

Minutes
Godwin Band Boosters
November 2, 2015

Attendance: Mimi Joyner, Anne Urenda, Mr. Auman, Tim Urenda, Cindy Fournier, Michelle Matthews, Sharon Smith, Kwan Yam

Meeting called to order at: 7:07pm

1. Approval of Minutes (Mimi Rawson): Minutes emailed out and approved by vote.
2. Financial Report (Stuart Williams): No official report as Stuart is not present, but Mr. Auman and Anne gave updates. But car wash made around \$600 last Saturday. Mr. Auman wants to make sure the bands who paid for the fall show were refunded. He returned Louisa's check. Deep Run and Winchester area school (?) were the others that paid. Angie Nelson's mom got a refund from the school for band fees, but not the \$110 from Boosters after her daughter was not able to participate. She did pay cash. It was asked if she has produced her receipt. Anne will talk with Stuart and look for the Booster form.
3. Committee Reports
 - a. Membership (Amy Terhune): No official report. We have not followed up with families who did not pay Booster fees. In the past the membership chairman has called these families or sent letters, though membership is optional, not required.
 - b. Equipment/Trucks (Tim Urenda): Running lights on trailer are not working right consistently. It needs to be looked at when the season is over and the trailer is empty. Tim will take it next week.
 - c. Ways and Means (Vacant)
 - Spirit Nights (none currently booked for November): Anne is trying to get Chipotle and Deep Run Roadhouse. Deep Run does 10% of receipt sales. Cindy recommended looking into Five Below and Tom Leonards. Panera also has something but you have to have at least 20 people show up with flyers to get anything.

- Cookie Dough Fundraiser (orders being delivered Nov. 4): We have the cafeteria until 5pm and then they are locking the building down. Anne will take coolers and move the orders not picked up out in front of the school.
 - Citrus Fruit Fundraiser (order due Nov. 4): All band classes have the order forms. Only 2 kids have turned them in. Cindy offered to take the order forms home and tally and double check them for money. Mr. Auman will call the order in on Thursday.
 - Car Wash (good turnout on October 31): About \$600 profit. Having students play instruments on the corner seems to help a lot. Anne suggested putting out signs that say Car Wash this Saturday 10-2 a few days before. Anne will look into pricing for those signs.
- d. Hospitality (Val Powers): Next event will be Winter Concert December 17th and Hospitality helps organize each family to bring a desert to share and the committee takes care of drinks. Tri M will be the food watchers.
- e. Chaperones (Michelle Matthews): We have enough chaperones for the game this friday. Michelle will get chaperones for the Christmas parade on December 5th. An equipment parent will need to drive the truck, drop at the start and meet the band at the finish.
- f. Newcomer's Liaison (Mary Susan John): No Report.
- g. Website/Newsletter (Cindy Fournier): Meeting minutes have been added to the website. Mr. Auman said the Color Guard page could be temporarily removed for now. Cindy will do that. The Godwin Invitational page should be temporarily removed as well. Mr. Auman requests a fillable form for the fall show on the Godwin Invitational page. Cindy will work on that.

4. Old/New Business

1. Jazz Festival in May: May be a good fundraiser to replace funds lost from fall show. Will need a planning committee. Would invite other schools to come play. The other bands may not want it to be competitive, but maybe would want a

clinician to critique them. Bands would not pay to come, so we would need to find a way to make money. Can not sell food without health dept permit at Deep Run Park. Maybe food trucks could come and give a split? If there is a split, would it be enough money? We could take donations from those in attendance. Maybe do a 50/50 raffle? Michelle said she would need to update the permit with the gaming commission. Alternately we could do the Festival at the school in the auditorium. Anne will send the tentative date to Mr. Auman and he will check to see if the school is available on that date.

2. Indoor Show – January 30. We are on the AIA website for that date and have paid for it. Anne will work on getting coordinators in December.

3. Mr. Aumen update: First Saturday in December is the parade. Second Sat in December are district band auditions at Freeman. Band Concert is on Dec 17th. Nov 11th at 10am is the Veterans Day Assembly - all are welcome and the band will be playing one piece.

4. Other: Nothing

5. Meeting Adjourned at 7:44pm. Next meeting scheduled for December 7 at 7:00 p.m. in band room.