

Marysville High School Band Boosters

September 24, 2009

MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was called to order by President Cathy Sayre at 7:07 PM.

Secretary's Report:

- Minutes from the August meeting were presented. Kimber Saunders made a motion to approve the minutes. Brian Dillahunt seconded. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report

- Treasurer's report was presented. Brad Conley made a motion to approve the report. Kimber Saunders seconded. Motion passed.

Directors' Report

- Bill Thissen and Robb Hildreth discussed the band's finish at the Sept. 19 contest in Lancaster. The band finished second out of fourteen bands with a Superior (I) rating which qualifies us for state finals. We won the award for best percussion, were second in music and third in marching.
- The OSU Invitational is coming up on October 3. Directors will send home a detailed schedule with students. We will be able to stay and see the OSU band perform at the end of the contest this year.
- The directors have requested to have MHS scheduled for the November 6 or 7 state finals in Dublin. The schedule will be finalized in mid-October.
- There is a payment due for the Chicago trip on October 1.

Old Business

- Uniforms – No Report
- Festifair – Thanks to all the parents who worked. Revenue for the event was approximately \$300.
- Kroger Community Rewards – Kroger paid out 4% in Community Rewards in August. 77 Kids from the band are participating. The check from Kroger totaled \$3083.18, an average of about \$40 per participating student.
- Nationwide Fundraiser – No report. Barb Ridenour suggested that parents should go to training even if they don't know if they'll be able to volunteer because Nationwide pays each participant \$20 for attending training.

- Marketday – Revenue from Marketday was \$217 in September. Tammy Cox has permission from Kathy McKinnis to include the 7th and 8th grade band members in Marketday sales. Middle school orders will be picked up at the HS during regular pickup days.
- Chicago Trip – No additional information.
- New Business
 - Upcoming Fundraisers – Cathy Sayre reported on the upcoming holiday greenery sale. Sale timing was discussed and the directors agreed to have the sale start in mid-October for delivery in November. Cathy needs help with fundraisers and is looking for volunteers.
 - Student Pick-up – Congestion in the area outside the band room after games and contests was discussed. The lack of lighting and amount of traffic create a safety problem when unloading busses and trailers. The directors will talk to the administration about options. If approved, we will move student pick up to door “H”. Boosters will help with directing traffic and ensuring students exit safely.
 - Pay to Play Fees – A motion was made by Brad Conley to pay student “pay to play” fees out of their band accounts for the 2010-2011 school year. Barb Ridenour seconded. The motion passed.
 - Other – The directors mentioned that it would be nice to have a new field commander platform for next year to replace the scaffolding. The cost is approximately \$2,000. More specifics will be discussed at meetings later in the year.
- Meeting Adjourned at 7:58 PM