

**Brecksville-Broadview Heights High School
Band Booster Meeting Minutes**

The meeting was called to order in the Band room at 7:00 PM Tuesday, 11/05/19 by President, Kathy Drinko.

Secretary's Report: (Laura Kovach)

The Minutes from the 10/01/19 meeting were read and approved by a committee and are posted on the band website.

Volunteers to proof this meeting's minutes are Amy O'Brien and Stephanie Sak.

Treasurer's Report: (Jennifer Stephan and Katie Churchin)

Checking Account:

Balance as of 08/31/19 \$63,694.99

Deposits:\$6,254.00

Disbursements:(\$9,167.85)

Uniform Replacement Savings:

Balance as of: 09/30/19 \$68,889.51

Balance as of: 09/30/19 \$60,781.14

Adjusted Balance:\$57,541.32

Paypal Balance as of 09/30/19 \$21,124.92

Program Committee Reports: (Pam Knerem)

-Trunk or Treat was great!

-Pam is looking for someone to take over organizing this event next year. Basically it's just sending out a flyer with the date and time.

Bee Bucks: (Eva Sumarli)

- Bee Buck balances will be updated after the citrus sale.

Band Alumni: (Pam Root)

-No Report

Box Office: (Stephanie Sak)

-No Report

Chaperones: (Annette Zywiec and Pam Johnson)

-Pam needs 4 or 5 more chaperones for the Friday, November 8th playoff game.

-Another cooler is leaking. Lisa Weber and Laura Kovach will get the extra coolers that are stored in the loft and see if any of them are usable. The leakers will be disposed of. The large red and black coolers that were recently donated to the band are too large to take away

games. A possible solution to being able to use the large coolers is to purchase luggage caddies so the coolers can be on wheels.

-Pam asked Mr. Rex if he could let her know ahead of time if the drum stands will be needed for the game so that chaperones won't have to haul them if they are not needed. Mr Rex said that once he figures out which schools have drum stands that we can use he will let her know.

-Plumes will not be used for Friday night's game on November 8th.

-Two chaperones are needed for the Holiday Parade.

Drumline: (Pam Knerem)

-No Report

-It doesn't look like there will be an Indoor Drumline this school year.

Hospitality/Game Snacks: (Lisa Weber)

-Lisa has a lot of leftover game snacks.

-The leftover snacks will be used for Conservatory day, fruit delivery day and can also be put on the Disney busses for students and chaperones.

Flagline: (Kim Traum and Michelle Goldthorpe)

-No Report

PSO: (Michelle Banks)

-A reminder that any checks collected on behalf of the school must be made out to the school and not to an individual.

-Superintendent Joelle Magyar will be hosting coffee talks to discuss the district's grades received this year. If requested, she will have a coffee talk in your home as well.

-Principal Ast is organizing a cultural playbook.

Upcoming Events

November...

11/02 - HS: SAT Testing

11/04 - HS: Bee Athletic Booster Meeting

11/05 - HS: Band Booster Meeting

11/06 - HS: Colony Period

HS: American Legion Americanism & Government Test

HS: Quill & Scroll Honor Society Induction

11/07 - HS: Parent-Teacher Conferences

PSO/Council Mtg

11/08 & 11/09 - HS: Brecksville Robotics Tournament

11/09 - HS: Orchestra & CYO

11/13 - **Take Back Togetherness**

11/20 - Board Meeting

11/27 - 11/29 Thanksgiving Break

Publicity: (Melissa Burdick)

-Everything is on track and looking good.

Senior Night: (Amy O'Brien)

-Amy and her crew did an awesome job organizing Senior Night this year.

-Amy said there was a great selection of food and she had great volunteer support.

-She came in under budget as well.

-Amy will chair Senior Night again next year!

Swarm Board and Decorations: (Lisa Trout)

-Lisa did an amazing job decorating seniors' lockers for Senior Night.

Uniforms: (Lori Reagan, Rima Julien, Sheyenne Uhlir and Linda Gauntner)

-The cost of the eighth grade band shirts was \$481.00 this year.

-The planning for drycleaning marching band uniforms for Disney is underway.

-We must emphasize to parents this year that the drycleaning cost is part of their band fees and not an additional expense for them.

-Each student is responsible for bringing their uniform home once marching season and the Holiday Parade is over and taking it to On The Spot Dry cleaning in the shopping center at route 82 and Broadview Road. This is THE ONLY drycleaner to take the uniforms to.

Once cleaned, the uniforms must be brought back to school and placed in a designated spot.

Summer Uniforms: (Lisa Karakostas, Laura Mroczka and Melinda Torres)

-No Report

Yard Signs: (Alicia Ravagnani)

-There are 6 yard signs (no names on them) still available.

Ways and Means Committee Reports: (Michelle McGrath)

Athletic Programs: (Melissa Burdick)

-The Winter program is under a super tight schedule and will be out 2 days before the first basketball game of the season.

-To date, no Shout-Out ads have been purchased. Anyone interested in purchasing a Shout-Out ad can find the form on the band website.

-Kathy Drinko asked if anyone who has connections with any Winter sport to ask if we can sell programs there.

Athletic Program Sales: (Michelle McGrath)

-239 programs have been sold so far this season with 8 remaining. Three of the programs were given to the Athletic Department and the band announcer.

Athletic Program Layout: (Kim Traum)

-Boosters are looking for someone with a graphic design background to take over for Kim Traum

in designing the Athletic program.

-So far three people have offered to help, unfortunately one was a High School student and the time frame wouldn't work out. A sister of a student who lives at and attends Loyola College also offered her services but our deadline may get in the way of her college work. A printer was interested in taking on the job but after seeing the amount of work to be done, backed out.

-Michelle McGrath will reach out to CVCC to see if anyone there might be interested in the job.

Citrus Sales: (Allison Winokur and Barb Wisniewski)

-The citrus sale deadline has been extended to November 13th.

-To date, 451 boxes have been sold which guarantees fruit will be delivered to us December 7th.

-Barb and Allison will create a Sign-Up Genius soon for volunteers.

-Only a couple people have complained about not having a paper order form for ordering fruit this year.

-Mr. Rex asked if the conveyor belt that has been stored in the band area could be used for unloading the fruit. It has never been used because it is easier and faster to have the kids unload the fruit. It can be disposed of.

Disney Raffle: (Sue Flis)

-Between \$1,000-\$1,700 was raised by selling raffle tickets at the Sounds of the Stadium concert.

-Sue needs someone to sell raffle tickets at the Holiday concert because she will be out of town.

-Concert Winds parents will be reminded to purchase Disney raffle tickets in advance since students in Concert Winds will be performing with the 7th graders at the Middle School instead of at the High School concert.

-Just before the Thanksgiving break, Sue will send Mr. Rex another flyer to include in the weekly bulletin.

Endowment/Patrons: (Michele Mihalich)

-Michelle turned in a check to Katie Churchin.

-So far this year she has only received two Endowments from Seniors.

Spirit Wear: (Alicia Ravagnani)

-A flyer was placed in the Sounds of the Stadium program for Disney Spirit Wear.

- Orders are due November 15th.
- There is a box outside the band office to place orders in.
- The pick up for Disney Spirit Wear will be on citrus pick up day.
- The Sounds of the Stadium “garage sale” was successful in selling all but 3 umbrellas, 1 “red guy”, 6 yard signs and 100 magnets. We still have 150 string backpacks left which will be given away at some band events.
- Kim Shaheen and Melinda Torres will be taking over Spirit Wear for the 2020-2021 school year.
- Mrs. Astey will send out a Remind regarding Disney Spirit Wear deadline.

Pancake Breakfast/Music in Our Schools Event: (Open)

- A volunteer is urgently needed to represent the band at the upcoming organizational meetings.

Indians Tickets: (Stephanie Sak)

- No Report

Band Director’s Report: (Mr. Rex and Mrs. Astey)

- BBHHS will be facing Benedictine in Bedford on Friday, November 8th. This is a mandatory performance for Marching Band students.
- Students will be wearing raincoats for warmth but should still wear warm clothes under their uniforms.
- Concert band begins Monday, November 4th.
- During playoffs, there will be marching band practice during 6th period on Fridays only.
- Students will be voting on songs for halftime on Wednesday, November 6th.
- Mr. Rex is encouraged by the new concert band format.
- Severance Hall performance will be Sunday, January 26th. Tickets will be \$10.00. Concert Winds and Wind Ensemble will be the last band to perform that day at 7PM. Call time will be mid-afternoon.
- Pep Band and Solo and Ensemble information will be posted soon.

President’s Report: (Kathy Drinko)

- Kathy encouraged all band parents to sign up for Amazon Smiles. The band gets a percentage of those sales.
- A councilman from North Royalton made a donation to BBHHS for winning the “Golden Shoe”.
- Kathy asked Mr. Rex if student officers have come up with a fundraiser yet. Mr. Rex has not heard a viable plan from them yet.

A Motion to Adjourn: Katie Churchin and Stephanie Sak

Adjourned: 7:55 PM