

WRHS Band Parent Council Meeting Minutes
Thursday, November 9, 2017

Present: Dianna Mans, Cyndi Peterson, Doug Keen, Bruce and Sharon Miller, Linnae VanSickle, Zoela Valencia, Deidre Schmidt, Liz Davis, Tiffany Bodenhamer, Ann Rausch, Paul Bures.

Student Representative: Nothing to Report.

Old Business: None

New Business:

1. Frostbite Festival, Dec. 13
Dianna Mans will talk to JoAnn about last year. Keeping it simple to grab and go foods like muffins, fruit, granola bars, Hot choc for cold temps. Get hot chocolate from PTO?
2. State Festival, April 28
Choir may be leading this year. Tiffany will connect to Mr. Mills to inquire.
3. Memo from Mr. Chaffee
 - He is creating a Philosophy about WRHS Marching Band program for parents
 - He likes Pizza Fundraiser because of \$5000 it profited. Parents do not like it.
 - Considering Band Raffle tickets which would pay for someone's band trip. Possibly selling for \$25 each. Need to sell 76 to make it worthwhile. Possible at/around December concert
4. Marching Band Review
 - Wanting to create a box to store/transport sound equipment and cords in for show that would have sides and top that open up to easily reveal needed equipment at showtime
 - Should we have boards with legs to hide guard equipment along sidelines?
 - Have band parent mixer apart from Band Meeting to explain procedures, bandwear, etc. (First day of band camp?)

Committee Reports:

Treasurer-

- Reviewed Financial and Bank statements
- Purchased drum major cape. \$5375 in bank account, \$1800 in scholarships
- We should apply for money from PTO. Money is available. Tiffany will inquire with Mr. Chaffee on this.
- Should purchase Canopies for band competitions (generic vs. with "WRHS Marching Jr. Blues/Band" on them)

Volunteer-

Thank you for all your helpful efforts to make it a good donation season.

Meals-

Great job. Add plates, silverware to donation list before marching band meals

Bandwear-

-Can we have show shirt design available before purchase to ease ordering and distribution process?

Concessions-

-Fall \$ amounts have been received from PTO.

-Will be winter concessions available.

Equipment -

-Went fine. Made do without trailer.

First Aid- no report

Water -

-Desire to change from hauling water to bottles of water. Tiffany will request with Mr.

Chaffee.

-4 home games next year. Ask for parent donations separate from band "class section" donations requested by directors.

Middle School -

-Can band student and/or parent go to 8th grade concert to talk about bandwear ordering, student could model bandwear and uniform? Hand out a sample purchase sheet at this time.

Uniforms-

-Need to know what is needed for uniforms with new uniforms coming next year.

-Will we need extra help?

Video - no report