



Bolingbrook High School Music Boosters

365 Raider Way, Bolingbrook, IL 60440

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BHS Music Booster Meeting

Tuesday, February 17th, 2017 – 7:00p.m. Choir room

1. Call to Order at 7:02 p.m.

In attendance: Patty Arriola, Ann Lucchesi, Kristine Wahlgren, Jason Pascavage, John Harvey, Charles Worlton, Kim Sterling, Patty Drajin, Joe Drajin, Andy & Frieda Karafotias, Voc Walters, Mike Sterling, Aimee Rupsis, Larry Fisher, Bill Spengler, Jane Bouhuys, Roxi Adams, Mary Spengler, Marge Kaminski

2. Review/Approval of Agenda: Amend to allow Dr. Pascavage to speak first Motion to approve – Frieda Karafotias, 2nd Charles Worlton

3. Secretary's Report Approval of minutes : Motion to approve – Charles Worlton, 2nd Voc Walters

Amend: 1. Dr Pascavage spoke about a/p classes, VVSD board is adding three new classes (AP Government, AP Psych, and AP Human Geography), and will now allow freshmen to take a/p classes. This will bring us in line with surrounding school districts such as Wheaton, Hinsdale, Arlington Heights, and Naperville. A/P – 3 college credits at all IL schools (must take them) DuPage township donated to help kids who can't afford it to take the test. Board approved those who take the a/p test can get exemption instead of taking the final in that class

2. Band trailer: no admin names on the trailer, custom built 28' length, has money to contribute to the purchase, "Pepsi money" in a Raider account and never spent, believes \$10,000 is a nice number. Will need three bids. Old trailer: impressed with the Humphrey band that performed at BHS. HHH does not have their own trailer, do we want to donate to them? Will district be able to help with transport? Dr. Pascavage will look into, trailer will require a ¾ or 1 ton pickup to pull the trailer

3. Excellent job playing the eggbeater!

4. ISU built a tower in the parking lot. Can we revisit the roof option for Marching band camp instead of using the mobile scaffolding?

5. Completely eliminate violence, only had 3 fist fights in the 1st semester, and way ahead of where he felt he'd be at this time. Recent theft, kid was caught – was not a BHS kid, transferred in two weeks ago. Freshman come in knowing what is expected of them.

6. Moving forward to get SAT up, need to get close to Naperville scores

7. Dr. Pascavage will be in his current positions for FIVE years after this year.

8. Covered pit will try to do outside of boosters, working on stage floor – getting bids, Sound system will get updated

9. a/p vs prom date \$15 fee for 24 kids – Dr Pascavage will cover (no additional charge to students)

10. Made the 7th annual AP Honor Roll, increased # of kits with 3, 4, & 5

4. Director's Report:

Choir – Larry Fisher

- Womans Glee at COD last week, Choir festival was a cool experience, 3 different college professors critiqued
- Lincoln Way on Thursday, kids will need to bring lunch or \$ to buy
- Choir concert Thursday 6:15 pre-concert, call is 6pm, musical tickets go on sale that night
- Mandatory 3/29 and 4/5 rehearsals for Disney 2:10pm to 3:30pm, uniforms for students in mixed, will talk to Beth, performance will be at Disney Springs

Band – Aimee Rupsis

- Thank you for help wth concerts & supplied for kitchen sink
- Shelving, Aimee was able to pick up
- Trip meeting 22nd in the auditorium, expectations for trip
- Musical coming up
- Watch for Senior link, Senior Bios, upload photos
- Started setting calendar for next year



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- Music festival went really well

Marching Band/Band – Bob Hanerhoff – not present

- No update at this time

5. Vice President of Operations – Nicki Fagust – not present
 - a. Advertising – Mary Anne – not present
 - Updated FaceBook after choir
 - b. Band Chaperones – Mary Spengler
 - No update, need replacement
 - c. Band Camp Lunches - Karin
 - No update, Aimee will get with Bob in March to send our sign ups for next year
 - d. RMP Equipment/Property Support – Joe/Charles
 - Had meeting with Dr. P about trailer, getting three bids
 - Stands are painted
 - e. Choir Support – Beth/Tracy – not present
 - Well staffed for concert, volunteers for Lincoln Way West Wednesday
 - f. Madrigal Dinner – Sonia/Neeraja – not present
 - No update
 - g. Photo Historian - Roxi
 - Scrapbook updated through Thursday concert, will be here Thursday to take pictures.
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 - h. Pins and Patches – Jane Bouhuys
 - Was at concerts, took fliers, some turned in. Will be at Thursday as well, March 10th deadline to turn in
 - Music awards, need help? Larry will provide list, work with Kristine for vendor on trophies, date needed by? End of April
 - i. Sr. Slide Show – Andy
 - 5 responses, will send bulk e-mail in one week, adding date of show, found jewel cases – will donate to library, two people who graduated early – include in slide show? NO
 - j. Uniforms (ws/sr;rmb;wg) – Kim/Mike S/Mike N/Jill
 - Collecting hats Friday, any not going to Disney MUST turn in
 - If any uniforms need refitting, contact Kim before Disney
 - 1st batch of uniforms out for cleaning, Aimee will let know when they arrive back
 - k. Website – Mike S
 - Plant sale will be ready by this weekend
6. Vice President of Ways & Means – Kristine Wahlgren
 - a. Membership – Patty/Karin
 - 1 more from last week's concert, 2 year membership
 - \$420 from box office, Beth & Tracy running choir box office, thank you to Bill, Marge, Beth for help
 - Need replacements for position
 - b. Spirit Wear – Kim/Ann
 - Did not attend 8th grade orientation, Was at 2 concerts and will be at Thursday's
 - c. Concert Raffles – Mary –not present
 - Raffle Thursday? Kristine will check with Mary, did really well at concert about \$290
 - d. Plant Sale - Roxi
 - Roxi, Mary and Marge met to finalize catalog
 - Catalog handed out last week, will be there Thursday, extras will be given to directors
 - March 1st to talk about in class, Roxi will e-mail Aimee to remind to put in weekly announcements
 - Sent Beth copy to insert into program



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- Gift cards donated? Will help budget
 - Start orders, cut of is 30th (31st on-line)
 - Kohls Monday April 3rd, by classifying as “health” get an extra \$500 for that month
- e. Restaurant Nights – Frieda
- April 19th at Portillos
 - March 11th fundraiser dinner for musical, tickets at showtix.com
7. Treasurer’s Report – Ann – Motion to approve – Mike Sterling, 2nd Joe Drajin
- All expenses in, need to deposit \$2,000 to add to total. \$20,000 in our account and over \$20,000 in director’s account. Brought in \$6,000 more than we spent this year so far
8. President’s Report – Bill
- Thank you to all volunteers
 - Good turnout at 8th grade student night, Andy created posters, can use at auditions and concerts coming up
 - Approached by Diane Parro about a donation of membership for VVEEF auction (2 year \$50) Motion to approve Patti Arriola, 2nd Charles Worlton
9. Old Business
- Rummage sale: will need 20-30 people to organize, other organizations have raised over \$5,000 the first year and then dwindled after that. Because of Disney this year, we will revisit in Fall and remove from agenda until then. Will need to form a committee to discuss donations, price & sell, where to store, tables, etc...
 - Disney, a lot on the list with not enough money. Aimee not sure of totals, will get in touch and ask for an updated list, Discuss at March meeting purchase of dining cards, approximately 160 students, \$15.00 mentioned
10. New Business
- April meeting conflicts with Disney trip, postpone to 4/18 or move forward to 4/4. Tabled until March meeting
 - Conflict of interest – Another organization was asking us to provide access to our greenhouse. Put Roxi into an uncomfortable situation asking her to provide confidential information that would provide a conflict of interest by running at the same time as our fundraiser
12. Meeting Adjourned at 8:22 p.m.: Motion to approve – Joe Drajin, 2nd Andy Karafotias

Respectfully Submitted

Marge Kaminski

BHS Music Boosters Secretary