

John Glenn High School Music Boosters
Instrumental/Booster Meeting Minutes
February 6, 2024

Call Meeting to Order: Jessica Harless at 7:05pm in the John Glenn High School band room.

Meeting Minutes: *Motion by Kathy Russell seconded Debbie Cook to approve the January 9, 2024 meeting minutes. Motion Passed*

Old Business:

- Pre Concert Fundraiser results from December (Missed from January Meeting) \$190 in sales
- Congrats to W3G on 3rd place in first competition

Director's Report:

- Hosting 5th grade concert tomorrow
- Bonner/Mety visiting middle schools on Friday to talk about music education, trying to sign up 8th graders
- New Band App Group established for next year
- February 29th - Instrumental Music Concert at JGHS at 7pm.
- March 7th - Choir Concert at JGHS at 7pm
- March 9th - Symphony Band/Orchestra for MSBOA Band/orchestra festival. Orchestra around 9am, Band around noon.
- This Saturday - District Solo & Ensemble, about 9 groups going and Ms. K is accompanying. Any kids that make a 1 will go on to State Solo & Ensemble in March.
- March 20th - New Concert starting at 6:30 PM at WMHS. Will start with Chorus featuring middle schools and high schools, Band and Orchestra will each play a piece individually and there will be a combined piece with JGHS/WMHS.
- 8th Grade Open House is the 14th 5- 6:30pm - Working on getting information out.
- 1 Student going to Honors Orchestra at Wayne State University, Mya Pierce

Treasurer Report:

- Balance \$9,098.05 Student Accounts: \$3,729.00 W3G Money: \$2,843 Aval Balance: \$2,526.05

New Business:

- Website Domain secured for the next 5 years/site has been secured for the next 2 years
- Will Egg My Yard cover upcoming expenses? No
 - MFA Due 6/1 - \$1,099 x 3 = \$3,297. Prepaid \$800. Due \$2,497
 - Marching Band Camp: Based off of last year's numbers, boosters paid for 14 people between staff/chaperones. This year's totals will be \$5,047 est.
 - Banquet - Last year we paid for 60 people/taxes/gratuities. Based on the new rate for this year, the cost will be approx \$2,337 for booster portions (tax and gratuity based on last year's number of 160 attendees.)
 - EMY Candy - Approx \$1,000
 - Awards - Approx \$600
 - Approximate Total Expenses between now and 6/1: \$11,481
- How do we move forward?
 - Need to sit down with executive board
 - Need to go over a full year of revenues/expenditures
 - Need to look at Booster Bylaws and what updates/revisions we need to make.
 - Need to determine what we must keep/what we might need to let go or postpone for a while
- Egg My Yard - 41 orders to date, 2,975 eggs sold. Pacing last year, but need to improve our advertising game
- Pre-Concert Snack Sales for upcoming concerts
- Marching Band/Camp - Prices have raised slightly mostly due to their increase in food cost.
- Sponsorship Flyer for All Band to go to Businesses
- Fundraising Idea to do shout outs during football games
- How do we get more people involved? Band App for all parents, possible mandatory all parent meeting at the beginning of the year, more visibility at concerts/events
- Banquet - discussion tabled until March

- New Facebook business page for Friends of John Glenn Music

President's Report:

- Updates in New Business

Vice Presidents Report:

- Absent, No Report

Secretary Report:

- Dine 2 Donate Events:
 - Wednesday, February 7th, 3-10pm at Texas Roadhouse in Westland, MI, Dine in & Takeout- 10% Donation
 - Monday, March 4th, All Day at Buffalo Wild Wings in Westland, MI, Dine in & Takeout - 10% Donation, 20% if we get over \$500 in sales
 - Thursday, April 11th, 12:00pm - 8:00pm at Famous Dave's in Westland, MI, Dine in & takeout - 20%, - Must have 20 people RSVP by April 8th.
 - Thursday, May 2nd, 4-8pm, Qdoba in Westland, MI, Done in & takeout - 25% donation with \$150 minimum
- Website Updates in progress. New Dine 2 Donate Fundraising Page, Minutes updated, Staff Bios and more renovations coming soon.

Winter Guard Report:

- Winterguard rehearsal moved to Stevenson this Saturday
- Huge thank you to Ben/Jen Cedoz for creating the props they look phenomenal

Questions/Discussion

- None

Upcoming Dates:

- 2/7 Dine 2 Donate Texas Roadhouse
- 2/10 Instrumental Solo & Ensemble
- 2/17 Winterguard Milford
- 2/29 Midyear Instrumental
- 3/4 Dine 2 Donate Buffalo Wild Wings
- 3/5 Booster Meeting
- 3/7 Midyear Choir Concert - JGHS
- 3/10 Winterguard Troy Athens
- 3/17 Winterguard Stoney Creek
- 3/23 Winterguard Community Show
- 4/6 Winterguard MCGC Championships

Adjournment: *Motion to adjourn by Kathy Russell seconded by Lillian Rivers at 8:10pm.*