WESTSIDE BAND PARENTS ASSOCIATION MEETING
Tuesday, January 10, 2023

Members in Attendance: Band Director, Tommy Krueger, Keith Schoening
Heather Egbert, Tami Cervantes, Susanne Cook, Cheri Buehring, Jennifer Beer, Kelly Cornett, Jennifer Maddocks, Jennifer Allen, Diana Whitman, Tangee Hoagland, Shadow Hoagland, Jack Gifford, Deb Gifford

11-15-2022 Minutes were approved (motioned to approve by Kelly Cornett, seconded by Tangee Hoagland)

TREASURER'S REPORT:
- June 2022 – January 10, 2023 Notable Friends Donations: $11,600
- Notable Friends Goal is $14,000
- Notable Friends Venmo: A QR Code was included in the program and 3 Venmo donations were received the night of the Winter Concert.
- 50/50 Raffle at the Winter Concert: $328.00. The winner donated his winnings to the Band.

DIRECTORS' REPORT-MR. KRUEGER:

PEP BAND:
- January and February students will be busy with Pep Band at the basketball games

CONCERTS:
- Thursday, January 19, 2023: Wind Ensemble + 8th Grade Band Concert at 7:00 pm
- At 6:00 pm , the 8th graders will rehearse and 8th Grade Parents are invited to attend a meeting about WHS Band. WBPA members are invited to attend to share about the WBPA, how parents can get involved and answer questions.

REQUEST FOR FUNDS:
- Jack Gifford made a motion and Heather Egbert seconded the motion to reimburse The Lyle Family $118.70 to replace their Shade Tent which was damaged when the wind caught it during marching band camp.

WINTER COLOR GUARD:
- Winter color guard is going well and they will compete the end of January at Elkhorn North.
- Mr. Krueger will send out a notice regarding the Color Guard's competition dates.

Check out the Band Calendar (https://sites.google.com/a/westside66.net/westsidewarriorband/) **and Westside High School Band Parents Association Facebook page for events.**

PRESIDENT'S REPORT-HEATHER EGBERT AND TAMI CERVANTES
No updates at this time.

NEW BUSINESS

BIG BAND:
- This a fundraiser for the whole band program. Westside Jazz Bands (6th grade, middle school and high school) provide the entertainment.
- We need to start planning for the Big Band Dance on May 6, 2023
- Shadow and Tangee Hoagland are chairing the Big Band committee
- Possible sub-committees: Food, Raffle Baskets/Silent Auction, Decorations, Tickets
- Connect with Laurie Alger regarding ticket sales in 2022
- Need to start soliciting Raffle Basket donations soon
- Jitterbugs will be invited again – Mr. Krueger and Tangee Hoagland will coordinate with them.
- HyVee was the food vendor last year
- A Big Band Committee meeting will follow immediately after the February 7, 2023 WBPA meeting
- A Silent Auction & Raffle Basket are possibilities

PICTURES:
- Mr. Krueger has received numerous pictures which will be posted online.
- Currently considering coordinating with Kim Russel to post the pictures or sharing via Google Drive

BAND BANQUET: Jessica Manna and Tami Cervantes will be chairing the committee

WBPA 2023-24:

- WBPA Elections for the 2023-2024 school year will occur at the March 2023 meeting
- Please invite anyone you think might be interested in serving to become a WBPA Board Member.
- Known vacancies include: President-Elect and Secretary
- Notable Friends possible marketing opportunities: alumni, QR code to Notable Friends Venmo in the fall sports program, link to the Foundation on the Band Website, Pep Band with the Alumni

WBPA CHAIR OPPORTUNITIES:
Following is a list of committee chairs that are needed to support the band each school year. Please consider these opportunities to help keep Westside's band program great!

☐ Uniforms: Heather Egbert Kelly Cornett	☐ Meals	☐ Big Band Dance
☐ Bus Chaperones	☐ Senior Night: Jennifer Maddocks	☐ Big Band Raffle
☐ Photography	☐ Yard Signs: Heather Egbert	☐ Band Banquet
☐ Snacks	☐ Spirit Wear: Kelly Cornett	☐ Senior Albums
☐ Water	☐ Notable Friends	

Motion to adjourn by Kelly Cornett and seconded by Jennifer Allen.

NEXT MEETING: February 7, 2023 at 7:00 PM, WHS Band Room