

**Band Boosters
Band Room, Brush High School
October 4, 2011**

Meeting was called to order at 7:00pm.

Minutes (Joan Farmer): Minutes from the September meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report (Michael Curran): Band camp transactions have been completed. There was a \$769 surplus. Check book balance is \$87,793.25 and total operating funds are \$79,380.14. Report filed for audit.

Director (Kaylee Flynt): Facebook page is up and running. Senior night is this Thursday (Oct 6). Senior parents should report at 6:20pm. Seniors should report at 5pm for the group picture. Pre-game will start a little earlier to accommodate the student/parent procession. Music for auditions for concert band placement will be distributed this week.

President (David Frey): Continuing to search for a Treasurer to replace Mike Curran. Revision of Band Boosters Newsletter is still in process.

Website (Alex Heston): The brushband.com domain name is up for auction. Decided there was no need to pursue. There were 550 visits to the website in September and content is up to date.

Chaperones (Scott Karn): Marching band chaperones are set up through the end of the season. Will need chaperones in March for contest and may need chaperones for Legacy if the band is invited to perform.

Fundraising (Ann Brizee): Yankee Candle fundraiser will go home in the next week or two. Orders should be in by October 17. May sell scarves. We have to order 100 @\$13.43 per scarf. We will send a preliminary email to assess interest before placing an order. The mattress fundraiser may be given to the band but they'd like us to include the cheerleaders. We will try to sell leftover umbrellas and stadium chairs at upcoming games.

Old Business:

Spaghetti dinner was discussed. It needs to be mid to late March to have time to put the ensembles together. No progress has been made in having Memorial band perform at a football game. Hopefully that will happen next year.

New Business:

Dave Frey presented an opportunity for the band to work the pancake breakfast at Lyndhurst Home Days next year. The Home Days Committee provides the food, etc and the participating organization gets the proceeds. There is a little overlap with the parade but the group felt parents would step in to fill that gap. There may be an opportunity to work the poker tournament and obtain profits from that.

A band banquet was discussed. Kaylee Flynt would like to make it a little nicer than it has been and bring band members and families together for dinner and awards. Ann Brizee will explore some venue/catering options. Fundraising ideas (silent auction, raffle) in connection with the banquet were discussed, but there was some discussion as to whether they would be considered a form of gambling and thereby prohibited at a student activity.

Meeting Adjourned 8:00pm

Respectfully Submitted,
Joan Farmer