Otsego Band Boosters

Meeting Minutes

12 February 2024 / 7:00 PM / OHS Band Room

Attendees:

Mitch Piersma/Director, Jessica Grove/Director, Tami Stout/Co-President, Kelley Dendel/Co-President, Michelle Vorndran/Vice President, Jena Jacobs/Treasurer, Jessica Wilson/Secretary

Absent: none

Agenda:

- 1. Approved December 11, 2023 Meeting Minutes
- 2. Next Meeting: March 12, 2024
- 3. Introduction and Welcome Secretary Jessica Wilson
- 4. Fundraiser Updates
 - Spring Fundraiser Cookie Dough Scheduled for March 11-25
 - o Mattress Fundraiser March 3rd
 - Michelle will get on PeachJar
 - Amazon Wish List working well/items being purchased
 - Mitch to identify additional items to add to the list
 - RaiseRight keep promoting
 - o Crafting Fundraiser May 4th
 - We will need to get the word out (email parents, post signs, PeachJar)
 - Tracy Marks to ask for donations for raffles

5. Bank Balances

Honor Credit	Union (Updated 2/12/24)
Savings:	\$ 5.00
Checking:	\$40,625.92
Tengam Band	\$10,087.37
Tengam Choir	\$ 1,317.60
Trip	\$44,405.87
Total:	\$96,441.76

Two deposits scheduled for tomorrow

6. Upcoming Events

- February 23 Pep band pizza party 5pm
- February 27 (Tues) MSBOA District 10 MS Band Festival at Hastings High School (Kelley and Jessica can attend as chaperones, drivers confirmed)
- March 1 (Friday) MSBOA District 10 HS Band Festival at Allegan High School (Kelley and Jessica can attend as chaperones, drivers confirmed)
- March 3 Mattress Fundraiser
- March 15 & 16 (Fri and Sat) MSBOA State Solo and Ensemble Festival at Portage Northern
- o March 26 Marching Band Celebration Movie Night
- o April 24 & 25 (Wed and Thurs) MSBOA State Band Festival, Time TBA
 - Hosting @ Otsego HS!!
 - Leave Both Days OPEN
 - Kelley can chair again this year
 - Will need a Sign Up Genius
- May 1 (Wed) Collage Concert Night Rehearsal, 7:00pm 9:00pm
- May 2 (Thurs) Collage Concert 37, 7:00PM
- o May 4 (Sat) Crafting Fundraiser
- May 7 (Tues) Band Awards Night (required for ALL), 7:00PM
 - Dessert Bar
- May 16 (Thurs) 8th Grade Finale Concert
 - Dessert Bar
- May 17 (Fri) Jazz in the Park at TOP Pavilion (Jazz Band only)
- o May 20 (Mon) 6th/7th grade Spring Concert
- May 21 (Tues) Swing Out Performance, 1:00 PM
- May 22 (Wed) Graduation Performance, 7:00pm
- May 27 (Mon) Memorial Day Parade (no seniors), meet at 8:00am, performance at 9:30am
- o July 29 (Mon) HS Marching Band Begins

7. Status of Upcoming Purchases

- o Trailer Repair & Lettering: Kelley Called mike cronen and is waiting for a guote
- Mule Painting/Lettering: Mike is also going to quote us on possibly wrapping the mule and placing our logo on the front hood
- o Instruments: Tenor Drums ordered!
- Golf Cart: Mid-summer purchase, Jena has connections to golf cart vendor- in process

8. New Business

- Movie Night
 - Confirmed for March 26th (Tues) at M-89
 - \$60 for theater (Boosters will fund), students can buy concessions a la carte
 - Need to finalize movie start time (sometime between 6:00pm and 7:00pm), what movie, and estimated headcount

- Annual election
 - Open nominations around the next meeting in March
 - The slate of nominations needs to be brought before the board at the April meeting
 - May vote
 - June handoff
- o OBI Director Registration form updated

Reminder: When making purchases, please take a picture of the receipt and email to the treasurer@otsegobands.com so Jena can reconcile with the account as the charges come through.