



Mars Area Band Boosters Inc

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Booster Meeting Minutes

9/06/17

Attendees: Ruth O'Donnell, Marcia Macri, Thom Brazel, Amy Primm, Vira Grimm, J.R. Ellis, Leigh Buckley, Lisa Kumpfmiller, Val Skurka, Brian McDonald, Jennifer Brazel, Gina Ellenberger, Danielle Mannella, Brian Kemp, Christine Valenta

Call to Order

Approval of Minutes

June 1 meeting minutes were approved

Treasurer Report

Balance on 8/31/17 is \$24,441.11. Report was approved.

Old Business

- Candy Gram Orders Due this evening – We offered candy grams to allow chaperones as well as parents a chance to buy them ahead of time. They are always available on-site at the competition to buy.
- Competition Meals – Chick-fil-A will be for the first competition due to their remodeling. If signed up for water or dessert, please bring it when you drop off your child.

New Business

- Concessions – Thank you to everyone! We will be increasing the volume on some items and pulling other items.
- Chaperones – Please sign up. This is due to people attempting to sneak in. If you are not signed up then you must pay and enter at the gates. Chaperones will have an ID badge.
- Communication: Remind Me – is working as needed to send out quick blasts for information
Sign Up – great to be able to individualize as well as to be able to send out a reminder to each volunteer.
- Props/truck update – Brian has added shelves to the truck. The props are coming along and should be done in the next week or two.
- Uniforms – all are distrusted and some have brand new hat boxes.
- Website – Lori worked on a new site that is up and running with same address



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Fall Fundraisers

- Pepperoni Rolls – will start today 9/6
- Yankee Candles – October 2 is start of catalog ordering which must be picked up. Online ordering and app will go until January 1 and orders will be delivered.
- Cookie Dough – October
- Pies – November
- Craft Show – all crafters will be at the high school. Band will be the only one to provide food/drinks.

Mr. Rodgers

- Great start to the marching band season
- Music trip for Music Department - Waiting to submit and be approved by the school board. Scheduled for April 26-29, 2018, Myrtle Beach, estimated cost is \$700.

Upcoming Dates

September 16 – Norwin Competition

September 20 – Butler Band Festival

September 23 – Moon Competition

October 4 – Booster Meeting

October 14 – Deer Lakes Competition

October 21 – Championships – Gateway High School

Adjournment at 8:00