

SHS Band - Booster Board Meeting September 5, 2023

Called to Order: 6:04pm

In attendance: Roger Guzman, John Cundiff, Nicole McBee, Paula Clark, Teresa Cundiff, Sara Bridgeman, Jana Harrison, Kevin Harrison, Kristina Scoggins, Carmen Ramirez, Rhonda Martin, Rodney Rapp & Carianne Rapp

Minutes from the May meeting have not been received, approved, or posted in Charms. August minutes have been received, approved, and posted in Charms.

I. Treasurer Report: presented by Treasurer, Jana Harrison

August 2023

Beginning	53,756.19
26 Deposits	12,416.82
11 Checks	12,678.48
Ending	53,494.53

The treasury report has been filed.

II. Officer Reports:

President - Roger Guzman:

- Announcing at the Booster meeting that the Parent page is where you take all your comments, concerns, or questions to. Looking to turn off comments on the main band page.
- Donna Stephenson will no longer be able to be the hospitality coordinator.

Volunteers – John Cundiff:

- A lot of interest for the Midland trip. John posted an information coming soon post on the Band app. If any board members are planning on volunteering, let him know.
- Roger Guzman added that he has looked into what we are allowed. 25 field passess/ spectator passess. We asked for an additional 10. We also will receive 2 nurse passes. Truck drivers will also need a driver pass in addition to field passes.
- Bus chaperones - Will they get a field pass? Once we get information, we will address it.

- Mr. Guzman will get clarification on our volunteer numbers from Mr. Tucker.
- Volunteer Needs- 2 trailer pullers, box truck drivers, nurses, bus/ room chaperones, and prop pushers.
- So far have 5 people that have reached out about volunteering for Midland.

Fundraising – Paula Clark:

- Upcoming Fundraiser Events:
 - Spirit Nights have started.
 - August 30th- Texas Roadhouse: Made \$275.99
 - September 13th- Chipotle in Firewheel- 33%
 - October 25th- Raising Canes on North Garland-15%
- Schoolfundr: Online email fundraiser; Launching this upcoming Friday. Representatives and Paula helped students set up their accounts. Need parents to help upload 20 quality emails. Already have \$820 and we haven't even launched yet!
- We have sponsor letters ready. Will be sending out information for community sponsors.
- Other ideas for fundraising: candy/ snack sales, waiting on dates and confirmation.
- Earring sales? Would that fall under merchandise?

Hospitality – Nicole McBee:

- Midland: Girls are staying at Comfort Suites and boys at Sleep Inn. We are going to start collecting snacks and bottled waters. Kids will be fed, but not sure what yet.

Communications - (Roger speaking for Jeff Bickerstaff):

- Has communicated to parents about only posting to the parent page on the Band App.
- Trying to figure out how to post Rhonda's pictures on the website.
- Looking to update password so parents can see meeting notes. Maybe add it to the SMORE.
 - Color2023?

Merchandise – Teresa Cundiff:

- Volunteer shirt has sold 58 items as of today. 2 more days to order. Shirts should be here September 22nd.
- Show shirt- still waiting on a quote or script.

Uniforms - Kristina Scoggins:

- We get new uniforms in 2024, working with Mrs. Taylor.
- Cleaning instructions for uniforms will be printed for students and posted in the Band app.

- Students will be wearing football jackets/ uniforms at Friday, Sept. 15th game and the following week. Band will wear contest uniforms at the game before Midland BOA.

Update - Mrs. Taylor:

- We have 5 charter buses for Midland. Looking to cut one charter bus to save about \$5,000. We can reserve the district suburbans. Looking to finalize all the Midland BOA things/ itinerary. Waiting to hear back from ACU about rehearsal time. Waiting on fabric to be approved through GISD purchasing.
- Question for Mr. Baker about the flag holder on the back of the 10 x 10s. And we need something to hold the yoga balls so they aren't rolling around on the sidelines or behind the 10 x 10s.

Adjourned Meeting: 7:07 pm

Next meeting: October 3, 2023