

Farmington Tiger Bands Booster Club

Meeting Minutes 11/28/17

Present: Tami Zakoski, Stacy Julson, Rochelle Cummings, Sue Condon, Gale Poore, Ben Smaby, Sandy Weides, Beth Sellon, Kari Lubbers, Tricia Gorden, Dori Seegar, Jacalyn Eisenzimmer.

1. Tami called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.
2. Sandy motioned to approve the minutes from 10/24/17. Rochelle seconded. Motion passed.
3. Treasurer's Report: Rochelle: Balance of \$55829.20
 - a. Incoming checks need to be written to either Tiger Band or TFC Tiger Band Boosters. The bank will no longer be accepting FHS on checks.
 - b. It is confirmed that Jeff Belzer's is sponsoring \$1,000 for the trailer wrap. Still looking for more sponsorships.
 - c. Total cost for the Hawaii trip has gone up by \$90 due to a decrease in the number of participants. Rochelle looked at our financial situation and stated she felt comfortable with the boosters donating \$200 per student towards the trip cost. This would roughly be \$20,000 total. Sue C. motioned to give each student \$200 towards the Hawaii trip from the booster account. Stacy seconded. Motion passed. If any other students/parents want to fill the remaining spots, their cost would be \$2801.
4. Director's Report: The holiday concerts have a new format this year- band and choir have separate dates. Holiday concert for band is on December 20th. Guest artists coming soon to work with the bands. Jazz II will be collaborating with Lakeville.
5. Tiger Fan Club Report: Sue and Cory from TFC have been attending classes in order for TFC to take over the gambling license at Gossips. Also, Tami announced that due to our 5013 status, we cannot require that students/families donate money or supplies. It can only be requested.
6. Uniforms: Rochelle, Beth, Kari, and Becky, along with 12 students spent 3 hours checking in all of the uniform parts. If there are damages to any uniforms the company will fix them free of charge. Rochelle will be sending out an e-mail asking for volunteers to help check for damages.

7. Fundraising Events:

- a. Poinsettias: Beth announced that we made a profit of \$5,243.80 on our sales. This is \$2,980.80 less than last year. The difference may be because this fundraiser immediately followed the Heggies fundraiser.
- b. Band Brunch/Indoor Show: The day went smoothly. Our approximate profit was \$7,000. 1,199 total tickets were sold. Unfortunately there were 41 families who did not donate the requested \$10 for food. Profit from the indoor show was about \$1,500.
- c. Silent Auction was a success. Our profit was \$6,000 with \$1,900 of that coming from the trip that was donated. We sold about \$200 in ornaments, t-shirts, cups, etc.
- d. Apparel: With the pep band season starting, we talked about spreading the word to purchase the new pep band apparel.
- e. Sale: We will be selling lanyards, tumblers, koozies, etc. at the holiday concert to clear out some of the extra items we have in stock with the focus to sell just a few items in the future.
- f. No Heggies pizza fundraiser for January/February.
- g. Mattress Sale: The date for this fundraiser is February 24th. Dori is the contact person for this event. We will be expected to spread the word about the event through fliers, e-mails, social media, etc. A parent meeting will be scheduled for more information, possibly early February.
- h. Spring plant sale: We are planning to have a sale in April/May. Dates will be decided and communicated soon.

8. Elections: At our next meeting, January 16th, we will have elections. Voting positions needed: Secretary Shadow positions: Fundraising, Band Camp, Treasurer, Tiger Scramble Assistant. Next year's goal is to have committees so more people can be involved.

9. Other: Be thinking about how we can get more people involved in the boosters. DCI will be in Farmington on July 31, 2018.

10. Upcoming dates: Holiday concert-December 20th @ 7:00 pm.

11. Upcoming meetings: January 16, February 20th

12. Gale made a motion to adjourn. Ben seconded. Meeting adjourned at 8:43 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Stacy Julson
Secretary