

## Limestone Community High School Band Booster Meeting

April 21, 2014

The regular meeting of the LCHS Band Boosters was called to order at 7:05 p.m. on Monday April 21, 2014, in Bartonville, Illinois by Terry Miller president presiding.

**Officers present:** Terry Miller, president; Jeanie Towle, vice president; Angie Perry, treasurer; Heidi Jo Wys assistant treasurer; Micki Jackson, secretary, Andy Empey and Stevie Rzeszutko.

**Members present:** Jennifer Goble, Curtis Hake, Vera Zentko, Doug Nelson, Janice Weber, Frank Thompson, Mildred Shaw, Janet Gordon, Liberty Binegar, Isaac Simmons, Melinda Yepsen, Joanne Fortner, Beth Riedell, Troy Carey, Merideth Caho, Sonja and Dennis Ahrens, David Miller, Daeia Le, Chetni Cobb, Kelly Gould, Ginger Reynolds, Rebecca Rogalski, Cheryl DeYoung, Angela and Rich Becker, Jimmy Towle, Tammy Sanford, Rex and Deb Moore, Tara Giddens, Stephen Cordes, Stacy Walke, Teri Ward, Jennifer Jones, Julie Simmons, Brian Austin, Tod and Fabian Daniels, Amanda and Matt Chrestenson, Randy Cornelison and Tammy Barton.

**Approval of minutes:** Minutes from the Regular Meeting held March 24, 2014 were dispensed and approved. Motion was made by David Miller and properly seconded by Rich Becker. Motion carried.

### Director's Report:

- Friday April 25, 2014 is the ISU band festival for Wind Ensemble at the Center for Performing Arts. The students should be at LCHS at 6:15am, the bus will leave at 6:30. Performance time is 9am and kids will return to LCHS approx. 11am.
- Wind Ensemble auditions for the incoming freshman will be on May 12<sup>th</sup>, if the student is accepted their schedules will be adjusted.
- The band has grown from 60 in 2006 and 104 in 2013.

The treasurer's report was reviewed by Angie Perry.

- A total of 59 students owe \$18,999.39 to the band.
- She noted several opportunities for fund raising including the Kroger card and Scrip.
- Kroger rebates this month totaled \$309.30 which went directly into the student's account.
- Scrip total for this month came to \$226.22, this is a split 50/50.
- Bartonville Christian Church took up an offering after the Jazz band performance and donated it back to the band totaling \$270.
- The uniform debt has been paid!
- Schnucks cards are now available at Schnucks. You just register them online and scan them at check out.
- She noted Several ways to pay for student band fees (1) drop a check (in an envelope) in the box in the band room (2) mail a check to LCHS with a heading for Marching rockets or (3) you may pay through Charms using Pay Pal (3% fee).

**Drive Thru Dinner:** Includes ½ chicken or a pork chop, this will be held on Thursday May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2014 from 4:30 to 6:30pm. Volunteers are needed from 3:30 to 7:30pm (an email to be sent from volunteer spot). Donations of desserts are needed to include in the dinners, please drop them off at 3:30 at the Café,

**Student packets:** Packets were reviewed and a corrected calendar of events was handed out. Mr. Empey explained the band schedule and offered classes available to students. There is a commitment form included in the packet, once the director has the total amount of students, the # is sent to the drill writer. **The first band payment of \$100 is due on May 25<sup>th</sup> 2014.** A question was asked about the t shirt order form, this will be emailed and also available at uniform fittings.

**2014 LCHS field competition September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2014:** There are many volunteer opportunities for set up, during the competition and clean up. Students are required to sign up for a shift, they will also perform the National Anthem with the junior high and perform in exhibition at the end of the evening. Time will be announced when all participating schools are registered.

**Uniform** prep will be Wed April 23<sup>rd</sup> in the auditorium from 6 until finished. Volunteers are needed to help.

**Band Camp:** Angie Becker will be overseeing snacks and drinks for camp, she would like to request volunteers to provide these items and also for people to assist at camp. She will be collecting names and phone #'s and will contact people closer to the time of camp with needs. Camp starts at 8am and kids are expected to be on the field ready at 8.

**The Spring Concert** is on Thursday May 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:30 in the auditorium, cookies and punch will be served in the café after. Donations of cookies and punch are requested.

**Adjourn:** It was motioned by a number of band dads and properly seconded by David Miller to adjourned at 8:10pm. Motion carried.

**Next meeting on May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2014 in the LCHS cafe**