

Band Booster Meeting Minutes  
September 28th, 2015

Booster Members Present: Brian Hunsaker, Nick Williams, Trish Wright, Renee Morgan, Minta Keirn, Cindy Bogard, Martha Ahlfield, Lisa Hunsperger, Tracey Herron, Anita Brown, Amy Behrens, Julie Bush, Trish May, Arun Subramanian, Mary Carter, Ronda Craft.

I. Secretary's Minutes: Read by all. Motion to approve by Lisa Hunsperger and seconded by Brian Hunsaker. Approved by all.

II. Mr. Williams's Report:

- Competition itineraries: these tend to be very tentative. Mr. Williams will try to have kids text their parents with an ETA when we leave competitions so they know when pick-up time will be.
- Disney trip tentative plan: Animal Kingdom Monday, Magic Kingdom Tuesday, Epcot Wednesday, Hollywood Studios Thursday. Hotel deposit will be due in January, at which time we will firm up parents' plans/hotel rooms.
- Thanks to all parents who helped with props.

III. Old Business:

- Quilt Raffle update: have raised around \$460 so far. It will be available at 2 more home games. We will draw the winner's name after 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of Homecoming game.
- Apple fundraiser: Rendleman's has designed an order form for us with photographs. Forms could go home October 15<sup>th</sup> with delivery second week of November, Tuesday November 10<sup>th</sup> if possible.

IV. New Business:

- Non-Profit status update: Our approval with the state of Illinois is pending and is expected to be approved within 20 business days, or by next month.
- Individual Student Fundraising Ledgers: An open discussion took place about phasing out the individual student fundraising ledger system, whereby an individual student can "keep" via a ledger and therefore use for the individual's band trip expenses, ½ of funds they raise in the apple and butter braid fundraisers every year. If this system were phased out, the student portion of fundraising would be diverted to a general "trip fund" ledger which would be used to equally subsidize all band students' trip expenses. Discussion to continue at October meeting.
- End of season bonfire will be October 30<sup>th</sup> following Halloween parade. Location TBD.

Maria Jessup motion to adjourn. Ronda Craft second. All approved.