

Spartan Music Boosters 11/7/17 Meeting Minutes

Attendees Greg Van Hare, Michele Van Hare, Susy Bullet, Mary Horsch, Michele North, Jennifer Tracy, Gail Schumacher, Bonnie Cushman, Wanda Berry, Genia Babiack, Michelle Kouns, Dana Meadows, Rick Grotzky

Location – BHS Band Room

Call to Order (Michele/Greg) – The meeting was called to order at 7:01

- 10/10/17 Minutes approval: 1st Wanda Berry 2nd Michele North; One correction: Show Choir to reschedule with St Joseph School (date is TBD)

Treasurer's Report (Bonnie/Ella)

- See Attached Treasures Page. See attached Show Choir summary page.
- Thank you called out to Ella. Updating the student accounts and King Soopers accounts.
- Band account spreadsheet status (Ella) -- Completed.
- Color Guard Uniform Order Status - Done. All items received.
- Band Fees Status (Ella) - The spreadsheets for Student accounts and King Soopers updated and current. Bonnie/Ella will be sending out a summary of who has paid the Band Fees and how needs to. 7 Kids are currently paid up/current.
- Band Big Pair of Marching Band Uniform Pants Order Quote Approval (Dana)
1st Gail Schumacher 2nd Susy Bullet. all ayes.

Bank accounts combined. There is one excel file for the student accounts.

Director Report (Rick)

- Marching Band Regionals Wed 10/18 Results – Best scores in many year... The band talked about it and are feeling good about the improvement from the Greely show.
- Marching Band Parent Fun Night Tue 10/17 Review – A Good Night. Suggestion to do a Parent March off. Idea: Do a Spring Parent night (concert Band), Parent Pep Band, Show Choir Parent night, Mixed Choir Parent night...
- Show Choir Spring Trip Change - Not going to Chicago, looking at other options. Would like to go to some kind of competition.
- Show Choir Xmas Show - Dec 14th. - Starting to book Show Choir Christmas performances... Good Sams (Loveland), Truscott, Village Polace, Parade of Lights (Dec 18), Mead Middle School, Loveland Library, Tree lighting....
- We have a new Face Book page: BHS Band Alumni ...
- Pay the Drill writer...
- Senior Night will be at the last Basket Ball game. Need the “Gold Buckets”, Michelle/Sarah Kouns will get them painted gold. There are only 3 seniors.
- We will be doing a Middle School Pep Band night. Middle school band will join the Band are a Basket Ball Pep band night.
- SNAP is going good. We are looking at about \$4,800'ish (you can still donate). Part of the “Wish List”
 - o New Music for Jazz Band and Orchestra

- o Choir Robes.. there is a story here, the Maintenance team found a bunch (50'ish) suit bags in the back of the storage room.. They ask Mr. Grotzky if he wanted them... "Oh yea!!" They had marron (school color) Choir robes!! So the Wish List item is for adding news Stole (school color with school mascot/icon/spartan profile..)
- o Talked about doing SNAP every other year... no decision made.
- Leaf Raking... Gail and Rick called out that they have been getting some calls, so it is being missed. They are keeping a list (in case we do it next year, or another group may want to pick it up next year)
- Senior Night – Should we do “Big Pictures”? If we decide yes, the parents would be asked to pay for the it (big poster sized picture...) should be about \$40.00'ish. If we can combine with the Basket Ball order, we would save some money.

Old Business

- Marching Band T-Shirt distribution Status – done, They have them
- Marching Band Shoe Order Distribution Status - The shows are still in the box. Motion to “hand out the shoes next Auguts” 1st – Susy, 2nd Michele. Passed.
- **Tabled:** Concert Program Ads for 2017-2018 School Year (Layout, Karen) (Sales, Dana)
- Lock Box in Band Room Installation Status – It is not installed. Rick will do the formal paperwork with the Districts to install the box, and to fix the broken light.
- Winter Events’ Gate Workers (Michelle) – Michelle has the list of winter home games. First is Nov 29th. Decision: We will open signup for 2 weeks. Suggestion that each kid (and a parent) signup for 2 Gates. After the 2 weeks, we will them to sign up for more. For each Gate they do, the Student Account will be credited with \$x.xx (Michelle and Rick need to do the math so calculate how much each gate is worth).
- **Tabled:** Trailer Graphics (Tom)
- Choir Robes from District Status - See Great news in the Director Report.
- Kettlecorn Sales for Show Choir – 6 kids were selling. \$130.00 profit. Question: Should we share the \$’s in to the Student Accounts? Genia is leading this, she will make a proposal, and work through how many Basket Ball games they will sell at...
- Concert Show Note Sales – Good. About \$60 (see treasure report). We will be doing the Show notes are “The Wiz”. Group will meet after the meeting to organize it...
- **Tabled:** Website (Karen)
- Show Choir Dress Alterations – Done. Not sure, thinking a family member/friend helped out. Suggestion to have the kids do a “warm fuzzy” as a thank you.
- Snap Raise Status – See Director report.
- Wreath & Poinsettias Fundraiser Status (Gail, Suzanne, LuCero, ?)
 - o Wreath sales done...
 - o Poinsettias will start Nov 10 through end of November. Delivery starting first week December (I think)
- Marching Band Banquet Thu 11/16 . Rick will ask Catering Club to do the main disk. Freshmen Side Disk, Sophomores – Drinks, Junior and Seniors – Dessets.

New Business

- Colorguard Camp (Wanda) - Instructors Camp June 25-30. \$567-\$617. Wanda willing to cover travel costs. Motion 1st and 2nd, passed. Wanda is going to Summer Instructor Camp.
- King Soopers Card – Suggestion to add to the face book and Web site (reminder that you can do it). Also include a testimonial from Gail “I have not had to write a check for Band Fees in years, using my King Soopers Card.”....

Future Business

- Band account changing to new name: filed; waiting on approval --- Done. See Treasure report.
- Moving show choir account funds to band account once name change is completed --- Done. See Treasure report.

Volunteers Needed For:

- Winter Event Gate Workers -- see Old business...
- Show Choir – Parents need to go to office and turn in the “Driving Paperwork”... Needed for Christmas shows (drivers) and Singin Valentines (drivers). Please do the paperwork sooner please.

Upcoming Dates:

- Jazz Band, Concert Band, & TMS Bands Concerts Wed 12/13
- Orchestra, Mixed Choir, Show Choir & TMS Choir Concerts Thu 12/14

Dismissal

- Next Music Boosters meeting is Wednesday Dec 6th at 6pm at BHS in Band Room.
- Meeting dismissed at “before 8pm”