

Ross Band Booster Meeting Minutes

11/1/2022

Attendance: Ron Meade, Jennifer Krabbe, Jeane Johnson, Richard Roemer, Andrew Morelock, Jena Poppe, Scott Tabar, Stephanie Berlepsch, Krista Rousch, Shawn Vanover, Dianne Bielefeld, and Suzette Reid.

The meeting was conducted in person at 6:30pm in the Ross High School Band Room. The meeting was opened with The Pledge of Allegiance, led by President Ron Meade.

- Secretary's Report: The waving of the reading of the September Meeting Minutes was motioned by Mary Ann Henninger and seconded by Diane Bielefeld.
- Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report was motioned to be accepted by Maryann Henninger and seconded by Danielle Rhodes. The motion was approved.
- Directors' Reports:
 - Mr. Roemer:
 - New guidelines by Dr. Konkle for parent organizations. Some basic checks and balances.
 - State Competition this Sunday 8:00pm at Piqua High School. It's been a great season. Thanks to everyone for getting us where we are.
 - Email from Dr. Konkle regarding not being at the playoff football game. Mr. Roemer is meeting with Dr. Konkle to discuss this further. Possibility of going to the playoff game this Friday.
 - Mr. Morelock:
 - Two concerts are coming up. 7th/8th grade concert December 13th, 6th grade concert December 14th.
 - Honor Band auditions December 3, rehearsal and performance dates January 13-15. Mr. Morelock is encouraging as many students as possible to audition.
 - Jazz band beginning the week after next tentatively.
 - Ms. Giuliano:
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- Old Business
 - Homecoming
 - Food trucks were successful.
 - Banner with sponsors was awesome.
 - All went well, thanks for everyone's help!
 - Mattress sale—made about \$3000 with little effort on our part.
- New Business
 - New officer possibility—adding a middle school representative. The first reading to be prepared for the January meeting then a vote in February.

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- Mary Ann will be creating a flier to be distributed throughout the concerts and passed out to students regarding fundraisers.
- Membership (Jennifer Estridge)
 - Updates list distributed
- Retail/Merchandise Fundraisers
 - Mike's Car Wash--sell tokens for \$10 or \$20, we retain 50%. We pick a month to sell. Starting November 15, lasting through the holiday concerts. Paper coupon or email coupon, never expire. Order forms will be distributed. Mary Ann is printing a flier to put on Facebook.
 - Amazon Smiles (Mary Ann Henninger)--deposited \$125.86 as a result of purchases from April to June.
 - Cash 4 Cartridges (Ann Metz)
 - Kroger Rewards (Mary Ann Henninger)--not due to be paid yet.
 - Raise Right (Mary Ann Henninger)--will be in the holiday flier.
 - Spiritwear (Linda Swarthwood)--link has been sent out for orders. Orders accepted until November 6.
 - Stickers/Clings/Decals (Ann Metz)--sold a few at the Marching Band Concert
- Other Fundraisers
 - Band Savings Cards (Ron Meade)
 - Shepherd's Ground will be on the card. Also adding Subway. Skyline will not join. 12 businesses have confirmed, waiting on some to confirm their discounts. Also working on El Mariachi.
 - Split the Pot (Jennifer Krabbe)
 - Spring Raffle (Maryann Henninger)
- Food/Dining Fundraisers
 - Dine to Donate (Stephanie Berlepsch)
 - Hot Head--still waiting on donation.
 - Eli's is set for November 15, 4-10pm. 15% back, food only, need to make coupons and put in a bucket by the register.
 - Chipotle in Hamilton is set for January 18, 2023.
 - Food Trucks (Jennifer Krabbe/Krista Rousch)--worked well getting pre orders from students. Profited \$221.80
 - Fudge (Jennifer Krabbe)--maybe change the cost to \$8 or 2 for \$15
 - Krispy Kreme Donuts (Jennifer Krabbe/Jaime Leinberger) first sale made over \$700, Badin game made over \$800, final game made over \$400.
- Motion to adjourn by Krista Rousch, seconded by Shawn Vanover

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Upcoming Events (*rest of 2022*)

- Away football game (Winton Woods): Fri 11/04
- State Finals competition (Piqua): Sun 11/06
- RMS 6th Grade Band concert: Wed 12/14
- RMS 7th/8th Grade Band concert: Tues 12/13
- RHS Band concert: Thu 12/15

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, January 3, 2023

Happy Holidays!