



Bolingbrook High School Music Boosters

365 Raider Way, Bolingbrook, IL 60440

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BHS Music Booster Meeting

Tuesday, September 12, 2017 - 7:00 p.m. Choir Room

1. Call to Order at 7:01 p.m.

In attendance: Aimee Rupsis, Bill Spengler, Kristine Wahlgren, Tracy Madura, Ann Lucchesi, Patty Arriola, Kim Sterling, Michael Niedziela, Andy Karafotias, Frieda Karafotias, Voc Walters, Mary Nunez, Beth Gieseler, Joe Drajin, Karri Temple, Kathleen Lamb, Mary Spengler, Mary Pasekel, Mike Sterling, Anne Rybialek, John Harvey, Victoria Racine, Kathy Racine, Charles Worlton, Joelle Pigors

2. Review/Approval of Agenda: Item added to New Business—Photo Options. Motion to approve - Kim Sterling, 2nd Mike Niedziela

3. Secretary's Report Approval of minutes: Motion to approve - Kim Sterling, 2nd Mike Sterling

4. Director's Report:

Marching Band - Aimee Rupsis (for Bob Hanerhoff)

- Mr. Hanerhoff would like to thank everyone that helped during at competition

Band - Aimee Rupsis

- Middle School invitation is next Monday
- Air Grams will be sold--\$3.00 each or 2 for \$5.00
- Mary will prepare air gram form and it will be sent to middle school band directors
- Invitational and air grams will be advertised on Facebook
- IMEA Jazz Festival—November 18th; setup is on November 17th
- For the 18th...1-2 tables will be needed; will get student volunteers; lunch needs to be served
- Flyers for November 16th concert are ready
- Audition information for 18-19 school year will be available in October
- Aimee's website is a work in progress. Aimee will work with Andy to send text message reminders

Choir—Larry Fisher (via email)

- Field trip to see Elf the Musical on December 14th. Tickets are \$35 and include lunch
- Cost for Madrigal Dinner is \$40

5. Vice President of Operations - Kristine Wahlgren

a. Advertising - Karri

- Karri is working with Andy to transition into this position
- She has been added as Facebook site administrator

b. Band Chaperones - Mary Spengler

- Emails go out prior to each event to volunteers with times and additional information
- More volunteers are needed for competitions

c. Band Camp Lunches - Voc Walters

- School board asked for and received clarification on lunch expenses

d. RMB Equipment/Property Support - Joe Drajin/Charles Worlton

- Trailer will be picked up tomorrow
- We will still need to rent one truck

e. Choir Support - Beth Gieseler

- Bella Voce dresses should arrive soon and will need to be hemmed

f. Madrigal Dinner - Sonia Bavaro/Joelle Pigors/Irma Villegas

- Committee needs to meet
- Trailer video will be about 4 minutes long
- Possibly have AV Club or BCTV work on video

g. Photo Historian - Kathleen Lamb

- Video and photos from Stagg competition have been posted
- Over 1,000 photos were taken of the parade
- Asked that everyone that has video share them
- Collages will be created

h. Pins and Patches - Jane Bouhuys



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- No report
 - i. Senior Slide Show - Andy Karafotias
 - Will be discussed under Old Business
 - j. Uniforms (RMB, WS/SR)—Mike Sterling/Kim Sterling/Mike Niedzela/Jill Niedzela/Karina Worlton
 - Lots of alterations were made at Stagg Competition
 - Thank you to all the parents that helped
 - New uniforms for next year will be discussed
 - k. Website - Mike Sterling
 - Site is up to date including an updated President's message
 - Kathleen and Mike will work together to update photos on site
 - Mike is working with Andy to pass him the website for next year
6. Vice President of Ways & Means - Tracy Madura
- a. Membership - Frieda Karafotias/Karen Hallum
 - 105 paid memberships
 - Will send out another link to sign up
 - Membership cards will be available for pickup at upcoming October/November concerts
 - b. Spirit Wear - Kim Sterling
 - Order was placed last week; 3 orders received through website
 - Spirit wear will be sold at invitational and at upcoming concerts
 - c. Concert Raffles - Mary Nunez
 - 50/50 raffle at invitational
 - Promenade Shopping for Students starts in October
 - d. Plant Sale - Mary Spengler
 - Poinsettias will be delivered in time for the December 14th concerts
 - Orders will be due mid-November
 - e. Restaurant Nights - Anne Rybialek
 - September 25th Panda Express 20% to Boosters—2:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.
 - October 17th 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Potbelly's 25% earnings. They will allow a performance by an ensemble.
 - November 21st Home Run Inn 50% earnings
 - March 27th Patio
 - Other restaurant nights will also be scheduled
 - f. Village Concerts—Voc Walters
 - Waiting for check to be issued
 - \$180 earned in tips
 - g. Rummage Sale
 - Tabled until spring
7. Treasurer's Report - Ann Lucchesi - Motion to approve—Joe Drajin, 2nd Charles Worlton
- 5 checks have been received from Kohl's totaling \$2,500
 - \$933 received in spirit wear sales
 - \$2200 deposited for membership
8. President's Report - Bill Spengler
- Thanked all volunteers
 - Show shirts will be purchased and be available for parents to purchase
9. Old Business
- IMEA Jazz Festival was discussed earlier
 - Awards and Senior Slide Show—Bill met with Kiera and discussed our concerns regarding continuing music recognition night/slide show. Pins and patches will be sold through spirit wear. More meetings will be held.
 - Kristine Wahlgren, Mary Nunez, Andy Karafotias, Kim Sterling, and Bill Spengler will meet with Mr. Hanerhoff to discuss further
10. New Business



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- Uniform bags—Bid for 200 bags for the Raider Marching Band is \$3,600. An anonymous donor will cover part of the cost leaving the Boosters to pay \$800 and directors pay \$800—Motion—Charles Worlton; 2nd Tracy Madura. Motion carried.
- Photo options—Suggestions to take section photos and photo of entire band. This will be discussed with Mr. Hanerhoff

11. Meeting Adjourned at 8:27 p.m.: Motion to adjourn—Joe Drajin; 2nd Voc Walters

Respectfully Submitted

Patty Arriola

BHS Music Boosters Secretary