

SMF Band Parents' Boosters Meeting

January 8, 2024 Meeting

Executive Committee Mtg

Old Business

Marching Band Uniforms - Mr. Newman meeting with Assistant Principal Mr. Yeagley Friday, 1/12.

New Business

Parent Survey Update

- Each December concert had 1 person interested.
- Mr. Newman will mention this at the Jazz concert.
- Suggested that at the 4/8 parent meeting for incoming freshman, to have info or meet & greet of current band parents.

Tipping

- Mr. Newman suggested \$20 for Bellacinos pizza delivery.

Chris Schrickel Retiring

- Suggested a plaque and/or gift card to say Thank You for 20 years of being the band announcer. Present to him at banquet.

Parent Meeting

- 1). 50/50 – Total we made for Nov/Dec - \$1,326.50 (\$351 HS, \$305 5th grade concert, \$371.50 6th grade concert).
- 2). Band Banquet – On March 1st, Tina to email Old Carolina. Mid-April, Tina will be looking for volunteers.
- 3). Videos – sold 96 total (67 dvds, \$29 downloads). Made \$2100 profit. Tom recommended we do both again next year.
- 4). Newsletter – Will be out February 1st. Please have entries to Jennie O'Connell by 1/25.
- 5). Uniforms – We are stocked-up for spats/cords. Spats will get used, but new cords will be the Vegas Gold. Mr. Newman inquiring if we can swap our current gold cords for the new gold ones.

6). Mr. Lewis

- 5th grade morning band began 1/8
- March 8-9 will be high school Gold Band competition.

7). Ms. DeWitt

- 6th grade morning band begins 1/9
- Band Aid is starting again and will be Fridays after school.

8). Mrs. Sandman

- Kimpton has new seating charts & chair placement.
- Starting new book.
- The next concert is 2/29.
- Four students performed at Youngstown Middle School Performances at Youngstown State University.
- High school Jazz concert is 1/18.

9). Mr. Newman

- 1/18 is the Jazz Concert with (4) bands performing (high school and Kimpton).
- HS band doing challenges this month.
- Pep Band is up and running, they first play on 1/24 (girls basketball) and 1/26 (boys basketball).
- 2/2 Practice tapes due
- 2/10 Solon Ensemble Contest
- 3/5 high school concert
- 1/12 meeting with uniform rep
- Working with Director of Operations on tower and scaffolding.

New Business

Nominating Committee – Consists of the (5) Class Reps + (2) others chosen by the President and VP.

Google Drive – We have begun using it. If any committee would like their information on the Google Drive, contact Tom Bordonaro. Per this meeting, Tom will create them for the following committees: 50/50, Band Banquet, Kimpton Night, Newsletter, and Uniforms.

Meeting Adjourned – 7:59pm