

Limestone Community High School Band Booster Meeting

August 17th, 2015

The regular meeting of the LCHS Band Boosters was called to order at 7:03 pm on August 17th in Bartonville with Terry Miller, President presiding.

Officers present: Terry Miller President, Jeanie Towle Vice President, Heidi Jo Wys Treasurer, Angie Perry Assistant Treasurer, Micki Jackson Secretary, Andy Empey Director.

Members present: Julie Simmons, Brian Austin, Stephen Cordes, Jim Towle, David Miller, Randy Cornelison, Troy Carey, Dennis and Sonja Ahrens, Caroline Moore, Rich and Angie Becker, Jim Simmons, Beth Riedell, Frank and Cheryl DeYoung, Cortni Boulton, Jennifer and Brian Jones, Shawn and Jennifer Lindsey, Eric Funk, Lisa Stroud, Lauri Hislope, Shasawna Hill, John and Deb Willard.

Approval of minutes: Minutes were read and approved/ corrected. Motion was made by Stephen Cordes and properly seconded by Randy Cornelison. Motion carried.

Director's Report: Band camp was a huge success, kids are encouraged to continue to practice. Playing tests will be starting soon using the I Pads.

Kids are to wear their gray band shirts and khakis for the upcoming Blue and White game and arrive by 5pm. Keep an eye on the Band website, itineraries will be posted for competitions. This upcoming Thursday will be the last Thursday rehearsal, drumline will continue.

If anyone needs to contact Mr. Empey, please use his school email or call the school, they can also contact Stevie.

The band fees were not collected at fee day as previously decided, the treasurer will be contacting Ms. Ryder to speak to her about this.

Great job to Angie Becker and parents for a successful band camp.

Remind 101 will be used again this year to send out mass emails while we are gone for competitions, if you were signed up last year you do not need to sign up again. Send a text to 81010 in the character field type: @lchspar.

Treasurer's report: The report was read by Heidi Jo Wys and Angie Perry. The 2015-16 fundraiser calendar was reviewed and is tentatively as follows:

- August: Garage sale and Butches Pizza
- September: Butches Pizza ends
- October: Field competition, pizza delivery and start of raffle
- November: Tastefully Simple
- December: raffle ends
- February: Little Caesar's Pizza
- March: Stompin at the Savoy.
- April: Drive thru dinner tickets sold
- May: Chicken dinner event.

Kroger in the 2nd quarter was \$3322.17, in 6 months Kroger rewards has earned \$7000. Angie Perry will write a draft email for Mr. Empey to send out to LCHS staff to encourage them to sign up for the Kroger rewards program.

Old Business: (none reported)

Current Business:

LCHS Field Competition October 10th. 14 bands with over 1500 students are signed up so far. Volunteer Spot will soon be set up for sign ups, Terry and David Miller would like to pass the baton for concession chair next year. Program ad sale form can be downloaded from the website and also parents can order spirit ads for the program. We are in need of golf carts so if anyone knows anyone who will donate them contact Stephen Cordes. Grade schools will not play the National Anthem this year; instead they will be included at the Homecoming football game.

T shirts: The initial order of show shirts have been placed, will likely do a second one. The plan is to have black shirts with a glow in the dark figure on front and glow in the dark schedule on the back.

Rummage Sale: This Saturday from 8 am to 2 pm. Set up will be Friday from 5pm to 9pm and close for the band's performance. At noon there will be a discounted bag sale. Moms Who Care requested left over junior clothing. We also need help and baked goods.

Food Coordinator: Jeanne Towle volunteered for this.

Question & Answer Session

Rich Becker reported him and fellow band dads have been working on props off campus but will be bringing the work to the school for future work this week. A wagon will need to be purchased for the generator but otherwise the trailers are in good condition.

There will be 2 medical books for travel this year: one will be on bus 2 and another on the uniform trailer.

Adjourn: It was motioned by Stephen Cordes and properly seconded by Randy Cornelison to adjourn at 7: 40pm. Motion carried.