

Minutes from 5/14/2007 Band Booster Meeting

Welcome and call to order at 7:35 pm – Rudi's final meeting to host as band booster president!!

Treasurers Report

Around \$4000 is still due in band fees. Please pay these fees asap! If the fees are not paid, students will not get credit for their band class, and some will not graduate. This must be taken care of as soon as possible.

Executive Board Election

We have no one to fill the position of vice president yet. Daniel Arocho will be recruiting for that position this summer. Daniel will be band booster president next year. We are putting a hold on the secretary position, Robin Vale will be treasurer.

2007-2008 Budget Approval

A copy of the budget was given to all boosters who attended the meeting. We went over all edited expenses. Changes were voted in. Budget for 2007-2008 passed.

Reminders

- 07-08 medical forms are due NOW
- 79-08 contracts and \$100 membership deposit are due this Friday, 5/18/07
- Thursday 5/17/07 – Spring concert at 7:30
- Band Banquet – Friday 5/18/2007 – Monday 5/14/07 was the last opportunity to purchase tickets.
- Chris Read needs all pictures for DVD no later than Wednesday, 5/16/2007 (eaglefilms@gmail.com)
- Graduation Water Sales – We will be selling water at graduation. The water is being furnished for us to sell, and we get 100% of the profit!

4 stations will be set up with 2 parents working each station plus 1 runner. So far we have the following volunteers: Bob and Robin Vale, Jayna Durden, Linda Dowlin & Nicole, Jan Hill and Noah, Marion and Rick McMichael, Debbie Waters, Angie Rigney, and we need two more volunteers!

- The fee schedule for next year will be posted on the web page. Please keep up with payment dates.
- We are not allowed to write refunds on student accounts that are from fundraisers or donations from other sources.
- Please send all payments to Robin's home this summer. Her address will be posted on the web page.

Director's Report

Mr. Mashburn's comments

We have a very busy week this week with the spring concert Thursday and band booster banquet this Friday. The kids are being very patient in waiting to hear officer assignments. It is taking a while to grade those tests, but Mr. Mashburn will let everyone know about these important officer assignments as soon as possible.

Mr. Mashburn is sorry the contracts are so late, but it took a while to get through all of the tryouts. We will have a small – or no amount of alternates for next year – everyone did very well in the tryouts.

For next year's show we will need a large number of 'stage crew' or 'prop handlers'. These folks will be playing percussion or something else in the stands during games.

We need medical forms for 2007-2008 as soon as possible. This will help us keep up with e-mail addresses, etc. easier.

Keep up with the calendars on the website – flashofcrimson.com – they are updated rather often.

Dinkles – measurements are done at band camp for everyone. Bibbers – students will be re-measured before end of school year.

Mr. Tucker's comments

Drumline placed 10th at worlds. We had lots of competition at this one. The kids came back from Dayton, walked in Monday morning wanting to know if it was time for auditions. The kids are very excited and want to get going quickly!

I am busy preparing for next year. We will be getting new laminate around the drums to make them black to match our awesome new uniforms. We are going to look GREAT!!

Final Comments from Rudi Hulsey

On a personal note, Rudi thanked everyone for the opportunity to serve as band booster president this year. She appreciates everyone's adaptation and agreement to several changes this year. She thanked everyone for their hard work and assistance this year. It is very appreciated by the students and executive committee.