



Mars Area Band Boosters Inc

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Booster Meeting Minutes

10/15/19

Attendees: Ruth O'Donnell, Amy Primm, Lisa Kumpfmiller, Danielle Mannella, Lori MacDonald, Brian MacDonald, Heather Zimmerman, Ray Mueser, Colleen Gatto, Jeff Grimm, Donna Guenther, and John Felice.

Call to Order

Approval of Minutes

Minutes from September were approved.

Treasurer Report

Balance on 9/30/19 is \$16,919.55. Report was approved. Long Term account is where Disney Deposits will be placed and from which checks to Travel Company will come from.

Old Business

- Uniforms – THANK YOU to everyone who organized uniforms and helped with fittings. Special thank you to Jeff for picking up uniforms. We will be purchasing hangers for cape, sash, and shako covers.

New Business

- Banquet – RSVP and money due October 24
- Deer Lakes Schedule – Students will pack a lunch to eat at school. Competition meal will be served as dinner after competing and changing out of uniforms. Meal will be Chick Fil A sandwiches, chips, water, and cookies.
- Fall Fundraisers – 645 bags of popcorn sold
 - Next fundraiser Pie Sale – Orders Due October 30 and Pick up November 19
 - Upcoming Dave & Buster's Fun cards for \$10 and \$20
 - Pepperoni Rolls - January
- Indoor Season – Fees: Booster \$100 and District \$100 (if free and reduced lunch do not pay)
 - Required Item Fee \$150 – everyone pays
 - October 29 information meeting for Drumline
 - Possible Novice Group for Guard. Boosters asked for 18 in A group before doing Novice.
 - Indoor Drumline will hold practices on November 5 & 7 with auditions on November 12.
- Charms – a database for managing bands. Will do away with paperwork forms and will input online. Be able to make groups. As a parent, you will be able to view financials for student. Soft roll out is planned for indoor season. Cost is \$395 per year.
- Winter Spaghetti Dinner – looking for 2 people to chair
- Craft Show – Saturday, November 23 – 225 vendors will all be at High School due to Middle School construction.
 - Use Sign – Up to Sponsor food and volunteer. This is our largest general fundraiser of the year.



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Disney – Tentative Schedule

Tuesday – 2 separate flights to Orlando. Tom will be on one flight. Assistant on another
Hollywood Studios

Wednesday – Epcot - Chorus Performs

Thursday – Magic Kingdom – Marching Band Performs

Friday – Animal Kingdom and Disney Springs. Dinner for everyone will be at Planet Hollywood at Disney Springs.

Saturday – Return flights one late morning and other early afternoon

*Those student/chaperones 18 and older must have a government issued ID to fly.

Mr. Soose

- Huge Thank You for wedding gift
- Continuing to add visuals to show and work on music for upcoming competitions

Open Discussion

- EZ Pass for band truck. It is a commercial account. This way truck will be able to stay with buses when we travel Turnpike.

Upcoming Dates

October 18 – Home Football Game - Senior Night

October 19 – Deer Lakes Competition

October 24 – Chick Fil A Night at Wexford Location

October 24 – Banquet RSVP and Money Due

October 25 – Away Game at Hampton

October 26 – PIMBA Champs at Gateway – Performance Time TBD

October 29 – Indoor Drumline Meeting

Adjournment at 7:56