



IVC Band Boosters Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, August 8th, 7pm IVC Band Room

Call to Order

Band Booster President, Chris Featherstone, calls the meeting to order at 7:15 pm in the IVC Band Room on August 9th 2016

IVC Band Booster Board

X	Bowen, Leigh	X	Featherstone, Chris	X	Lew, Martee		Stoecker, Deb	
	Bixby, Brent	X	Heitzman, Vicki	X	Mattson, Diane		Terpstra, Karyn	
X	Chapman, Matt	X	Herrin, Leslie	X	Morr, Eric	X	Weber, Paul	
X	Cosner, Mark	X	Hying, Beth	X	Rastetter, Melissa		Welch, Kelly	
X	Davis, Rhonda	X	Johnson, Shari	X	Reginald, Steve	X	Wilson, Missy	X = Present

Secretary Report

Chris Featherstone states that due to Karyn Terpstra's (previous secretary) absence we will be unable to review the 3May16 minutes. We will approve the secretary minutes at a later date.

Treasurer Report

Eric Morr and Vicki Heitzman give the treasurer's report. Eric Morr stated that the budget is on track. The organization has not overspent any funds. He stated that everything looks good up to this point. Delays have been inevitable due to rolling over the fiscal year. We were at \$130,000 before band camp and the tax prep is underway.

During the treasurer's report, Amy Giffin voiced some concerns with the taxes. Amy Giffin stated there was a discrepancy of \$100,000. She has addressed these issues during the May meeting. We have since obtained information from her, this information was given to our lawyers office, Miller, Hall, and Triggs. Our treasurer, Eric Morr, expects a response by 8/15/16. Eric Morr stated he is able to show that the books balance to the penny. Morr gave Giffin his contact information and requested her to contact him with any further questions. Leslie Herrin made a motion to approve the treasurer's report, Michele Stouffer seconds the motion and the motion passes unanimously.

Old Business

Band Camp

Matt Chapman feels that it went well. Rhonda Davis gave a report due to the chairperson, Karyn Terpstra, that was not in attendance. Davis stated that it was a great year at band camp, not too many pranks other than the moms. She noticed that the game attendance was less than last year. Kids were healthy with a strong demeanor and happy. Weather was pleasant and kids seem to enjoy camp. Kids got along well. Matt thanks all that helped transport and chaperone.

Music Fest (formally known as Band Bash)

Deb Reginald did an amazing job and she thanked everyone for their participation, especially Kelly Welch who became kitchen manager on the fly. She also thanked the band kids who helped tear down after Music Fest. This year's Music Fest earned \$9411 even with the change of location, the name, and the day. We have since heard positive feedback that food was great, food line and layout seemed to flow much easier, and the Saturday was a perfect choice. Reginald stated she would like to make sure that the date does not interfere with St. Jude runners next year. We should start planning 2017 Music Fest sometime in January/February.



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New Business

Fundraisers

Dave's Coffee Cakes

Mark Cosner presents an opportunity to the board for a ongoing fundraiser. Cosner stated that Dave's coffee cakes seemed to have sold very well and people have requested more. He sold them during Music Fest and the following Monday during practice. He sold out. The profit on each cake is 50% which translates to \$8 per cake going into student ledgers. He would like to continue offering the fundraiser throughout the year especially during labor day, Thanksgiving, and other holidays. Chris Featherstone made a motion to approve the fundraiser during labor day weekend, Missy Wilson second the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

Committee Reports

Fund Raising

Ghost Chase

Ghost Chase chair, Tara Morr, updates the board on their progress so far and states the next meeting is 8-22-16 at 6:30pm at the Chillicothe Public Library. The updates included course surveying, quotes for t-shirts, as well advertisers and sponsor. She encourages everyone to attend.

Directories

Martee Lew did a great job selling the directories. She made \$350 and sold 45 student directories.

Performance

Uniforms

Chris Featherstone reports that due to the ice cream social downpour, the uniforms sustain some shrinkage due to the uniforms becoming saturated. Chris has been in contact with the cleaners and has been informed that indeed the uniforms have in fact shrunk some and will now need to be stretched. The dry cleaners stated we may need a tailor to help with this job to rectify the issues. The turnaround on the stretching is about a week and will cost about \$4 a coat, this will add a 1/4- 1/2 inch. Chris Featherstone thanked all the band moms who diligently worked on helping to make sure the uniforms were dried as soon as possible.

Transportation

For some of the competitions this year, we will possibly have access to an activity bus. It will seat 14 parents. This bus will possibly be available for those volunteering.

Band Director Comments

DCI- Willow Knolls Experience

Mr. Chapman encourages everyone to attend DCI on August 11, 2016 at the Willow Knolls movie theater from 530-1030. Tickets sell fast so be sure to order your tickets in advance.

Back To School Teachers Breakfast Performance

Friday-August 12, 2016

730am-Warm up

8am- performance in the gym(Ghost Rider/Star Spangled Banner)



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*Marching Band minus Front Ensemble/color guard

DCI Finals

August 12 is DCI Finals and we will be leaving at 10 am and will get breakfast on the way.

Football Game/Parades/ Competitions

September 2-1st football game. Mr. Chapman states we will be having a tailgating event before the game.

September 3- Kewanee hog days parade- we will be leaving at 1230pm for the parade.

September 5- Toluca Parade- We will depart at 1230 for the parade

September 10- Washington Competition

September 17- mandatory long rehearsal

Homecoming

Homecoming parade is on 10-7-16 at 3pm

Homecoming game is on 10-8-16 at 1pm

Miscellaneous Comments

The kids are working hard this year not only for themselves but to not let down their fellow band mates. They have made large improvements since band camp and they are always told to improve on something whether it be marching or playing.

Mr. Chapman has been talking to the kids about the Olympics and how one second off can cause you to win or lose. He also stated that they have a whole community behind them to support them. Mr. Chapman lastly thanks each and every person that helps make this program possible and he adds that anytime anyone can help it is greatly appreciated.

Adjournment

Chris Featherstone announces that the next meeting will be held September 13, 2016 at 7pm in the band room. Mark Cosner motions to adjourn the meeting, Steve Reginald seconds the motion. There were no objections. The meeting was adjourned at 840pm.