

Brunswick High Band Boosters
General Membership Meeting
Monday July 9, 2007

A meeting of the Brunswick High Band Boosters was held on Monday July 9, 2007 at 7 pm in the BHS library. In attendance were: Mr. Groen, Debbie Crutchfield, Bob Cummings, Bill Beacht, Dorothy Moler, Denise Hill, Brenda Leach and Joan Chatman. Students were Ashley Hill, Ariel Cummings, Sarah Tincher, Chastity Chatman and Mary Leach.

Secretary's Report: Motion to accept by Denise, second by Debbie. Motion Passes

Treasurer's Report: Bob had current financial/budget reports for all. Recent expenditure were \$89.14 for pizza for graduation band and \$520.00 for leadership training. Income was 72.00 for Keys tickets, \$1,007.00 for tag day and \$45.14 for River Days. Current bank balance is \$29,818.00 Band received \$975.00 from AARP as matching funds to donation from Lynn Wiles .

Motion to accept Treasurer's Report by Denise, second by Dorothy. Motion Passes

Mr. Groen: Looking at 5 saxophones on ebay-2 bari's and 3 tenors. Mr. G was told we can get 2 tenors as boosters have approved \$650 for the purchase of 2 tenors. Eric at Duet with Music may also be able to find a good bari sax. Need school trombones and set of timpani's. Mr. G will speak with Eric and Mr. Player about locating used trombones, bari's or timpani's. Bob will purchase the 2 tenors on Ebay.

Old Business:

Competition- 9 bands are signed up. Jim will contact N and S Hagerstown. Shepherd will prob. come back and perform says Mr. G.

Band competition- No school on the Friday before. We are performing at Walkersville the day of our competition.

Florida Trip- Mr. G mentioned different prices 3 nights at the hotel \$300/ student. Bus down and back would be \$7 -8,000 per bus including hotel for bus driver. Carries 55 passengers. Mr. G thinks the bus would be better way to transport kids and then would have transportation once there. Festival occurs at an area high school Will also be in Disney parade. Hotel- 4 to a room is \$255, --3 to a room is \$275. There will be separate Florida trip meeting. Freight shipping is a possibility. Will discuss buses vs. planes.

Band Camp- Information Meeting for Parents

Football games- Will use old uniforms for football games. Keith will dye shoes burgundy.

Tag Days: July 30 and Aug 1 is Brunswick and Rosemont. Aug. 21 6 pm Jefferson make-up

Car Wash- Laurie has scheduled the 2 car washes we already had. Some discussion was had as to whether another car wash would fit in the current schedule.

Hard Times Café- They give 20% of the take on certain nights.

New Business: Email-Contact Jim if any questions about website or email group.

Phone tree- Kimmy suggests this is a good communication method. Katie and Kimmy get first call and they call section leaders

Some people have requested the option of buying hoody/sweatpants with a different train design.

Kevin McC will be helping with our competition.

Carnivals are coming up-Bob will coordinate.

Calvert Hall competition was cancelled.

Preview show and picnic is Thurs. Aug 16 –everyone bring side dish and 2 liter drink

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30.

The next meeting of the BHS bad boosters will be Monday Aug.13, 2007 at 7 pm at BHS in library. All are invited to attend.

Respectfully submitted,

Laurie Kaler
Secretary