John Glenn High School Music Boosters

Instrumental/Booster Meeting Minutes

January 10, 2023

Call Meeting to Order: Jessica Harless at 7:00pm in the John Glenn High School band room.

Meeting Minutes:

Meeting notes will be provided next month due to Secretary Absence in December.

Old Business:

• Pancake Breakfast was a sell out crowd!

Director's Report:

- Working on new Uniform mock-ups and bid process.
- May possibly consider a software/barcode system to label/identify uniforms, instruments, music library, etc. to simplify the process.
- January 25, BAK photography to take pictures of students in the music department for a composite picture. Band members will be in uniforms relative to their activities. All students will need to make sure that they bring their uniforms back in for that day if they had taken them home for the concert.
 - Ms. Bonner will ask if students are able to take pictures for multiple groups for family (i.e. Marching Band and Symphonic Band)
- Band Camp
 - Option 1: Stay at Camp Storer Aug 6-12 (Jackson, MI)
 - Est \$208 per person
 - Con Kids had a lot of extra walking
 - Con More rustic camp/we dealt with bugs last year
 - Con Bathroom/Shower use
 - Con Had to adjust our schedule to fit when the camp would allow us to swim.
 - Pro Variety of food options, worked with food restrictions
 - Pro When issues arose, they were fast to fix
 - Option 2: Michigan Christian Youth Camp Aug 13-19 (Attica, MI)
 - Camp is smaller, less additional walking
 - All cabins have their own bathroom and showers within the building, plus picnic table inside
 - Pavillion, Dining Hall open for use
 - Swimming and other activities available
 - Camp Store for free time open
 - Con Need a Medical Person
 - Con More expensive
 - Camp Use Fee: \$28.50 per night/person (6 nights)
 - Meals are 10.50 per meal/person (6 days 3 meals)
 - Approx \$360 per person
 - Cost doesn't include "Extras" shirts, medicines, truck, etc.
 - Director interested in switching camps, but how do we address the higher fee?
 - Discussion regarding fundraising possibilities pros and cons: Hungry Howies, Shirt Sponsorships like Winter Guard Does

Motion by Jessica Harless, seconded by Kathy Russell to move Band Camp to MCYC, Motion passed.

- Solo & Ensemble coming up January 28 at Livonia Franklin HS, Schedules are out. Discussion about format of Solo & Ensemble
- Next Concerts:
 - o January 28 Solo & Ensemble Festival
 - Feb 2 5 grade concert during school
 - o March 1 Band & Orchestra
 - March 2 Chior
 - o March 9 /10 Possible Clinic Festival Band and Orchestra (Belleville HS)

President's Report:

- Egg Fundraiser Would like to increase to 15,000 eggs, but keep the pricing the same.
 - We will need more help stuffing egs, but also more volutneers/drivers to help reduce the routes.
- Website updates are in progress, calendar is up to date.

Vice Presidents Report:

Absent

Treasurer Report:

- \$11,000, \$1,500 is student money so \$9,500 total.
- Applebees net profit \$2,397.00

Secretary Report:

No report

Winter Guard / Percussion Report:

- Winterguard silks are in, things are going great received 6 new sabres and 5 new rifles.
- Nearly finished with drill, through the flag feature, students are doing great.
- Home show will include special guests guards.
- T-shirts for Guard will be available via a shop to order whenever you want.

New Business:

- Summer Symposium is open for registration. Are we sending leadership this year or somewhere new?
 - o Plan to send them back, just need a headcount to get a deposit in.
- Marching band camp locations and dates have been determined.
- Will need a new Nurse for Band Camp. Volunteers?

Questions/Discussion

None

Upcoming Dates:

- 1/21/23 MCGC Field Day Winterguard (virtual)
- 1/28/23 Solo and Ensemble
- 2/11/23 Novi Competition Winterguard
- 2/26/23 Troy Athens Competition Winterguard
- 3/1/23 Mid Year Instrumental Concert JGHS 7pm
- 3/2/23 Mid Year Choir Concert JGHS 7pm
- 3/11/23 Stoney Creek Competition Winterguard

- 3/18/23 State Solo and Ensemble
- 3/19/23 Troy Athens Competition Winterguard
- 4/1/23 Winterguard States
- 4/5/23 Winterguard Homeshow at Glenn
- 4/8/23 EGG DELIVERY DAY!
- 5/10/23 Spring Choir Concert @ Wayne
- 5/11/23 Music Banquet (more info coming)
- 5/17/23 Spring Band/Orchestra Concert @ Wayne
- 5/28/23 Memorial Day Parade
- 6/3/23 Graduation

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn by Kathy Russell seconded by Angela Bruso Fauls at 8:33pm.