost of pies, we will replace it with donation QR code in programs.
- R&K Sub and Sandwich Sale - Looking for dates that will help students raise more money for trips
- Pops Concert Planning (3/1/25) - 4:30 and 7:30 shows; tickets - Adult \$10, Student/Senior \$5; food trucks confirmed; Rob is doing his food; volunteers needed to set up the morning of
- Indoor Percussion Planning / Committee (4/5/25) - Will put a form on the website for people to sign up

Motion to Adjourn: 8:27