

LCHS Band Boosters

MEETING MINUTES

Monday, October 16, 2023/7:00 PM/LCHS Cafeteria

Board Members in Attendance

Kristin Saeger - President

Toni Pflum – Vice President

Sabrina Tom - Treasurer

Tonya Garrett – Assistant Treasurer

Justin Bainter – Band Director

Stevi Rzeszutko – Assistant Band Director

Meeting Called to Order

The regular meeting of the Limestone Community High School Band Boosters was called to order at 6:57 PM on Monday, October 16, 2023 in Bartonville, Illinois by Kristin Saeger, President presiding.

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were unanimously approved as distributed. Motion made by Stephen Cordes and appropriately seconded by Tiffany Scholl. Motion carried.

Director's Report

Justin Bainter – Director

- BOA: hot, travel was rough, young band under extreme situations
- Metamora Competition - local judging is subjective; directors weren't disappointed; students did well, and performance was better than BOA
- Thank you received from Jordan Schindler for scholarships
- ISU competition is this Saturday; band will be leaving LCHS at 7 am
- Concert/auditions for Wind Ensemble will occur on Nov 7th 2023
- Madrigals – December 8-10 - there will be some band students participating in the Madrigal in various roles
- There will be a Booster Fundraiser for a Coat Check put on by the LCHS Band Boosters during Madrigals on all three days

Treasurer's Report

Sabrina Tom – Treasurer

The treasurer's report for the previous meeting was unanimously approved as distributed. Motion made by Tiffany Scholl and appropriately seconded by Ryan Moran. Motion carried.

- See separate treasurer's report
- There are still band fees owed, but have collected some since last meeting
- Nothing from Kroger – receive this check quarterly
- Will need to send a check to Owens design group
- Money will be coming out to purchase lunch and dinner for BOA and homecoming t shirts for grade school students

New Business

Kristin Saeger – President

Fundraisers – Toni Pflum – Vice President

- Money currently going to pay staff/instructors for their marching band time
- Due to get a check from Owens Design Group for profit from LCHS Band Merch
- Previous and Upcoming Fundraisers:
 - Perfect Pastries
 - LCHS Band DQ Night
 - Wreath/Evergreen Fundraiser
 - Gift Card Sales – Texas Roadhouse and Dominoes
 - Madrigal Coat Check
 - Corporate Sponsorships
 - Trivia Night Jan or Feb 2024 – may have to find a new trivia announcer
- Can trailer will be picked up and taken this week

General Announcements and Questions from Group

- Thank you from Mr. Bainter to all parents for assistance this year with driving the trucks and assisting with food and chaperone responsibilities
- Question: A senior student would like to go to BOA Indianapolis for BOA – would we be able to provide a bus?
 - Answer: This is on November 11 and Mr. Bainter will check around to see if this is a possibility.
- Question: When we go to comp and other schools have a whole show, is there anything we could do differently to learn our show earlier?
 - Answer: No
- Question: Can an additional practice be added for Winds on Thursdays for Marching Band?
 - Answer: No. Drumline needs the time. Many other schools are adding onto their show throughout the season also.
- Question: Is it worth our time to go to competitions like BOA if we are not able to compete?
 - Answer: Yes. It is good to see better groups perform and get high quality feedback.
- Band Dads (Ryan Moran): This week's comp: Will load up Friday night; kids have their stuff laid out Friday pm, can be loaded up also.

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Stephen Cordes and appropriately seconded by Tiffany Scholl. Meeting was adjourned at 7:19 PM by Kristin Saeger, President presiding. The next general meeting will be on Monday, November 13, at 7:00 PM in the LCHS Cafeteria in Bartonville, Illinois.

Minutes submitted by: Toni Pflum, Band Booster Vice President – substituting for Ashley Long who was absent from meeting.