



Meeting Minutes  
July 3, 2012

Mr. Ceresini called the meeting to order at 7:01pm.

**Treasurer's Report: Cindy Case:** The big expense last month was for the banquet. We also moved the money (approx. 12,000) back into the general account that had been temporarily moved into the Florida Trip account. There was also a check this month for 2,600 for DCI tickets that will be repaid by students purchasing these tickets.

**Financial Secretary's Report: Maki Traynor:** Maki was not present.

**Vice President's Report: Michelle Chambers, Dena Jefferson, Kelly Houtz:** No report.

**Recording Secretary's Report: Laurie Kissinger:** The minutes are posted online in the week following the meeting. Last month's minutes were approved by Michelle Chambers and seconded by Cathy Sangillo. They were approved by a unanimous vote.

**Student Officer's Report: Janelle Koontz:** The summer rehearsals are going well and she is amazed at how much they have been improving. Everyone is getting better with marching skills. This year we will be having flutes as well as piccolos and therefore the section has decided on the name "Plutes". Janelle finished by thanking the Boosters for everything that they do for the band.

**Band Directors Report: Mr. Ceresini:** Mr. C. introduced Mr. Brandon Bitner, a new member of the Music Department Staff. He previously taught at EH Phillips and Rutherford and was furloughed, moving to CDHS. He will be "the new Mrs. Thompson" and will be assisting with Marching Band. He is from the Hershey area, and did student teaching at CD with Mr. Masters.

*Graduation:* The performance was awesome, and the audience really seemed to enjoy it.

*Jazz 1:* Will possibly be playing for the teachers first day of school.

*Marching Band:* Summer Rehearsals have started, and there was good attendance for mini camp. He is expecting 110-120 members this year.

*Calendar:* The calendar for the entire school year has been posted on the Boosters website.

*DCI Show:* This will be Saturday, August 4<sup>th</sup>. The students will all be attending, and will purchase their tickets when they buy their Marching Band supplies. The show is in Allentown at J. Birney Crum Stadium, and they will be traveling on school busses. The plan is to leave around 3:30 and return around 11:30pm.

*Band Camp:* The first week is most likely being held at CD Middle School, although this still has not been confirmed by the district. August 10 will be service day, where the students put in a combined total of approximately 900 service hours! The family preview night will be August 16 at 7:30. Family and friends are invited to watch rehearsal and show, and have family participation time.

Mr. Ceresini concluded his report by thanking the Boosters for the new Tuba that was purchased, and just arrived this week.

## Old Business

**Memberships:** We have received 10 memberships so far. Please remember that you do need to renew your membership each year! There are a lot of perks for different levels of memberships such as free tickets, please consider this when choosing your membership level.

**Perkins:** We will host a dine in event again on August 1 and 2. This will be a good social kickoff event just before band camp! If we have 50 diners each night, we receive 15% of the entire restaurants' take for the evening. We have made over \$1,000 the last two times we have hosted this event! The coupons will be available on the website to print out, please remember not to hand them out to people at the event.

**Sheetz Coupon Books:** We will be selling these books, which feature a lot of free stuff! There is a \$4 profit per book which will be a 70/30 split to student account/boosters.

**Business Sponsorships:** The letters just went out to major business. Starting in August you will be able to solicit business yourself, and 30% of these sponsorships go to your student accounts.

**Band Fair:** This will be held August 29<sup>th</sup> at 5:30. It will likely be a kickoff for all fall sports, not just football. If this is the case, we expect a lot more people in attendance. Diane again made a plea for someone to coordinate the games portion of this event (Thanks to Kelly Houtz and Deb Hauf for volunteering!)

**Scrip:** This is an easy fundraiser and a good way to add money to your student account. We are having a contest for people enrolling in Presto Pay. Everyone that completes this enrollment will be entered into a drawing for a \$25 gift card. The drawing will be held at the August meeting, so let's get started! This weeks order will be delayed due to the July fourth holiday, and will be available for pickup on Tuesday.

**Uniform Campaign:** We have received \$25,120 in donations! We are still expecting \$1,350 from the TE Connectivity matching program. We are still looking to raise \$6,000. We did add a banner to the order as the old one is a different green than the new uniforms.

**BandaRama:** Date is confirmed for September 22, 2012. We have commitments from four bands so far, we should be getting more responses as programs begin band camps. We are still working on recruiting a college band.

**GolfaRama:** It was a very hot day, but a fun event! We made a profit of \$1666. We need an event head for next year. (Thanks to Bryon Houtz and Greg Milbrand for taking over!)

**Baskets:** We still have baskets available. We will raffle one each night at the Perkins Dine in. We will also drop the price to \$35, which is our cost, but at this price there will not be a credit to your student account. An email blast will be sent out.

**GTP/HERCO:** There are shifts available, contact Cheryl Martin, [dcmartin2004@aol.com](mailto:dcmartin2004@aol.com) if you are interested in signing up.

**SKH:** Thanks to Sugi Judd for coordinating this event, we made a profit of \$317.11.

## New Business

**Wearables:** The catalog is now available online.

**Landis Concessions:** We still need a bake sale coordinator! You do not need to sit there every week, just coordinate the volunteers and donations. It would be a great job for someone who does tend to go to the games each week.

**Buddy Night:** This will be October 19<sup>th</sup>, and the event heads are Greg and Beth Milbrand. There will be a t-shirt design contest; the forms should be coming home with the students soon.

**Mentoring Program:** The program is changing a bit this year, we are looking for 8-10 families willing to be mentors and new families can contact you with questions. Contact Kathy Herring if interested.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:42pm.

The next meeting will be held on August 7, 2012 at 7:00pm

Submitted by  
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Recording Secretary