



MEETING MINUTES

Minnetonka Band Boosters (MBB)

November 14, 2011

7:00 pm

Facilitator:	Beth Moore
Note taker:	Martha Ebner
Attendees:	Martha Ebner, Jennifer Erickson, Becky Liebl, Jenny Linn, Amy Meier, Therese Meyer, Beth Moore, Miles Mortensen, Pam Shefland, Judy Stromwall, DeeAnn Wallentine-Hale

DISCUSSION

Welcome: Beth welcomed everyone to the booster meeting. The agenda was reviewed; no additions to the agenda were required.

Minutes: The minutes from the previous meeting (October) were reviewed and approved.

Finance Report:

Highlights from the past month include:

- ♪ 21 family members
- ♪ Balance: approximately \$15,950
- ♪ Income: sweatshirt sales, membership, Papa Murphy sales, pizza dinner, cookie sales, marching band banquet
- ♪ Payments: marching band banquet, cookies, donations for marching band salaries, marching band clinic, miscellaneous reimbursements

Director's Report:

- ♪ Miles extended thanks to the booster board and volunteers for a great marching band season
- ♪ Stan Kenton birthday bash scheduled for 12/1; advertising in the TC Jazz notes, hopefully the Star Tribune, Clear Channel billboards; we will usher and sell tickets, CDs and refreshments; both jazz bands to perform
- ♪ Lake Conference Jazz Fest at MHS scheduled for 2/9; Pete Whitman will be the guest artist
- ♪ Wind Ensemble and 8th grade bands concert scheduled for 12/12
- ♪ MHS all bands concert scheduled for 12/13
- ♪ Students will perform at the Barnes and Noble fundraiser
- ♪ Lots of honor band activity: 10 students to U of M; 8-10 auditioning for All-State
- ♪ Travel study: plans moving along; parent meeting in January
- ♪ Marching band performances at MMW and MME were well received
- ♪ Winter guard: 3 4-hour clinics scheduled

Committees:

- ♪ Uniforms – arranging for marching band uniform dry cleaning; Velcro will remain on for possible use next year
- ♪ Equipment – nothing to report
- ♪ PR – advertising for 12/1 Jazz concert underway; Jennifer E will focus on local advertising, TC Jazz doing city advertising; announcement on district website; Beth to send Clear Channel info to Jennifer for local billboards; Rich can do notices for local stores; can also send info to Bruce L for booster website
- ♪ Fundraising:
 - Wreath sales: wreath distribution 11/18, 19
 - Will offer engraved mugs/glasses for sale; options include marching band and Minnetonka Bands logos
 - Barnes & Noble set for 11/27 at the Ridgedale store
 - Maynard's: will schedule fundraiser in winter
- ♪ Social – received positive feedback from band parents about the marching band parties
- ♪ Membership – will work to increase membership for December concert at which time membership list will be included in concert program; membership forms will be sent out with this week's email
- ♪ Historian – Marching band CD/DVD in production
- ♪ Volunteers – will be requesting help for wreath distribution, Barnes and Noble bookfair, Jazz concert and band concerts. May need to provide student help at the citrus and nut distribution 12/3, 4 or 5

Upcoming Events:

- ♪ 11/27 – Barnes and Noble bookfair
- ♪ 12/1 – Jazz concert
- ♪ 12/12 – WE and MME/MMW 8th grade bands concert
- ♪ 12/13 – All MHS bands concert

Announcements:

- ♪ Miles stated that band info is on schoology

Next Meeting Date and Adjournment:

- ♪ Next meeting: January 9, 2012 at 7:00 pm. (we will request the writing center)
- ♪ The meeting adjourned at 8:16 pm.