

## MHSBPA Parent Monthly Meeting Minutes

February 9, 2021

7:03 start

Board members present: Attendance: Jennifer Heuer, Venetia Ballard, Arlene Wires, Kandy Bowen, Cindy Norton, Nancy Kirton, Debby Meyer, Mattie Jones, Angie Perry (via Zoom), Gray Weaver, and Michael Schultz

Parents present: Joe Bowen, Rebekah Justice, Becky Upton

### I. Old Business

- A. Review Minutes
- B. Minutes from last week - approved

### II. Treasurer Report

- A. Financial Start: \$11,263.91 End \$6,976.16
- B. Expenses (instructor fees, concession supplies, Panhandle Alarm)
  - 1. Expenses \$6730.25
  - 2. \$441.11 Panhandle Alarm replacement – awfully high
- C. Revenue
  - 1. Income \$2442.50
  - 2. Skating event \$2170.50 earned at event
  - 3. Square funds goes into the savings account - \$431.28 added
- D. Band banquet and scholarship accts don't change much
- E. Weaver: \$26,000 could possibly go towards to Uniforms – it can be moved into the Band uniform acct. – move \$500 a month
- F. Motion to approve – Debby, Venetia second

### III. Old Business Part 2

- A. Beats and Eats not happening.
- B. Skating event & meat sticking – both went well
- C. Band Banquet – award ceremony is ok- May 22nd – no food
- D. Freezer
  - 1. Concrete bids put in
  - 2. Freezer \$37000 with coolant system
  - 3. Looking up what food services had paid for their last one.
  - 4. Cindy is working on the bids right now
  - 5. Need money from GoFundMe

### IV. New Business

- A. Weaver
  - 1. Things looking great - Concert bands are all playing & jazz band is doing well & making great music
  - 2. Indoor virtual show recording Thursday 3/4 & upload by 3/6
  - 3. 3/6 – own personal concert MPA with local bands & judges that provide scores
    - a. MHS Gym
    - b. bands – Baker HS, Jay HS, Hobbs, and MHS bands (Panther, Concert, Symphonic)
    - c. 3 judges scoring with ratings at our gym
    - d. Concessions trailer outside maybe doing it – noon to about 5 to make money
  - 4. All county honor band in the middle of April (4/16 -18)
    - a. rewards kids
    - b. no more than 50 students – smaller group – may do 2 groups
  - 5. Spring concert – Friday, 5/14 – pushed back to match school being pushed back
  - 6. Awards ceremony – 5/22
    - a. Banquets are not allowed right now, but awards ceremony 5/22 – no food involved as masks will be off
  - 7. Fair shares – 95 people who still owe money

## B. Schultz

### 1. Solo Ensemble

- a. Recording day Monday, 2/8, and another in April
- b. paid for professional recordings
- c. Students that play a level 5 have chance to be a part of the state Solo Ensemble
- d. April round 2- get ratings & judges' comments but not eligible for the state
- e. MPA online - the judge and students will listen to it together like on Zoom – They could have performed live too if they wanted
- f. The videos will be upload by Schultz and compiled for a YouTube for a mini concert

### 2 April 12 Recording session with guard

### 3. Jazz Band

- a. Didn't do Mardi Gras Parade – backlash and controversy around the event, so it was cancelled for the band- doing Mardi Gras parade through the school on their own – may be a yearly thing
  - b. St. Pat will be the senior walk
  - c. Joint concert with all the jazz bands – last week of March or last week of April
  - d. Jazz performance Feb 20 Apostolic Church 6pm – parents can watch in the balcony – you want to eat; the contact info is on school's website - \$12 7 course menu – French Cajun style – real good food – great date night
4. Color guard performance March 8 in gym 5:30pm for solos and routines with judge
5. All state – 4 people had made it – it was all virtual – it wasn't a playing thing and they really didn't play music – still have bragging rights – made the audition band, which is the harder band

## C Fundraisers

1. Lumpia – wait until freezer is ready
2. Fundraiser – any other types of ones? Krispy Kreme check online – virtual
3. Southern Raceways starts in Feb– wanted to do March 13th event
4. Mud races
  - a. March 20th, April 17th, May 15, June 19, August 21, September 18
5. Mardi Gras 2022 – invited back
6. Bands on Blackwater April 2 – future dates to come
7. Renaissance Faire at March 6 in Milton

## D. Upcoming expenses

### 1. Freezer

- a. working with culinary to budget funds – freezer & cooler combo property of school district no longer needed that we can have for free
- b. Still need concrete, electric, and move the freezer – save the funds a lot! – waiting for the bids – 15 x 12 – separate cooler with shelves included – hardly needed repairs
- c. GoFundMe umbrella – the parent boosters – went to South Florida – Schultz will call & check – Add Schultz for administration

### 2. Trailer

- a. Floor is buckling
- b. Trailers needs to be rewired for 220v
- c. Warmer for Trailer
  - i. Won't work if health inspector comes
  - ii. Look for used one
  - iii. Need it before all the fundraising events
  - iv. want one \$600-\$700, but they're more expensive
  - v. Can the culinary club do this as money isn't being spent on the freezer like the plan – if it isn't spent, it will be lost

3. Insurance needs to be renewed – need a more comprehensive coverage
  4. Banquet purchase glasses – etched? Looking at the price for each kid getting one
- E. Misc.
1. Need to schedule a Saturday to go through storage & organize and move things into there for storage – Maybe February 20 10am – off Berryhill Road Vanity Fair Rd
  2. 2021-2021 Board
    - a. Committee together for the Next Board for 2021-2022 board. Anyone want to be on it?
    - b. You compile the information and check with the people nominated – you do not need to be on the Board to be this committee – any people? Send out email
      - i. Mrs. Justice can be on the committee – scan them & upload
      - ii. take nominations up to April meeting
    - c. New board starts June 1<sup>st</sup>

Meeting end 7:58 – Venetia Motioned, Mrs. Justice second.