

Band Boosters Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: 1/24/2022

Call to order 7:04 p.m.

Attendees: Kristin Draye, Shelly Blanchard, Jolene Greve, Diana Pistone, Gina Schmidt, Christine Bruger, Teresa Gagliardo, Lori Fini-Iacovetta, Latesha Parker, Mark Warren, Karen Skufka, Stephanie Bluffestone, Amy Bell, Alberta Seawood, Biagio Pistone, Brad Treiber, Mike Witzack, Tina Bucchioni, Randi Vinocur, Tina Gaughan

Welcome / President's Report – Shelly Blanchard

- Asked for any feedback on the lock-in / volunteer reception. (none)
- Volunteer reception was new to thank people for helping with concessions, etc. It went well, about 30 people attended.
- The holiday concert went very well. We sold spirit wear and some of the leftover snacks from the concession stand.
- Still not sure if we'll have the February meeting in person or via Zoom. TBD.
- Elections for the 2022-2023 season will be in March. Nomination forms will be sent out to be turned in at the February meeting.
- Shelly asked each board member to describe their position.

Recording Secretary - Kristin Draye

- Presented minutes from 11/22/2021
- Motion to accept 11/22/2021 minutes: Lori Fini-lacovetta Second: Biagio Pistone

Band Director – Brad Treiber

- Thanked everyone again to everyone who helped out with the Lock-In.
- Had to submit a formal application for the St. Patrick's Day Parade. We have been officially accepted to be in this parade. The Cleveland Irish/American Club will be paying for buses for the kids. School transportation can't be used due to timing. Hasn't been determined if we can have parent chaperones. Once meetings have been attended we will let everyone know. We may need waters / lunch based on timing. March 17th.
- On March 20th we leave for Nashville. Students will be submitting designs for the trip t-shirts. We
 will be able to fit the instruments on the buses going down. We are getting the largest motor
 coaches that Anderson has.
- We are getting ready for the Winter Concert March 9th.
- At the February meeting we will need to start to talk about the band finale in the fall.
- After Prom is struggling. They had to cancel their fundraiser. Asked if we could donate to After Prom.

Treasurer report – Teresa Gagliardo

- We feel with our current budget that we can add an additional \$1,500 to our After Prom donation
- Presented report November 2021
 - November and December activity was pretty light.
 - Spirit wear sales totaled over \$700
 - \$3400 ahead of budget
- Motion to accept treasurer's report: Lori Fini-lacovetta Second: Stephanie Bluffestone

Concessions (Diana Pistone / David Schmidt / Gina Schmidt)

 Concession stand is all cleaned out. The banners are in the concession stand and will be re-hung for the Band Finale.



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Membership (Karen Skufca)

No report

Volunteers – (Jolene Greve / Laurie Coppersmith)

No report

Uniforms (Mike Witzak – not in attendance / Stephanie Bluffestone)

• We will send uniforms out for dry cleaning after the St. Patrick's Day Parade

Auxiliary Liaisons

• Not in attendance

Old Business (from 11/22/2021)

• None

New Business

• Proposed to donate an additional \$1,500 to After Prom

Adjourn

- Motion to adjourn: Mike Witczak, seconded by Gina Schmidt
- Meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Next Meeting – February 28, 2022 7pm via Zoom

Respectfully submitted by: Kristin Draye Recording Secretary