

SMFHS Band Boosters
General Meeting Minutes
March 01, 2010

Tony Martinez called the meeting to order at 7:33 pm.

Kathryn Bulgrin: SMF District Treasurer...Thank you for all you do. Here to share community engagement process and current information. Please review the blue paper and she asked that you fill out the survey and return them by the end of the week.

Prior Meeting Minutes: The minutes from our last meeting will be filed as written. NO HARD COPIES will be made and handed out! Minutes will be posted on the band website *Stowband.org* Please contact Heather Galioto if you find any changes that need to be made to the minutes.

Treasurer: Ron Pribula- \$73,292 balance. Break down as follows (approx): General Fund-\$24k, Student Acct-\$19k, Uniform Acct-\$27k, Scholarship-\$545, Bus Acct-\$1,000 and Trip Acct-\$802. Enjoy the City Book money is in. \$30k was put into a 15 month CD (uniform monies)

By-Law Change: The vote will be held at the end of the meeting.

Upcoming Events:

Concert: March 04, 2010

Band Banquet: May 5, 2010. Please get photos for the senior memory pages to Connie S.

Reverse Raffle: March 20, 2010!

Tag Day: May 01, 2010

American Celebration Concert: May 01, 2010

Fundraiser Notes:

East of Chicago Pizza: March 02, 2010

McDonald's Night: March 22nd and May 10th. Maybe have Tyler work the window...?

Enjoy the City: Over \$800 went into student accounts. There are a few books left...see Tony M or Denise O

Connection Cards: Steve L is looking for full participation of the students. Brand new cards are being printed (in lieu of the stickers) now, cost of cards is \$250. Cards sell for \$10...1/2 goes to band parents-1/2 goes to student accounts. If you need extra cards...see Steve Little. Students should have cards on March 4th...money/cards due back on April 1st. Steve suggested that if a senior sells 3 cards...the band parents will purchase their ticket to the band banquet. Motion to purchase tickets made by Kevin G, 2nd by John C and Ron P...motion passed ☺

New Fundraisers:

Dairy Queen: March 21-27, 2010 MUST have flyer...20% of all sales w/ flyer goes to the band.

One-Day Mattress Sale: We now have the information electronically. We really need to move forward on this. Is anyone interested in heading up this fundraiser?

Committee Notes:

Band Banquet: Janice Brown is organizing this event. Please contact her if you would like to help.

Reverse Raffle: March 20, 2010. Tickets are \$60 each that includes one meal and one main board number.

Committee meetings have started...join us. Start talking to everyone about attending and/or donating to our night of fun. Please contact Heather Galioto if you are interested in helping.

Newsletter: No new newsletter this month.

Senior Memory Pages: Connie S will be doing the Senior memory pages...get your photos in early.

Old Business: None

New Business:

Community Showcase: Do the Band Boosters want a booth at the showcase? Contact Cindy Lewis at the Chamber of Commerce.

Constitution Change: Tony M read the proposed change of adding an assistant treasurer. Call to vote: Motion to change made by John C, 2nd by Kevin G, all in favor was unanimous. Motion passed. Change will be made to by-laws.

Director Reports:

Mrs. Sandman:

- ❖ Lakeview newsletter went out today.
- ❖ March 17th Lakeview concert at 7pm
- ❖ May 27th Lakeview Spring Concert at 7pm...last one of the year.
- ❖ February 24th Tim (?) came and worked with the freshman and maroon bands.
- ❖ February 27th Jazz 1 and Kimpton participated in the Hudson Jazz Fest, it was a long 12 hour day but well worth the money paid. The kids performed, received a follow-up clinic, individual instrument clinic, provided two meals, a video, the Loud Horns concert and a CD of the performances with judge comments.
- ❖ March 4th-Benefit concert...all donations will be given to the Good Neighbors Association.

Mr. Newman:

- ✓ Kimpton Jazz has a great performance and great behavior at the Hudson Jazz Fest. Congrats to them!
- ✓ Feb 25th Kimpton concert the students did a fantastic job! They tackled some challenging music.
- ✓ March 24th & 25th Kimpton will be hosting the Jazz bands and jazz concert @ Kimpton. Bobby (?) will be the guest soloist. March 24th will be clinics for each band w/ Bobby. March 25th is the concert.
- ✓ Kimpton Solo & Ensemble will be March 27th.
- ✓ Freshman Orientation (for current 8th graders) will be Monday, April 5th.
- ✓ Tag Day is May 1st. This is mandatory for 7th & 8th graders, excuses need to be turned in by April 5th for approval.
- ✓ Pre-contest concert is May 13th
- ✓ Large group contest is May 14th or 15th
- ✓ Kimpton Jazz Band will perform at Hoover Auditorium on May 22nd then off to Cedar Point. They will also perform at the Lakeview concert.

Mr. Monroe:

- High school concert March 4th @ 7pm. Each band will play 3 tunes.
- March 3rd, there will be a practice for Jazz 2 @ 6:30pm
- March 2nd there will be a special guest to work with Wind Ensemble
- February 13th 80 students went to Solo & Ensemble, 54 events were entered. The following ratings were earned...40-Superior, 12-Excellent and 2-Good.
- In the concert for this week, there will be a list of all upcoming events. Please check it out.
- Tag Day excuses are due by April 9th for approval, tag day is May 1st.
- American Celebration Concert is also May 1st. Please email Mr. Monroe photos of servicemen and women for the slide show.
- Hard to believe we have come this far this year. Let's end on a good note and keep on rolling.
- Thank you Band Parents ☺
- As always, please email Mr. Monroe with any questions or concerns.

Next meeting will be April 5, 2010 in the band room at 7:30pm.

Meeting adjourned at 8:31pm