

## Band Booster Board Meeting

June 12, 2023

In attendance:

Jeff Kleinsmith

Emily Kleinsmith

Becky Wilhelm

Eric Geiger

Rekha

Michael Henry

Danielle Henry

### **Welcome:**

Jeff:

-Move to make board meetings in person to make them more productive.

-approved

-Agenda Items and additional info from JS.

- Moving forward Booster Scholarship will be given by the President at the Senior Scholarship ceremony unless they are not available. Date for 2024 needed as soon as available.

-Currently the Booster gives out a \$500 Scholarship. Move to increase the amount to \$1000.

-Approved in concept, revisit the availability of funds in January for final approval.

## **Finance:**

Sponsorships: We need a sponsor lead

- Emily has seen about 30 businesses and solicited new and former donors.

- Emily will circle back with the parent who was available for virtual/email solicitations and ask her if she can follow up with businesses already solicited.

- Texas Roadhouse has in kind/food/peanuts

  - Possible sponsor for dinner for judges, directors etc for the Showcase

  - Rekha will contact closer to the event to see "how we can help each other"

  - let's target maybe at least the judges

- Showcase specific food needs:

  - 200 for volunteers/ 200 hospitality

    - possible to do volunteer pizzas if we use Marcos again for the concession stand.

    - Panera needs a six week ahead to do something ....spread for hospitality? If they are part of the Friday night meals.

    - Fosters

- Fundraising

  - Dining Nights?

  - Other fundraising ideas for SOF, WinterGuard, and Drumline

- Money: Can we do some kind of secure payment box for students to bring in cash/check payments for band camp, activities, Friday night dinners, donations, etc.

- Wine Styles "wine pairing" for the adults

  - tickets, etc

## **MISC:**

BandApp

- are we leaning towards going with the App? Yes...with parameters laid out for "rules".

#### Friday Night Dinners:

-Proposed up to \$65/per student.....accepted. Fall 2023 with \$65 per person for 5 Friday night meals.

#### Kickoff the Year Meeting:

-When is the first Booster Board meeting : Sunday July 30

-Parent Meeting Sunday August 6 with JS getting us in

#### Showcase and for the year:

-finalize and identify the “lead” needs and titles

#### Tag Day organizer:

-get maps from Jodi and what we need to do

-need a representative from Chorus, Strings, and Theater in addition to Band to help with at school volunteering and money counting after Sept 9

#### Trailer wrap:

-deposit sent in, copy of sponsor logo sent, waiting on design proposal

-How do we feel about the size of the advertising on the back of the trailer....scale down a bit to accommodate other sponsors as well going forward.

-How do we accommodate revolving/current sponsors

-Proposed....can we say “trailer wrap sponsored by” yes!

-Becky will go back to Dr. Marc with \$5000 gets you the back prominently and saying...sponsored by

#### Spirit Wear:

-Starting early

- Order Form ready for parent meeting on 8/6 , potentially store opening in July.
- Jackets for Freshman ordered in time to be there for the first game.
- adding anything for SOF Guard and SOF Drumline?

Band Camp prep:

- Water donations....can be dropped off at Monday rehearsals

JS request:

- priority – shelves and Stencils
- “shopping” for tubs
- JK and BW will work on response to JS giving the go ahead for shelves and stencils after hearing from Kravitz