

**Perkins Band Boosters Open Meeting Minutes**  
**September 9, 2025 @ 7pm held in the auditorium**

Attendance: Amy Williams, Kelly Salyer, Nicole Kessler, Scott Kessler, Asher Raab, Rob Gardin, Christian Willard, David Willard, Tabatha Stidham, Dawn, Whipple, Kira Harvey, Mr. Zanella, Chris Seyler

WELCOME NEW FAMILIES! Follow us on social media: **FB** - Perkins HS band boosters

**Treasurer's report:**

- Kelly bought a stamp to endorse checks
- Tell them at GFS to put any of your purchases under Perkins Band Boosters. We earn points to help us pay for concessions.

**Director's report:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> competition this Saturday (9/13 @ Cloverleaf, call time is 2pm, we perform 5:45 pm. There is construction on our route but we have plenty of time padded to schedule. We will be home around 11pm. Awards ae at 9pm.
- Next week is homecoming. The parade is on Wednesday. This year, there is a change of route: Briar Dr to left and head north on Mathis, turn left (west) onto Marshal, turn left (south) onto Campbell. The parade will end in the south lot at Perkins High School.
- It will be nice (to have the parade on Wednesday) because the parade before the game wipes the kids out.
- Call time for the parade is 5:45pm. The parade starts at 6:15. The Powder Puff game is from 7-8m, the band will be in attendance. We might be able to do a run of our show at half time.
- Mr. Zanella is not sure if we will need the pit crew. We will be playing stand tunes.
- Will not play as a group at bonfire.
- Kids will guide bands at North Coast.
- We need tons of volunteers for North Coast because if it is successful, we don't need to do a ton of fundraising the rest of the year.

**Old Business:**

Cloverleaf Competition this Saturday 9/13/25.

North Coast Business ads, parent ads, and trophies for NC,

- 11 schools with compete at North Coast (including Perkins)
- Trophy sponsorships are covered.
  - Robotics mentors are sponsoring the Grand Champion
- North Coast volunteer meeting on Thursday, September 25<sup>th</sup> in the PLC.
- We need a Blackstone/Grill for North Coast to cook burgers, brats, and hot dogs.
- The school will allow us to use the coolers in the cafeteria.

NC shirts – colors and design

- We will have preorder shirts,
  - Shirts will be black with white lettering
- will still have shirts at the comp

**New Business:**

Water Donations: Mr. Zanella will send out a Remind message asking for donations.

Gold Cards: These will go out this week at the middle school. Mr. Rish is handling them this year.

North Coast: Please see notes above for all North Coast discussion.

**Upcoming dates:**

9/13/2025	Cloverleaf Competition
9/17/2025	Homecoming Parade
9/19/2025	vs. Bellevue HOMECOMING and Alumni night
9/26/2025	vs. Clyde
9/27/2025	North Coast competition
10/03/2025	@ Sandusky
10/10/2025	vs. Norwalk
10/11/2025	Springfield Competition
10/17/2025	vs. Huron
10/18/2025	Maumee Competition
10/24/2025	@ Tiffin Columbian
10/25/2025	State Marching Band Competition
11/1/2025	State Marching Band Competition
12/10/2025	8 <sup>th</sup> grade, Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble Concert: 6pm
12/18/2025	6 <sup>th</sup> , 7 <sup>th</sup> , and Jazz Band Concert: 6pm
1/7/2026	OMEA Solo and Ensemble Festival: Genoa HS
1/24/26	OMEA Honors Band and Choir: Port Clinton HS
2/12 -2/17/26	Disney
3/6 or 3/7/26	OMEA Large Group Adjudicated Event: Oak Harbor
3/26 -3/28/26	PHS Musical
5/1 or 5/2/26	OMEA State Large Group
5/6/26	PHS Jazz Ensemble Concert: 6pm
5/15/26	HS Bands POPS concert: 6 pm; PHS Gym
5/25/26	Memorial Day Parade
5/31/26	Graduation

**Ongoing Fundraising:**

Domino's Dough Day occurs every second Wednesday of the month. Please make sure you use code **DN6** when ordering so the band boosters gets credit.

\* **Kroger:** Please sign up your Kroger rewards for the Perkins Band Boosters with the Kroger Community Link. KK960. Anyone across the country can sign up to benefit Perkins Band Boosters. There's no money out of your pocket!

\* **GFS:** When checking out at Gordon Food Service, they ask who you are shopping for. Tell them **Perkins High School Band** so we can build points to purchase items for concession stands.

\*\*Please check your place of work to see if they offer non-profit donating options. Perkins High school marching band is a 501C-3 organization. See the treasurer if you need the number to get signed up.

Contact us! President: Amy Williams 419-541-0014 Vice President: Kira Harvey 419-202-8944

**Next meeting October 14, 2025**