

IHS Music Boosters Meeting

5-2-2012

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Attendees: Marcia Abbadini, Cathy & Don Krolikowski, Jim Halamek, Terri Kula, Mary Dolansky, Matt Schatt, Meghan Campbell, Nancy Flynn, Lina Soo, Glenn Bierman, Teri Kula, Eileen MacDowell

Meeting called to order at 6:35. The agenda was distributed & is posted on website.

Meeting minutes were emailed to attendees and hard copies available.

Jim motioned to approve; Mary seconded; All approved.

Directors' Report –

BAND:

- Request made on behalf of Beth Weaver for the committee to consider making a loan to Drill Team for uniforms. Amount is \$3000 to get process started. Repayment schedule to be determined with Beth.
- Percussion Advisor/Masterclasses proposal
 - BBHHS Percussion Advisor has become available on a limited basis due to new employment at Bowling Green State University.
 - Approached us to come in on a limited basis and assist
 - Looking for \$1000 for initial trial (\$100/session proposed)
- Banquet May 7 – Bake cookies?
 - Is there a better way to run this in the future?
 - Current numbers indicate 100 attending, 29 families as of 5/2/12. Concern that perhaps this event is not desired?
 - Discussion followed that people may have not gotten papers from kids & realized they need to reply on line. Don will send email blast reminding everyone to RSVP for food planning. Committee agreed that Boosters will purchase cookies so everyone brings a side dish.
- Spring concert – May 9 – Punch & Bakery? During Jazz band = After concert.
 - 1 hr concert then ~½ hr jazz band in cafeteria
- Alumni Band – Sept 21
 - “March” Pregame
 - Time for Rehearsal?
 - Boosters run sign-up table
 - Try to schedule for Homecoming every other year
 - Dinner w/band @ 3rd quarter
 - After Party @ Local Eating Establishment
- Discuss Calendar for 2012/2013 – distributed
- Florida Trip Discussion
 - 6 days (Monday-Saturday ~7:30pm) April 1 to 6
 - Added awesome dinner on last night @ Hollywood Studios
 - Cost slated to be at \$859/person
 - Need parent chaperones (double room for same price)
 - Full details to be passed out in June
 - On-line sign-up and payment system again
 - First payment/deposit of \$100 due early August

VOCAL:

- Musical wrap up – did make small profit
- Auditions for Vocal for 2012/2013 - usually in February but now scheduling in May for new students (or those that missed 1 year).
- Question if all invoices for dresses were paid? Ledger does show payment.
- Mike Moorefield & art students did set construction and Meghan requested we consider a gift card (\$50 for gas/\$50 for grocery). Cathy made motion to purchase cards; Nancy seconded and all approved.
- Although tradition has been for a fall musical in the Disney year, this year will plan in spring. Difficult to get participation in fall.
- Vocal will be preparing audition video for Disney after spring concert is complete.

Treasurer's Report (Kathy) –

- Musical concessions profit \$58.
- Spaghetti dinner deposits & expenses complete.
- Need to review uniform fund balance.

Correspondence (Marcia) – None

Membership (Terri) –

- Volunteer form updated.
- Table tents for banquet? Don will provide.
- Umbrella for incentive item
- Magnetic "I" on hold – considerable cost
 - Will look at smaller size and perhaps different shape to see if that will bring cost in line. Problem is the number of magnets we would actually sell is small compared to the quantities we would need to buy.

Way & Means – None

Volunteers (Mary)

- Banquet – need 2 people for setting up coolers & drinks @ 5:30
- Need balloons – Marcia offered to take care of this
- Community concert in June – will need volunteers and people to bake for 6/28
 - Will send out requests after school is out

OLD BUSINESS

- Slate of candidates announced by Eileen & Lina. Everyone approved.
 - **Pres** – Marcia Abbadini; **VP** – Nancy Flynn; **Secretary** – Cathy Krolikowski; **Treasurer** – Jim Halamek; **Way & Means** – Julie Scotton; **PR** – Don Krolikowski; **Membership** – Marie Nemeth; **Volunteers** – Mary Dolansky & Kelly Fields; **Football Halftime** – Mary Dolansky, Lina Soo, Diana Manocchio
- Summer community concert 6/28 8:30pm
 - Mary offered to chair
 - City provides coffee. We probably have enough cups in storage area.
- Acme receipts – Received \$121 for cash back on receipts

- Ambassadors for Vocal & Band
 - Nancy for vocal; Cathy for band; Marcia for both
- Cultural Arts membership renewal is up. All in favor of continuing this support
- Girls dresses for concert band
 - Matt recommended same dresses as Vocal but in all black.
 - Purchase in September (measure during uniform fitting)
- Need volunteers to wash marching band raincoats by August
 - Need ~60 coats washed & drip dry. Any help is appreciated – contact Matt

NEW BUSINESS

- Marcia will organize banquet set up & purchase balloons
- Drill team uniforms – Matt did find a place that can match the new band uniform. Propose \$3000 loan to be repaid in 3 years
 - No funds can be used for drill team for Disney until uniforms are paid for.
 - By pre-paying they save 4-6% of cost (~\$200/uniform)
 - Motion by Cathy to provide the loan; seconded by Nancy – all approved.
- Photo buttons for marching band – Don volunteered to take pictures; need to ask Maureen if she can do the buttons again. Photos will be Monday after Homedays (same day as Woodard marching band pictures).
- Kiwanis Chicken BBQ on 5/20 – encourage kids & parents to help. Kiwanis are great supporters of our programs.
 - Volunteers needed Sat 8am-noon; Sunday 8-noon; Sunday noon-4pm. Contact Mr. Kapusta by 5/16.
- Informational letter for new band members' parents will be updated with current calendar and included in packet at music distribution night.
- True Blue night – Marcia has been discussing with Lisa Joy Kemenyes (athletic booster president). Pizza is a waste – no one hangs around and eats. Thinking about root beer floats? Another idea – “bomb” pops (red/white/blue Popsicles)
- Percussion advisor – Master class proposal (BBHHS/BGSU)
 - Glenn motioned to support a trial up to \$1000; Seconded by Terri. Approved by all.
- Marcia thanked all senior parents on behalf of the Boosters. We also wish success to all graduating students.

Motion to adjourn – Glenn, Nancy seconded everyone approved

Dates:

- 5/7 6pm – Banquet & Awards
- 5/9 7pm – Spring concert
- 5/28 9am – Memorial Day parade
- 6/3 1pm – Commencement
- 6/7 7pm – Music distribution for Marching Band
- 6/28 7pm – Summer Community Concert (Bakery needed)
- 7/1 – Deadline for July/August Spotlight
- 7/23 8:30 am – Home band camp
- Summer meeting in July TBD