



CENTRAL DAUPHIN

BAND BOOSTERS ASSOCIATION

Tuesday, April 5, 2016 @ 7:30 pm

MEETING MINUTES

Tom Castanzo called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Treasurer's Report: Ron Linville: Expenses this month were for the bus for the Indoor groups to travel to Dayton and PMEA State Jazz. We did receive reimbursements from the two checks that had been returned. Checkbook balance (general & student) is \$44,739.39.

Financial Secretary Report: Holly Zieber: Deposits were from GoFundMe, 76'ers tickets and Indoor drumline. Indoor Rama money has not yet been deposited, it will show on the April report.

Recording Secretary's Report: Janice Mountain: The minutes were posted on the website. Scott Zieber made a motion to accept the minutes and Michelle Chambers seconded.

Vice President's Report:

Michelle Chambers: She goes to court next week regarding the stolen craft show signs. She received a subpoena to appear next Monday at 2:15 p.m. She was encouraged by the police to press charges this year.

Scott Zieber: No report.

Kristi Castanzo: No report.

Lori Goldmann: No report.

Student Officers Report: Not present.

Band Director's Report: Mr. Carraher: This Sunday is the 76'ers trip. We will be playing on the concourse between 4:00 and 4:50 p.m. The game starts at 5:00 p.m. There are still 10 tickets available, he will hold them until this Thursday.

There are no April band concerts. Wind Ensemble played at the capitol on March 30th on PMEA Advocacy Day. NAFME posted an article with a picture of our band.

The Indoor trip to Dayton is next Wednesday, we will be leaving after school and return Sunday late morning. There is a parent meeting tomorrow at 6:00 p.m. in the band room. There is a send-off show this Saturday at 5:00 p.m. We are currently ranked #4 out of 65 groups, that is considered to be world class. If we are successful in prelims, and make it to finals - sometimes manufacturers will approach groups about wearing their apparel, using their gear, etc.

We are gathering details for a marching band trip to Monticello, NY. Their town does not have a high school band and they are willing to pay our transportation, lodging and food expenses if we will

march in their parade Saturday morning. We would travel there on Friday and return Saturday afternoon after the parade.

OLD BUSINESS

Scrip: Missy Miller: There is an order going in tonight. A few of the companies increased their rebate amounts. She is looking at doing one order per month over the summer.

Membership: Chris Mayer/Ron Linville: No new members.

Candy Sale: Lisa Fox: We sold \$1,252.55 with profit of \$310.65 to the Boosters and \$186.39 to Student accounts.

Craft Show: Michelle Chambers: We will clear close to \$11,000 for the day. Thank you to everyone that helped! We got lots of positive comments on the students that helped with the crafters moving their stuff into the school in the morning. Hopefully we will get the lighting issues worked out for next year, a few crafters had very poor lighting in the area near the auditorium entrance.

Indoor Rama: Kristi Castanzo: Thank you to everyone that helped. Everything went very smoothly. We don't have a figure yet of what we made, expenses weren't taken out yet. She would really like to have someone shadow her next year since her son will be a senior.

Business Sponsorships - Tom Castanzo: We are considering lowering the cost of trailer sponsorship to appeal to more prospects. Pinnacle Health is renewing for another two years for a side panel. We are working on Hoffman Ford to sponsor the back of the trailer, waiting to hear from them.

Go Fund Me Page & New Drums: Mr. Carraher: We are a little past the half way point with the Go Fund Me page. We are on track to meet our goal. Please share the information through social media and have your students do the same. Also, Packers Pizza in Linglestown has a donation jar on their counter for money donations toward new drums for us.

NEW BUSINESS

Mattress Fundraiser: Mr. Carraher: He receives lots of random fundraiser pitches through e-mail and deletes almost all of them. However, he heard from a band director in NJ that they did this particular one day fundraiser and it was extremely successful for them. Basically, they will come in and set up our cafeteria like a mattress showroom and provide their own salespeople. It is all name brand mattresses at greatly reduced prices. There is an extra discount for CD parents, faculty, etc. They will provide us with yard signs to advertise and they will handle other advertising in the area. The Boosters will make \$100 for every mattress sold. There is a delivery fee of \$40 if you can't take it with you. Students can receive money for their student account but the customer must give the

student's name at the time of purchase. There will be a meeting to explain the program to parents in the band room on April 11th at 6:30 p.m.

Golf-a-Rama: Tom Castanzo: It will be held June 17th at Sportsman's Golf Course. Cost is \$75 per player or \$25 if you just want to come for the dinner. Letters will be on the website soon. David Rhine will be co-chairing the event with Tom. We will offer a reduced rate for any student that would like to golf.

Bug Guard Fundraiser: Deb Rose: She will be running an Avon Bug Guard fundraiser for two weeks this spring. She will have a table at the May 4th concert. She will have flyers available for students to sell them also. We will make 40% profit with 70% going to the student account and 30% going to Boosters. Please pay with one check payable to CD Band Boosters.

District Clearances: Mr. Carraher: He has been asked by district security to provide a list of all of our volunteers that have clearances on file with the district. If you have your clearances and a volunteer badge with the school district, please e-mail Mr. Carraher and let him know.

June Meeting Conflict: Tom Castanzo: Since our June Booster meeting is the same night as graduation we will move the meeting up one night to Monday, June 6th. Missy will make the Scrip order due that night also.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:16 p.m.

Next Meeting: June 6th at 7:30 p.m.

Submitted by: Janice Mountain, Recording Secretary