

MRHS BAND BOOSTERS

Meeting Minutes

Monday, November 30, 2020

Meeting conducted via Google Meetups.

SCHEDULE:

- 6:30 pm- 7pm Board
- 7- 8pm Parent Boosters – All new parents especially!

7:03pm – meeting start/call to order

Attendees (attendees were asked to type in their names in the chat field section of the meeting): Stephanie Kaiser, Stephanie Trujillo, Steve Koci, Sevie Winkeljohn, Mike Kaiser, Darla Koci, Tim Winkeljohn, Tiffany Dunn, Christina Bontrager, Marissa Hernandez, Jessica Griffin, Danh Taylor, Shannon Cross, Caryl Soeth, Darryl Tiemann, Michelle Killmon (attended at end of meeting)

Approval of minutes from last meeting: all approved after reviewing

New business

- Fundraising/band fees commitment (Stephanie Kaiser): \$150 due by end of November to continue paying staff.
- Fundraisers:
 - Most recent on-line fundraiser totals are not yet reflected in Charms accounts. Steve Koci is waiting to obtain that information and will be updating students' accounts.
 - Reminder about Scrip gift cards, Amazon Smile are great options for individual fundraising (Scrip) and fundraising to support boosters (Amazon Smile). We will no longer be doing group orders for physical Scrip gift cards. You can now order many brands yourself by using the Raise Right app (from Scrip) to have many different companies' physical gift card shipped directly to your home. Anyone wanting more details about how to set up either can contact Sevie directly. **UPDATE:** A PowerPoint tutorial for using Scrip has been added to the booster's website.

- Ways to be involved/committees:
 - Uniforms, Parade of Lights (Sevie Winkeljohn): There is a current vacancy for Parade of Lights coordinator. The Uniform Coordinator position will be vacant for 2021. Please contact any board member if interested. Sevie will be willing to train anyone interested this season for this position and we always need help from any parents with uniform fittings and uniform check-in/check-out. ANY assistance with this is helpful and it is a great way to get to know the students.
 - Props and costumes (Stephanie Kaiser): always needing help! Once normal band practice is allowed again, we will start meeting for this. ANY time commitment is helpful!
 - Pit/equipment (Stephanie Kaiser, Steve Koci): parents are always needed for all performances to help push props and pit equipment onto fields. Not sure if this is for you? Try helping with it at a football game for an easy introduction to the requirements.
 - Meals, summer camp, corporate sponsors, fundraising committee: This is Becky Spencer's last year as Meal Coordinator, so we are definitely looking for someone who can volunteer for this position and learn the ropes from Becky this year! The Meal Coordinator plans the menus for lunches or dinners served to the students anytime we have an all-day function (all day practices on Saturdays and competition days), does the grocery shopping for the meals, and coordinates volunteers to cook the food and volunteers to serve the food. This is a fantastic way to get to know all the students and many parents! For corporate sponsors, we are always looking for businesses who want to help sponsor the band. We are a 501(c)(3) organization for tax write-off purposes. Donations can be money or even goods/services. Please contact Mike Kaiser for more information or if you have a business you think might be interested in helping the band. We are also ALWAYS looking for people to join the fundraising committee and get some creative fundraising ideas going!

□ **Board elections for 2021**

- President – Stephanie Kaiser (incumbent elect)
- Vice President – vacant (please contact mrhsband80234@gmail.com if interested)

- Treasurer – Steve Koci (incumbent elect)
- Secretary – Jessica Griffin (new elect)

7:27pm – meeting adjourned