

WBBA Booster Meeting Minutes

April 20, 2023

Call to Order by Cindy Gravely and seconded by Doug Gravely.

Treasurer's Report: Beginning of March balance was \$18,000 and ended the month at \$10,000. Motion to accept as read by Kristy Underwood and seconded by Cindy Gravely.

New Business:

-Mr. Kobito leaving this year. The search for a new director is already down to the final 6 candidate interviews that started today. Once down to the final 2 or 3, the candidates will each teach in front of the students the first week of May before the final decision is made.

-Spring Concert on May 2 but the silent auction has been cancelled due to lack of donations.

-CJ Martin will be taking over the COO duties from Michael Fleetwood since Jackson Fleetwood will no longer be doing band next year.

-Band banquet on May 5th. \$35 per ticket apart from Seniors who get in free. Jot form will be sent out this week for tickets to be purchased online. Doors will open at 6:30 pm.

-Full Band Meeting on May 9th from 6-8pm mandatory for parents and students. Will be a cookout and meet and greet for board members and new director should be present as well.

-Board Nominations were announced today and are as follows.

President-

Jeremy Matthews

Heather Perkins

1st VP of Finance

Doug Gravely

2nd VP of Admin.

Nate Underwood

Angie McCollum

Treasurer

Michele Gilbert

Chief Operating Officer

CJ Martin

Secretary

Lyda Barrett

Communications

Angie McCollum

Heather Perkins

Next Booster Meeting- May 4th and board voting will take place on that day. Must be present to vote and no absentee votes allowed. Only one vote per student family.

Band Camp dates- July 10th-14 and July 17th-21st.

Band Parent meeting- Mandatory meeting for current members and parents on July 7th or July 9th. Times TBA.

Band Pictures- July 15th from 9:00am – 10:30 am.

By-law committee to be appointed this year.

Old Business:

5K- Will revisit at a later date.

Fundraisers- Currently in our band calendar fundraiser. Top seller will get \$50 off band fees and \$40 of band swag. A committee for fundraisers will be appointed this year.

LGPE- We are hosting again next year from March 11-14 2024.

Jeremy Matthews took a moment to thank Ms. Maldonado for taking over director duties this year and handling it all so well. We all appreciate everything she does for our students every day!

Ms. Maldonado

Made mention of the new director interviews and how involved Mr. Stephenson has been through the whole process while making sure whomever is chosen will be the best fit for the students and Woodland High School. All of the applicants have good experience in both marching and concert band and will teach the kids before the final decision is made.

She is working on finishing up the auditions and placements for next year. Next year's show reveal is coming soon. We also welcome a new guard teacher who comes from Mission Road Elementary and also won their Teacher of the Year this year.

Our pit orchestra for Willy Wonka is going very well and their performances are coming up in the next couple weeks.

Leadership clinics are happening now and interviews will happen on May 1st.

We have a new person doing shoe fittings this year.

Motion to end meeting by Michele Gilbert and seconded by Cindy Gravely.