

Monroe Instrumental Music Booster Club

General Meeting via Zoom

July 9, 2025

Present: Graham Westley, Heather Lockhart, Nate Lockhart, Greta Gerweck, Laura Gerweck, Sarah Sauve, Billy Lewis, Marabeth Lewis, Michelle Lee, Adam Lee, Beth Trpevski, David Mahoney, Brett Goodman.

Directors Report: Graham Westley

Band Camp: Driver still needed to tow the TMB trailer to and from Spring Arbor. Possible options: rent a U-Haul, borrow a truck from the school, or have a maintenance person drive a truck towing the trailer to and from band camp.

Motion made to approve June Minutes. Greta 1st and Laura 2nd

President Report: Heather Lockhart

Blanket fundraiser has sold 67 blankets so far. Would like to sell at the concession stand but will need to order a minimum of 100. An order of 150 was considered.

Piano war update: Shelly at the RRCA interested in partnership with Booster Club. The 900.00 deposit expires in February 2026. The only date available after Jan 1 is Jan 3rd. RRCA proposed splitting ticket sales with club. RRCA would like to keep 100% of

concession revenue. Proposed price of \$30.00 ticket with 300 seats available to sell. To break even (\$900.00 deposit + \$900.00 balance) = \$1800.00 would have to sell 120 tickets. Can we pay performers before the ticket revenue is split? Could we advertise this event via the school district since they have a PR person?

Treasures Report: Greta Gerweck

Payments received in CutTime for Band Camp total \$37,400.

Cut time credits used for payment total \$4000.00. There is \$10,000 in total credits available in Cut Time.

Heart ship \$1000.00

Credit card bill totals \$4300.00

Outstanding Band Camp balance totals \$9000.00.

Band Camp Updates: Sarah Sauve

Number of students attending away band camp verified. Meals planned for 124 people at Spring Arbor. This will include chaperones and section instructors.

Over the counter medications will be provided for the students. Will use First Aid kits contents also. Kits are in the uniform room

Per Graham: The show shirts costs which were included in the students' camp fee totaled \$1300.00. The budget for the shirts was \$2400.00. The design fee of \$200.00 was donated.

There will be 5 buses taking students to Spring Arbor and 3 buses returning to MHS at the end of the week. Many students will drive home with their parents / guardians on the last day.

There will be a Band Camp chaperone and instructor zoom on Friday July 11th at 7pm.

Camp schedule was reviewed. Kids will start arriving at MHS at 0700 on day of departure. The goal is to leave for Spring Arbor at 0820-0830.

Pizza will be provided on Friday night at camp.

Feedback received to improve band camp was to increase water breaks and start activities on time.

Laura Gerweck

Secretary

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