

HRHS BAND Booster Meeting Minutes

Date: January 12, 2021

Time: 7 pm

Location: Via Zoom

Attendees: Zach Barker, Amy Baum, Stephanie Corr, Trevor Corr, Natalie Guessas, Mia Haugum, Gail Howard, August Link, Christopher Rigolini, Kevin Schlatter

❖ **Topics for Discussion**

- Financial Update
- Winter Guard & Winter Percussion Updates
- Current Fundraising Information
- Spirit Wear Update
- Discussion Items - Open Floor Q & A

❖ **Summary of Current Financials**

- Mia reported that MOD Pizza sent a check for \$37.94 from our Spirit Night. Thanks to all those that participated!
- \$7,000 “write off.”
- Bank change - Mia will be transferring our HRHS Band Booster Bank Account to Chase for convenience.
- Mia is donating a laptop to the boosters (treasurer). She will include QuickBooks.
- W9s will be available for donation purposes.
- Chris and Zach ordered some of the equipment gifted from the boosters. They will submit an invoice to Mia.

❖ **Winter Guard Updates**

- A Winter Guard Packet will be sent out this week.
- Mrs. Rigolini has added a Canvas classroom for participants.
- There are currently 8 students enrolled.
- Practices will take place virtually Mondays and Wednesdays at 5 pm.
- If in-person practices begin, WG may meet on Saturdays from 8-11 am. More info to follow.
- WG cost will be \$388, and can be paid through MySchoolBucks via the “School Store.”

❖ **Winter Percussion**

- Zach and the students are pleased with the way virtual rehearsals and practices are going.
- We are hoping to register with RMPA in a couple weeks, and competitions will begin in mid-February.
- There are 15 students currently participating, and Zach hopes to have two more join this coming week.

- Fees will be available to pay on MySchoolBucks hopefully by week's end. Chris will be meeting with our bookkeeper, Derek. There will not be a separate \$100 activity fee. One fee will be available to pay in "The School Store."
- We will also touch base with Derek regarding outstanding balances for the 2020 MB season. We need to remind folks that unpaid fees will affect student participation in events such as graduation.

❖ **Fundraising Updates**

- We will have a Spirit Night at Chipotle (9579 S. University Blvd - 720/961-7866) on Wednesday, January 20th from 5-9. Thanks to Kallie Sadler (our HRHS Performing Arts Secretary) for adding this fundraiser to our HRHS Newsletter.
- Scott is looking into having a Spirit Night at Freddies in HR and at Cranelli's Italian Restaurant in Lone Tree. More info to follow.
- Our upcoming Shoe Drive and Tillamook Jerky are still on the table. TBA.
- A discussion took place about a possible car wash as a proceed to Summer Band Camp. All agreed it would be a great way to get our students involved. Scott will talk with the pastor of Saint Andrew about details, water, etc.
- When online shopping, please remember to use Amazon Smile!

❖ **Spirit Wear**

- Gail and Natalie have reached out to Kristie from the Monogram Shoppe again, regarding polos, hats and hoodies.
- All agreed that one uniform color (preferably black) hoodie would be nice, so students are unified as a group (and our polo is royal blue).
- Sample merch will be shared at the next meeting.
- We have 57 people that ordered 2021 patches, so those will be arriving to families at some point.

❖ **Open Floor Conversation**

- PE Credit - Please have your student reach out to their counselor if they wish to receive exemption from PE. If a student participates in MB all four years of their HRHS career, they *may be eligible* for a PE waiver. They need to complete a form (found in the counseling office), request that Chris or Zach sign off on the form request, and then "meet" with Dr. Page for approval. This is not a given, and students need to follow through to insure they are exempt from the PE requirement for graduation.
- Marching Band Info for 2021-2022 Season - CBA is restructuring and revamping their program. There is a tentative calendar posted on their website. Saturday events are currently scheduled, and we can participate if we choose to do so.
- Pep Band at Basketball games? We have not heard yet-if we will be asked to participate. Girls b-ball begins with a game on 1.30.2021. More info to follow.

❖ **Next Booster Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, February 9, 2021 at 7:00 pm**

Minutes Submitted on Thursday, 1.12.2021, by August Link.