

KHS Band Booster Meeting

October 11, 2017

Meeting brought to order by Mike Detweiler at 7:16pm.

Correction for September Minutes, Treasurer should be Valarie Percy and Anne Lamb. Correction made for future minutes. Motion to approve meeting minutes for September 2017 meeting made by Betty Lou, seconded by Anne. Motion Passed.

Correspondence: Thank you card from Jeff Geibelhaus.

E-Motions & Votes

- Next month we are going to add a section to the minutes for Exec decisions made over email in-between meetings.

Committee Reports

- **Alertify:** Michele Milgrim – All the Alertify forms I have are currently in the system. I am still missing 32 student's forms. If you are not getting Alertify emails or phone calls, please contact me at milgrim1@gmail.com.
- **Uniforms:** Stacie Kremper – every week we are packing and repairing uniforms. Championship week, Tuesday night we are touching up. Wednesday night is Senior parent night for shining shoes. Need help next week to pack up for Fall Fanfare.
- **Color Guard:** Michele Milgrim – Working the next two Wednesdays at Robert Graves. They are really progressing and look great!
- **Ways and Means:** Robyn Murray – 1. Hannaford Book Fair is back! Please drop off your books (no textbooks) at the Town of Ulster Store through the rest of October. 2. KHS Tiger Band Boosters made a donation to the Hannaford Hurricane Fund. Thank you to all families that contributed. 3. Hickory BBQ Smokehouse – Dining for a Cause – Raised \$450. Thank you to the Slutzky Family for this wonderful event! 4. Coffee Sale orders are due October 27. Students will earn \$5 for each coffee product sold. No late orders will be accepted. Student pick up will be November 16 (Pops Concert). 5. Cooke Tavern Soup orders are due October 27. No late orders will be accepted. Students will earn 40% of their sales. Student pick up will be November 16 (Pops Concert). 6. Holiday Marketplace Craft & Vendor Fair on November 11. There are only a handful of booth space available. Please contact Krista Ortiz if you know of a crafter who might want to rent a booth for the day. Booth contracts are available on the Booster website and by requesting one through Krista. 7. Cinnabon – New event for the Band. Students will earn between \$5 - \$6 depending on the items they sell. All orders are due November 3. No late orders will be accepted. Student pick up is November 16 (Pops Concert). 8. Fall Raffle – is well underway. 42+ businesses have donated prizes for this raffle. Ten prize drawings. Students will earn 100% of tickets they sell. All ticket stubs MUST be turned in by November 13. No late submissions will be accepted. Drawing during Pops Concert on November 16. 9. Can Shake – Student sign up Sheets will be posted in the Band Room on the Bulletin Board next week. Please encourage your student to sign up for a 2-hour shift. Students bring instruments, colorguard brings flags and fun is had by all! Proceeds from Can Shake go directly to reduce travel expenses for next season (2018). Coach buses are expensive. Parents are also asked to volunteer (sign up for a shift). Parents can sign up by contacting Jaimie Miller or Robyn Murray. 10. Citrus Sale – Details will be posted VERY soon. This will be an individual student event. Citrus delivery will be Saturday, December 2. 11. Holiday Wreath Sale - Details will follow soon – Student pick up will be Saturday, December 2. 12. Gertrude Hawk Chocolate – Contact Kathleen Detweiler if you need more chocolate. 13. Can/Bottle Returns – keep the cans coming!
- **Merchandising:** Nancy Nissen/Audrey Kenyon – Couple of new items to sell at Fall Fanfare including a Knit hat for \$10. Socks will also be available (\$15). Tour shirts are in and are in the band room. There are a few extras. Let Stacie know if you need one (first come first serve).
- **Equipment:** Matt Van Aken – We are moving it. We need people with gas powered leaf blowers for fall fanfare very early in the morning. Work party to finish props Thursday night (10/12). Loading the truck Friday at 4pm for the weekend.
- **Yearbook:** Denise Breithaupt – nothing new.
- **Chaperones:** Denise Breithaupt – still need 2 or 3 chaperones for Syracuse. Good for Vestal and good for fall fanfare.

- **Website:** Dave Sahloff – trying to keep it updated. Every week we put the itinerary and scores on it. Looking for someone to help with website.
- **Publicity:** Tara Rogerson – we are out there. Next year is Tara's last year, but needs someone to step into the role of helping.
- **Fall Fanfare:** Stacie Kremper/Mike Detwiler – we are ok. There are posters. Take a few, drop some somewhere and put them up around town (your office, school). Saturday is final run-through practice. We are on the homestretch. Presale tickets this week. Only being sold until Saturday. Positive thoughts for the weather.
- **Band Banquet:** Denise Breithaupt – no report.
- **Treasurer's Report:** Valerie Percy/Anne Lamb – It is difficult to capture all the action that is on. If you ever have a question, please come to us. We can track just about anything. Our deposits for Disney hotels and flights have been reimbursed. Garner pulled all band fees from accounts.
Motion to accept the treasurer's report made by James, seconded by Robyn. Motion passed.

Old Business

- Nonprofit status. Still waiting on IRS. We got the approval from NY State department of State, Education and Tax and Finance. Waiting for Federal Tax ID number. So the process is going. Accounting firm that is helping to set it up is charging \$500 per year to help us maintain it.

New Business

- We have had an interesting couple of weeks practicing at Deitz. We are working on the stadium scheduling. It is on the radar. Please leave social media only as a communication tool, and keep it positive. Any questions or comments please see the band directions.

G and G's Corner

Band Dates:

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| ○ 10/14 – Vestal | ○ 10/22 – Fall Fanfare | ○ 10/28-29 – Syracuse |
| ○ 10/15 – Rehearsal at Deitz | ○ 10/23-27 – Competition week | ○ 11/16 – Pops Concert |
| ○ 10/21 – Rehearsal at Deitz | rehearsals | |

- We all work as one team. We very much appreciate all the parents, kids, teachers and section leaders do.
- PSAT – We are going to try to start the test early. They will have sheets bubbled on Thursday and Friday. We are leaving at 2:00. THEY ARE NOT TO RUSH, but when they are done, they need to get to rehearsal.
- Thank you for your concern about the situation at Deitz. We are going through the district and the avenues that need to be investigated. We will let you know if we need help. Please do not make comments on the Booster web page about this.
- Five-week reports are due tomorrow. If your child misses one lesson, we are going to mark that they are missing lessons as a warning shot. Some have already missed more than one. Please check with your student. Most kids are doing a great job.
- Florida payments are due Friday. We have 190 students going. Our goal is to have the numbers set by next week so we can get a price out.

Adjourn

- Motion to adjourn made by Christine, seconded by James. Motion passed.
- Next meeting November 8