



J R Tucker H.S. Band Boosters May 10, 2022 Meeting Minutes

Call to Order: 7:32 PM

In Attendance: Heather Mahmoud, Leslie VanHimbergen, Suzanne Jenkins, Susan Murphy, Melanie Stoudt, Jen DuBois, Mendy Meeks, Meg Foster, Jillian Sherman, Christy Allen, Austin Frank

Approval of Meeting Minutes from April 12, 2022

- Motion for Approval: Jen DuBois
- Second: Melanie Stoudt

Board / Committee Reports

PRESIDENT'S REPORT, LESLIE VANHIMBERGEN:

Thanks to Suzanne Jenkins for doing a great job with the Showcase. Thanks to Jen, Heather, and Marlene for volunteering. Thanks to Melanie and Jen for selling shirts and Marlene for helping with the band closet.

We need a person to lead the Showcase for next fall. Would be great for a sophomore parent. If you have questions about the position, reach out to Suzanne.

We really need someone to lead Ways and Means. It could be divided into 3 positions:

- Corporate: Melanie has been working on this
- Spirit Nights
- Plant Sales/Other Fundraisers

We need to vote on the updated budget. We have worked hard on it. We noticed that things could be different, for example food. Worked with Mr. Frank multiple times to discuss where changes could be made

TREASURER'S REPORT, CHRISTY ALLEN:

Review of the Treasurer's report

Balance as of 4/1/22: 7036.11

Income: 255.66

Expenses: 127.03

Balance as of 4/30/22: 7164.74



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Spirit Nights:

Blaze Pizza -- \$150.00 (Southside location)

Gelati Celesti -- \$100.54

Panera -- \$106.40

Goal is to have 1 Spirit Night per month and to increase participation. Only 15 people participated in the Panera spirit night. Have a dedicated person for this position would help.

Upcoming costs:

- End of year Banquet
- Liability Insurance
- Uniform cleaning

Review of Proposed Budget

There are 2 accounts:

- Mr. Frank's school account which is funded through rental fees/ uniform charges, etc.
- Booster account funded by sponsors/fundraisers

Note: Budgets are meant to change and be adjusted over the course of the year. Jen, Christy, and Leslie did a lot of research on what other parents pay in other band programs.

Blue is a "nice to have" if we have surplus.

Red denotes it was removed from the booster budget.

If you would like a copy of this, text or email Leslie and she will send it to you.

The budget amount for 2021-2022 was \$16154. Budgeted amount for 2022-2023 is \$10901.

Jen Dubois moved to approve the new budget. Suzanne Jenkins seconded it. It was a unanimous vote.

SECRETARY'S REPORT, HEATHER MAHMOUD:

No report.

HOSPITALITY REPORT, SUSAN MURPHY:

End of year banquet

It will be a pot luck. There will be SignUp Genius for this for sides, drinks, desserts. Backwoodz BBQ



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is providing the entrée. We have 143 people attending.

Please put an index card with your name, dish name, allergens on your dish to assist those with food allergies.

Doors will open at 6:00 pm. Food should be delivered by 6:30 pm.

Question about bringing family: Family members are permitted to attend.

Jen DuBois is working with Mr. Frank on the senior gifts. We still need pictures for the slide show.

New Business

Graduation

The U-Haul has been reserved. We still need a driver. June 14th. We will load up at 11:30 am and leave by 12:30 pm. Graduation is 3 to about 4:30 pm.

Preston and Leslie are helping.

Scholarships

Meg Foster gave an update. So far, there have been 4 band applicants and 1 color guard applicant. Met with Ms. Smith. Will meet tomorrow with Mr. Frank. It will be announced at the end of year banquet and the June 2 Senior Award night.

Band Uniforms

Thanks to Marlene for helping inventory the band uniform pants
We do have enough blue uniform pants for next year, so we will switch to those. We will also order new dresses for concert band.

Band Camp

Susan and Marlene will coordinate the donations for snacks/water for band camp. Also the pool party has been scheduled.

Marching Band

There is a mandatory marching band meeting on May 19th at 6:00 pm. At least one parent must attend.

Spirit Nights

Upcoming Spirit Nights:

- Thursday, May 12: Mod Pizza (Regency)



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- June 7th: Chipotle (Regency)

Corporate Sponsors

Melanie and Jen gave an update on their progress. Have established levels for sponsorship:

- Friends: Any amount. Name in Winter & Spring program
- Silver: \$100. Logo on website
- Gold: \$200. Logo on website and in concert programs.
- Platinum: \$400. Logo on banner, website and in concert programs.

Movie theme bucket prize for the student who gets the most corporate sponsors. T-shirt a for student who brings in at least one. Maybe ChickFilA treat cards as well.

Sponsor form is available in paper form or a QR code. Available on the website.

T-shirts will be available at banquet and Marching Band meeting.

Band Display Case

Wende will be working on the band display case. She will style it with uniforms and trophies. The old banner will be hung up on the wall.

Next meeting: June 7th at 7:00 pm

End: 8:25 pm