

# STREETSBORO BAND BOOSTERS

## SBB 1/14/20 Meeting Minutes

### Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, January 14, 2020

**Location:** Streetsboro High School Band Room

**Attendees:** Vincent Ciulla, Allison Logan, Sheri Gestring, Tony Oslejsek, Sherry Halas, Dawn McColloch, Denise Gentile, Laura Dupree, Stone Dupree and community members

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 by booster president Sheri Gestring, 2nd by Sherry Halas.

**Public Comments:** none

Sheri G. motioned to approve the December 10, 2019 meeting minutes, that were sent out in email by Laura. Sherry Halas provided the first motion and Allison Logan the second, motion carried.

#### **I. Treasurer Report: Dawn McColloch, Assistant Treasurer: Denise Gentile**

<b>Dec. 2019 Income</b>	<b>TOTALS</b>
Deposit - Square Cookie Dough Sales and Winter Concert	59.99
Deposit - Shout Outs, MS polos & band cards	406.50
<b>Income Total</b>	<b>\$ 466.49</b>

<b>Dec. 2019 Expenses</b>	<b>TOTALS</b>
Payments to 5 individuals for sectionals	550.00
Mrs. Logan - OMEA and Frame reimbursement	

132.31

Route 14 Storage Embroidery & More (mugs for marching band concert)	278.96
<b>Expense Total</b>	<b>\$ 961.27</b>

#### **II. Director Report (Vicent Ciulla)**

##### **A. Calendar**

- a. See attached. Corrections and comments see below.
- b. Solo and Ensemble is 3 weeks earlier than last year. Times for Solo and Ensemble will be given after we pay our fee.
- c. Reason for the change on the Festival of Bands is due to us not going to the large group of OMEA. Mr. Ciulla is bringing in clinicians to give them the same experience.
- d. Due to the 6th grade Mohican trip there were some minor changes to concert dates.

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- e. All updates and changes will be made to district calendars and emails will be sent out per Mr. Ciulla.
- B. Solo and Ensemble**
  - a. Due to it being earlier many students have opted out of going.
  - b. Mr. Ciulla confirmed that the booster agreed to help pay for the accompanist with the students pay \$20-\$25 of the \$75 which includes practice time and performance. All other fees will be paid by students.
- C. Festival of Bands (instead of OMEA)**
  - a. Clinicians will be paid \$25 for classroom instruction and hour and \$50 for concert which will include recording and setup like a junicaded event to give the students the experience.
  - b. This will save time and busing for students.
  - c. Save Boosters money costing only around \$200 verses the \$400 that was approved for OMEA large group.
  - d. This will be set up more like a clinic for students prior to the Festival of Bands.
  - e. All approved since this was budgeted.
- D. Uniforms**
  - a. Mr. Ciulla was pleased with the improvement of the concert attire at the last concert. He asked that we consider adding a solid gold tie for the gentleman \$2 a piece and a blue scarf for the ladies \$2.95. Mrs. Logan showed pictures. We would need to buy 35 each and the boosters to buy and maybe later students paid for. This will make the band more unified. Laura mentions ordering enough to give student choices if they want a tie or a scarf. Tony mentioned that this will bring out the Streetsboro colors. All seemed happy and agreed. Mrs. Logan confirmed shipping to be \$5 and shipping to be 2 week turn around. Denise concerned about dye lots. If bought and decided to not use for concert band in the future we could use for Jazz per Mr. Ciulla and Mrs. Logan. We will vote on it at a later meeting.
- E. New Method Book**
  - a. Decided to purchase leather concert folders instead of new method books so the students would look more professional on stage. Will need to purchase 50 -55 at \$12.50 a piece, they will have Streetsboro High School Band printed on them. All approved.

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### F. Pep Band

- a. Schedule sent out.
- b. Reason for requirements from students is to make sure that enough participate so that the band will not have to cancel.
- c. There will be a total of 6 games with each student only having to participate in 3 each. Mr. Ciulla asked for Boosters to pay for pizza for students at halftime. This will total \$250-\$275 total. We have left over pop from concessions.
- d. Should be fun for students.
- e. Sheri G. motioned, Sherry H. approved and Dawn 2nd. All approved.

### G. Disney

- a. Performance day is March 22, 2020 Magic Kingdom.
- b. Last payment due Feb. 1, 2020.
- c. Rooming list finalized.
- d. Students to sign for buses next week.
- e. The T-shirt contest extended to the end of the week. Teachers will have the next week to vote and the winner will be announced that Friday.
- f. Students pay \$5 for their t-shirts and the boosters will cover the rest. If parents would like it would be \$15.
- g. The next meeting will be followed by a Pre-departure meeting that will include many different things involved in the trip.
- h. 56 students and 10 Chaperones. The chaperones will be announced at the meeting. Staff and 4-5 parents.
- i. Chaperone meeting will be set up later.
- j. **Goal of \$20,000 was met. We actually raised \$20,010.65. Each student will receive a discount of \$357.33 off the original cost of the trip making the final cost bein \$900.67 each. Mr. Ciulla was very thankful to everyone and appreciative for all the efforts by the band boosters.**

### III. Assistant Director Report (Allison Logan)

- A. Mrs. Logan was happy to announce that her High School Director and her college professors were going to be able to come and instructed students prior to the Festival of Bands. She gave credentials for them. This will be helpful to all students.

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- B. New Era Fundraisers
  - a. Meeting with them tomorrow.

### **IV. President Report: (President Sheri Gestring)**

- A. January 24 at 5pm to organize the storage room and set up shelves. Sheri G. to get bends and supplies. T-shirts to be put on sign up genius and use cheddar up. Mrs. Logan confirmed that we could put individual items on.
- B. Scholarship Committee for Feb.
  - a. 5 volunteers no board members: Stone Dupree, Mike Halas, Renea Gigax, Mr. Ciulla to check with his wife and Mrs. Logan to check with her mom. Sheri G. will need emails to be able to send out information.
- C. T-shirt winner to get a \$50 Disney gift card and free t-shirt. All approved.
- D. Sheri G. will be meeting with Superintendent Mike Daulbaugh on Friday about all things discussed in prior meetings. Mr. Ciulla asked Sheri to mention how much we fundraised and how much we raised. She ask for Mr. Ciulla to email his request to her that he would like mentioned during the meeting.

### **V. Vice Presidents Report: (VP1 Sherry Halas, VP 2 Tony Oslejsek)**

- A. Sherry Halas thanked everyone for helping out at Applebee's. The manager was very pleased at how the event went and offered anytime we would like to have another pancake breakfast just to let him know. They enjoyed the kids and Sherry H. and Mr. Ciulla bragged on all the hard work of the students. Sherry H. confirmed that raised \$1352 (\$984 from ticket sales, \$195 from raffle baskets, and \$173 from 50/50. Laura to send thank you note. Laura also suggest a picture for the wall at Applebee's and Mr. Ciulla said we could take one at Disney World. Thank you card to be sent now and then photo to be sent afterwards as a thank you to all donors. Mrs. Logan said she spoke to Mrs. Hepburn suggested that we could have a recognition night. We all agreed that we need to publicly recognize all major donors.

### **VI. Secretary Report : (Laura Dupree)**

- A. Thank you notes sent out.

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- B. Everyone liked the idea of agenda being sent out early to allow more time for filling out and make notes during the month.

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### VII. Auxiliary Director Report - None

### VIII. Committee Reports

#### A. Chaperone(vacant):

#### B. Concessions (Sheri Gestring, Chair)

#### C. Website/Social Media(Stone Dupree, Chair):

- a. Stone added a countdown to Disney on the website.
- b. Mr. Ciulla and Stone had a meeting to talk about adding a twitter account for photos. Questions back and forth. Mrs. Logan suggested a google photo and only shared the link to parents through an email. Pictures to be sent to Stone and then he shares on google photo drive. Laura ask for a response be gotten from Mr. Hogue to confirm that all students can be photographed giving us proof and permission. Mrs. Logan will take care of that.
- c. Both FB sites have not been posted on in a year. Mr. Ciullia confirmed. We have no access to the pages.
- d. Denise confirmed that we will be doing a google drive and Mrs. Logan agreed to set it up.

#### D. 50/50(vacant)

#### E. Fundraising (Sarah Noland, Chair) Sarah not here tonight

#### F. Uniforms

- a. To organize at a later time and have students try on uniforms and resize hats before the end of Feb. at night. Mrs. Logan suggested we also suggested taking a few extras for the trip.
- b. Banner to go on a trip. Mr. Ciulla working on.

#### G. Open Chair positions:

- a. Chaperone Chair
- b. 50/50 Chair/Co-Chair
- c. Uniform Chair/Co-Chair
- d. Fundraising Co-Chair
- e. Website/Social Media Co-Chair

#### H. Scholarship Committee:

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- a. Discussed earlier in the meeting. Sheri G. is waiting to hear from Mr. Huber before setting the final deadline.

**Old Business** - None

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**Public Comments** - None

### **Additional Comments and Announcements**

January 14, 2020 @ 6:00 at Streetsboro High School will be an Executive meeting with Predeparture meeting at 7pm with refreshments.

### **Adjournment**

Sheri G. motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:11 pm, with Sherry H. and Mr. Ciulla gave the second.

Minutes Prepared By:

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Laura Dupree, Secretary

Minutes Approved By:

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Sheri Gestring, President

OR

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Sherry Halas, VP 1

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Tony Oslejsek, VP 2

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**\*Attachment from Mr. Ciulla**



## SCS Bands EVENTS CALENDAR

- **Defer 5th Grade Band "Demo Concert"**
  - Thursday, February 6th 7pm @ Defer
- **OMEA HS Solo & Ensemble**
  - Saturday, January 25th @ Firestone HS
- **SCS "Festival of Bands"**
  - Wednesday, March 4th 7pm @ SHS Aud      **\*\*Changed\*\***
- **MARCHING ROCKETS DISNEY TRIP** 🐭
  - Friday, March 20th - Wednesday, March 25th
- **OMEA JH Solo & Ensemble**
  - Saturday, April 18th @ Stanton MS
- **Spaghetti Dinner - 2nd Annual Jazz Night Fundraiser**
  - Saturday, May 2nd @ TBD
- **SHS Spring Band Concert**
  - Thursday, May 7th 7pm @ SHS      **\*\*Changed\*\***
- **Defer/SMS Spring Band Concert**
  - Tuesday, May 19th 7pm @ SHS      **\*\*SMS Bands Joined\*\***
- **Memorial Day Parade**
  - Tentative: Sunday, May 24th
- **SHS Commencement**
  - Tuesday, May 26th @ Akron Civic Theater