



## **Freedom Band Boosters**

### **June Minutes**

**June 11, 2013**

**In Attendance:** Joel Galway, Trace Jenkins, Susan Bean, Shannon Dingus, Scott Philbin, Carola Fisher, Dana Van Slyke, and Toni Ballard

**Opening:** Shannon Dingus, Booster President, opened the meeting at 7:05 p.m. Mrs. Dingus applauded the crew who helped get all the band uniforms cleaned and back in the uniform room. Also, she thanked Susan Bean for escorting her to the 8<sup>th</sup> grade band concert at the middle school as they informed the audience about the Freedom band program.

**Minutes Approval:** The May Minutes were presented by Toni Ballard; approved by Trace Jenkins and seconded by Susan Bean.

**Treasurer's Report:** Mr. Jenkins presented the May Treasurer's Report. Mr. Jenkins reported that the account is still in debt but with a new system and budget we should be able to revive and move forward in a more positive manner. Questions arose about the Raleigh hotel rebate, transportation fees, transportation budgeting, and outstanding student fees. A budget meeting was held immediately after this meeting for further detailed review.

Shannon Dingus made the motion to approve the report and Susan Bean seconded.

**VP of Operations Report:** Mrs. Susan Bean along with Renu Sahni have tackled the Spiritwear line and the ordering process.

The communication list is in need of updating, and the notebook for Freedom Fest should be finalized this summer during the break.

**VP of Logistics Report:** Mr. Hershel Holiday was absent but had presented a list of items to review including Tag Day preparations, Take Home Folders for the upcoming band season, and noting that EJ Pratt has

accepted the position as Pit Crew Boss. Also, as Dana Van Slyke was present, she reviewed some of the band camp agenda and needs.

**Mr. Galway Report:** Mr. Galway and Mr. Jenkins have been working diligently on a new budget and financial system for the upcoming years.

A follow up budget meeting will be held immediately after this meeting for all those interested.

New band uniforms are being designed for the 2014-15 season.

There is a need to find or donate old / used band department uniforms, props, costumes, formalwear, etc.

**Closing Remarks:** The next meeting will be held in the band room on Monday July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2013 at 7PM

Toni Ballard discussed the ideas for the 2013 band uniform enhancements and will work with Dana Van Slyke on these after the fittings.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 PM.

*Respectfully Submitted by Toni Ballard, Secretary*