

Kearsley Band Booster Meeting Minutes
Monday, January 3, 2022

Attendance: Sandi Little, Shelly Rice, Brian Rice, Liz Sidebotham, Dollie Ray, Cathy Laube, Michelle Craft, Christy Woods and Alison Phelps

Call to Order at 6:07 p.m.

Treasurer's Spot

- There has not been a lot of activity since last year
- Upcoming expenses:
 - High School Concert Uniform purchases
 - Dry cleaning of uniforms
- We received an invoice from Jan's Dry Cleaning for \$90, Sandy to call and get an explanation of the charges
- We discussed purchasing a new refrigerator for the band room similar to what we have now. Discussed Home Depot purchase as one of the band student's parent works there
- Sandi Little approved, Cathy Laube seconded

Old Business:

Lunch and a Movie

- The date is set for Friday, January 21. Start time Noon
- Decided on Taco Bar and Ice Cream Sundaes
 - Boosters will provide taco meat and ice cream
- Brian working on flyer and Cathy working on the sheet
- Volunteers: Brian and Dollie to help with lunch
- Movie TBD

Yearbook AD

- February 1st is the Deadline for the yearbook
- Christy Woods to put the design together for the Ad
- Send email out to students/parents to get pictures of the seniors
- At the January 14th Basketball game, Liz offered to take pictures of seniors that haven't sent in a photo
- Alison got us a list of names of the seniors

Flea Market

- Brian created a new flyer with the current dates
- Discussed advertising options:
 - All news channels websites
 - All radio stations
 - Christy Woods to get us the name of the person in charge of the marquee
 - Need to get with Angie Ayre about in-school TV Ads

- Add to band website
- Email previous vendors

VG's Receipts

- Discussed next competition - all class competition
- Start date March 1 through April 22
- Cathy reviewed a rough draft of the "goal" posters

Spirit Wear

- Spirit Wear Sale
 - To hold February 14th through February 28th
 - Online sales
- Discussed the possibility of non-clothing items
 - Slides
 - bags

Scholarship Application

- Added more language to address payments and student behavior
 - The Boosters can't reimburse the parents - added language to direct parents to pay a deposit but to let the Boosters pay the Award directly to the band camp
 - Discussed adding language around student behavior - that the student should be in "good standing" in terms of grades and behavior at the school. If the student has been suspended with an opportunity to explain the situation.
- Scholarship due date March 25th
 - Time for the board to make decision and notify of the award

New Business

Band Festival

- March 4th or 5th
- Applied to go to Swartz Creek
 - Festival changed how they can do performances, can send in a recording for a virtual performance
 - No sight-reading
- Wind Ensemble/Symphonic Band/Advanced Band all go to Festival
 - If same day, I will send all the equipment at once
 - Put in an application for a trailer
 - Will need help from the trailer to set up

Middle School Engagement

- In February, Wind Ensemble will be going to the Advanced Band Class to help bridge the gap to High School

- Valentine's Goody Bags
- Host a meeting at AMS
 - Alison to see how long we can host the meeting
 - Checking on access to a building
- Taylor's agenda to be 50/50 AMS Bands
- Put together Spirit Wear Basket to raffle off

Upcoming Elections

- Elections in April
 - Secretary - Dollie Ray to run
 - Treasurer - Cathy Laube to run
 - President - Liz Sidebotham to run

Phelp's Corner

- The administration approved Herter Equipment that was needed
- Need more tuners with contact microphones

The meeting ended at 7:55 p.m.

The next meeting, Monday, February 7, 2022, in the High School Band Room at 6:00 p.m.