



Smyrna High School Band Boosters

Investing in the future of students....

Amy Diller, President

Rachel Cox, Vice President

Charyl Bersuder, Secretary

Kristy Hillesheim, Treasurer

Richard Lutz, SHS Band Director

**General Membership Meeting Minutes
Smyrna High School Band Boosters
May 9th, 2023**

Attendees: Cindy Akers, Charyl Bersuder, Tammy Clan, Dawn Cooper, Rachel Cox, Amy Diller, Kristy Hillesheim, Dawn Peyregne, Douglas Wright, Richard Lutz and Ben Reagh.

The minutes for the May 2023 agenda were distributed and the meeting was called to order at 6:39 PM by Amy Diller.

Minutes: Read by the general membership members. Motion to approve by Tammy Clan and seconded by Dawn Peyregne. All in favor voted. Minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Read by the general membership members. Motion to approve by Dawn Peyregne and seconded by Dawn Cooper. All in favor voted. Financial report was approved.

Old Business:

- **Belk Spring Charity Sale**-500 tickets to sell at the band concerts and table set up at Belk's. Amy was going to find out dates to set up table. Email to send out to parents to sign-up for selling tickets at Belk. Need W9 signed by officer. Motion to have a committee for Belk tickets. Motion: Dawn Peyregne. Second: Cindy Akers. Volunteers: Dawn Peyregne, Rachel Cox and Amy Diller.
- **Band Awards Night:** Food (cake, punch, plates, forks and cups) Committee: Dawn Peyregne, Rachel Cox, Linda Olivier and Amy Diller
- **New officer training:** VP & Secretary, transferring keys, online account access/passwords, etc.
- **Unpaid band commitments:** Seniors have to be paid in full before graduation.
- Ms. Penny award nominations (officers only) Officers voted.

New Business:

- **Update on unpaid band commitments:** Kristy Hillesheim brought report to meeting. Green is paid in full. There is a lot still not paid. Most seniors have paid. Mr. Lutz and Mr. Reagh are contacting Seniors this week. Underclassmen-will reach out to them. Looking into a payment plan with those that still owe money.
- **Band camp & pre-camp:** new marchers camp-see forms that were sent out this week. Charyl Bersuder will do a sign-up genius for band camp and pre-camp to get parent volunteers to help. Dawn Peyregne volunteered to do measurements for uniforms on May 12th all day for current students. Uniform fittings will be done during lunch at band camp-11:30-12:30. Dawn will come up with list of students each day starting with Seniors. Discussing was had on getting students

to return their of uniforms that still had them. Travel uniforms need to be ordered before band camp-caps will need to be ordered. Shorts w/pocket, purple t-shirt with hat. Mr. Reagh is working on a new design for the caps this year.

- **Belk fundraiser report:** Made \$464 in sales and \$256 in donations. Selling the weekend of the sale seemed to work better. Will look into that for future sales.

New business added to meeting:

- With the new BJ's wholesaler coming to town thoughts on considering BJ's vs Sam's?
- Will review at June meeting any uniforms still missing.
- Fundraisers: Online form needs to be completed for the smart cards fundraiser
- Calendar is different this year-extended band camp on a Monday 31st for everybody. 5pm public first run of show at stadium . Everyone is invited.
- Booster meeting august 8th-Band Bash-no performance-just cookout with fun activity for kids and booster meeting for parents
- Stadium stand-measurements are needed. Lutz to-do list. Will call Joel.
- Band Contests:
 - 16th of Sept. Rockvale competition
 - 23rd of Sept. Station Camp competition
 - 14th of Oct. Pulaski competition
 - 21st of Oct. Forrest competition
 - 28th of Oct. TBD
- Sept 21st Rutherford County marching expo-at Seigel High after school. All Rutherford county bands playing performance. Not a competition. We will have to pay for transportation.
- Rocky Fork Sept 26th. Normal rehearsal will do expo for Smyrna middle/Rocky Fork at our stadium.

Motion to adjourn meeting: Tammy Clan Motion 2nd Dawn Peyregne

Next Booster Meeting: June 13th, 2023 in the band room from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM. If being used for practice, the meeting will be relocated to the choir room.

Ascend Federal Credit Union Checking & Savings: SHS Band Boosters checking and savings. (Statements available upon request). See Booster Officers for information.

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