# **WBBA Booster Meeting Minutes**

December 7, 2021

Meeting moved to open by Micki Carlson and seconded by Heather Perkins.

- 1) Treasury report read by Jarrod Roberts
  - a) Total account balance is \$81, 659
  - b) CashApp total will add \$10,000

Treasury report moved as read by Heather Perkins and seconded by Bobby Bergman.

2) Minutes from last meeting posted online and moved as read by Heather Perkins and seconded by Bobby Bergman.

### **New Business**

- 1) **JanFest**: January 21<sup>st</sup> for Wind Symphony. Day trip on Leisure Time buses with 4 chaperones accompanying.
- 2) **GMEA**: January 27-29 for Wind Symphony. Overnight trip with 4 chaperones accompanying.
- 3) **Senior Trip**: Over 35 Seniors going in April. There will be 7 or 8 chaperones accompanying as well. We will be using Leisure Time buses to travel there and back (Mrs. Mathis is taking care of the details).
- 4) Fundraising for London Trip-
- a) Tellus gave us \$5,000 for the recent drumline performance.
- b) Mr. Kobito helping by doing speaking engagements and talking about the band and their accomplishments and goals.
- c) Fundraising goal is \$100,000.

Bonnie Dunn mentioned a possible motorcycle ride as a fundraiser and can help with waivers and details. She will contact friend about it. It may be hard to get approved by school board, but willing to try.

Jeremy Matthews is working on a possible donation from Home Depot.

Other ideas include:

Quilt and/or a 50/50 raffle during the Spring performances.

Delta plane ticket raffle mentioned by Mr. Kobito.

Mr. Bergman mentioned contacting UPS for possible cargo flight help for instruments.

- d) We need to also fundraise for a new band trailer. Jeremy Matthews mentioned he will help pay for half of the cost.
- e) Possibly sell the old trailer to the football team to help pay for the new one.

## 5) Sponsor Banners and Shoutouts

a) Parents mentioned concern over social media announcements and banners not being done in a timely fashion. They were concerned about trying to resell to those sponsors again next year if the criteria hadn't been met yet. Ms. Perkins assured everyone that as soon as she received or recreated the business artwork so it would look proper on a large banner and on social media, that everyone's sponsors would be properly advertised and thanked. Jeremy also stated that he would call each sponsor and reassure them that they would still receive the full year of ad space they paid for and make up for the delay. Michele Gilbert also volunteered for call businesses as the face of the booster association if it would help relieve some of the stress.

## 6) LGPE-

- a) Woodland High School is hosting both the middle and high school evaluations this year. Middle school will be March 14-15 and high school will be March 16-17.
- b) We will need parent volunteers for check-in, hospitality and working the canteen.

#### **Old Business**

Cass High School voted us out of the co-hosting competition for next year without notice and while fabricating facts and not providing a closing meeting after this year's competition. We will need to make up \$10,000 next year since we will no longer have that income.

Jeremy Matthews spoke and shared how happy he is with how this marching season went and thanked everyone for their help and flexibility. Mr. Kobito seconded that feeling, thanked all the volunteers and expressed that he is excited about the rest of this year and next season.

Meeting moved to close by Michele Gilbert and seconded by Bobby Bergman.