



NBHS Band Boosters Association, Inc.
General Booster Meeting Minutes
October 12, 2010
7 pm

1. Meeting called to order at 7pm by Christine Ikels, president. Please sign in on the sign in sheet being passed around.
2. Minutes from September meeting are on the website. A motion was made by Molly Zeitler and seconded by Richard Mueller to approve the minutes as posted. Motion approved.
3. Treasurer's Report by Patty Schaeffer. Income since last meeting is \$4,235.36 and expenses were \$8,313.58 leaving a balance of \$25,788.53. We are receiving Wurstfest products now. Income so far from the marching contest was \$1,900 from concessions. Funnel cakes brought in \$400 from the last home game. We gave allotted money to the colorguard and percussion. Mr Arnold has purchased a steel drum for \$2,000. A motion was made by Sandy Lewis and seconded by Greg Lepere to approve the treasurer's report. Motion approved.
4. Committee Reports
 - September Marching Contest- A big thank you to those who helped organize the contest. We made almost \$1,900 from concessions. Another \$2,000 will come from USSBA in November. A USSBA organizer sent a letter complimenting how well the contest was done. Christine read the letter. Have tried to address condition of school and stadium with stadium and school administration but have had no response. The facilities were not clean and we spent two hours cleaning to make it presentable. Christine is sending Mr Rodriguez a letter regarding this tomorrow.
 - Pre-Game Meals-This week is Chick-Fil-A. Thank you Jackie Gibson for all your hard work. Students will need to bring a sack lunch this Saturday. No pre-game meal. Possibly will have pre-game meal for Saturday, Oct 23, depending on our marching time.
 - Spirit
 - Pit Crew-John Thiem is in the hospital and Richard Lalanne has stepped in. Thank you pit crew.
 - Hospitality- Thank you to all who brought food for the USSBA contest we hosted.
 - Banquet-We are in the planning stage. Civic Center prices have increased. It may be moved if another facility is found.
 - Website- Now posting photos and an order form. The website has a great look.
 - Fundraising- Made \$400 on funnel cakes last game. Will sell funnel cakes at next home games.
 - Wurstfest- Still have time slots open to work, especially nights of football games and Saturday contest. Doug will send a letter with directions and tickets if you signed up. No children or band students are allowed in the booth. Only boosters or previous boosters allowed in the booth.
5. Upcoming Events
 - UIL – this Saturday- Need to get a 1 to advance to area.

- Area Contest 10/23/10- Area is 3 regions. All bands that make a 1 in region advance to area. Boosters will provide a meal.
 - Houston Contest 10/30/10- Boosters will provide lunch and supper. Bring snacks if desired. We will take limited chaperones due to bus space and tickets allotted.
6. New Business:
- Equipment upgrade- Would like to buy two new drum major podiums with the \$1,900 made from concessions. They are \$690 each plus shipping. Molly Zeitler motioned and Richard Lalanne seconded to purchase these podiums. Motion passed. We will keep the old ones for now. It was mentioned that we need tympani carts. We will wait on any other equipment purchase until after Wurstfest.
 - Band Trip-The max number of chaperones will be ten. Chaperones for the band trip had to have worked games/contest.
7. Ms Pradervand – Band Director’s Update
- Thanks to all who helped with USSBA, unfair day and games. We have had a successful marching season. Please come to contests to cheer and wear your blue.
 - Region is at Judson
 - October 23rd is Area. This will be an all day affair.
 - October 30th is USSBA Texas State championship at Woodlands stadium. Will leave at 7 or 8 am to drive to Houston. We will stop at Spring High School to have run through and lunch. We will probably perform in the evening. We may open up some seats on the bus to sell to student’s families (not as chaperones).
 - After marching season there is one regular season game then possibly playoffs. If we have a playoff game the weekend of Thanksgiving and you are in town then students should come to the game. If your student will be out of town Ms Pradervand will need a note from the parent. Practices will be lowered to one evening per week after marching season. This will last through playoffs.
 - Silver band sectionals will start Tuesdays and Thursdays in November.
 - Thursday begins our second fundraiser for the band trip. Students are selling Butter Braids and poinsettias. Poinsettias are \$12 with a 50% profit. Will sell this Thursday through October 28. Poinsettias will be delivered December 2nd or 3rd. Butter Braids will be delivered November 12th.
 - The band trip’s second deposit is due this Friday. You can access CHARMS to check on your student’s balance.
 - The band is not playing at Wurstfest this year. The Wurstfest entertainment committee made that decision.
 - There are a total of 272 band students with 218 eligible for UIL.

Christine Ikels reports the Carey Stimson fundraiser at Wings and Rings raised over \$4,000.

Monica Partida asked if the November meeting will be postponed like last year to make sure all money is counted for Wurstfest? No, the meeting will stay on Tuesday, November 9.

Meeting adjourned by Christine Ikels at 8:02pm.

Minutes submitted by Laura Dietert, Secretary.

NBHS BAND BOOSTER SIGN IN SHEET

Date 10-12-10 Meeting General Meeting

Please PRINT your name

Kate McCarthy

Laura Dietert

Monica Partida

Robin Nowotny

Greg LePere

JAMIE SEALS

Christie Schmitz

CHRIS Crosby

TERESA Crosby

Beverly Luna

RICHARD MUELLER

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Patty Pearce

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