

Gulf Breeze High School Band Boosters Meeting

September 19, 2017

Meeting was called to order at 6:36 pm.

Present: Scott Stonebraker, Lorrie Adkins, Dan Hecht, "T" Dykes, Amy Woodcock, Theresa Moore, Heather Cady-Bragg, Doug Scott, Barb Scott, Keith Whelan, Zach Dykes, Lisa Buchanan, Kelly Bleiler, Aaron Saso, Wendy Hoeflich, John Parker

Minutes: Kelly Bleiler moved to accept the minutes; Lorri Adkins seconded. Motion passed.

President report: Scott Stonebraker welcomed everyone to the meeting. He reported that the OSO is close to being approved.

Band Director report: Mr. Dykes reported that the 3rd song was set. The band is working on getting it cleaned up and looking better. At this week's game, look for the 3rd song and drill. At the Milton competition, the band is scheduled to play at 8:30pm. Homecoming weekend rehearsal may be cancelled or shortened. The latest the band will practice is 4pm.

Treasurer Report: Wendy Hoeflich reported that we have about \$38,100.85 in operating income. The financials are available to view and any other questions will be taken at the end of the meeting. Of the \$60,000+ budget, we have received %50 already.

Committee Reports:

Communications: It was reported that you can see Twitter and Facebook for skits videos.

Hospitality: Concessions will absorb Hospitality, per Heather Cady-Bragg.

Grants: It was reported that we should know about the Will Do grant on November 5th. Walmart gave us a smaller amount than last year. We are still trying Publix and other avenues.

Transportation: It was reported that no services are due on the truck now other than a truck-washing. It will be pressure washed at a home this week. Need to install an LED light under the platform that works with interior lights. Both trailers are in working order. The yellow trailer, owned by the county, needs repainting. The gator needs fuel. New wheels have been placed on the medium and small podiums. Transportation needs more help to place the podiums at the half-time show.

Concessions: It was reported that credit cards are accepted at the games. Coke products include fountain drinks and cans. The iPads allow us to track our sales for both cash and credit sales. The goal is to cook and serve faster to increase profits.

March-A-Thon: Doug Scott reported that the March-A-Thon has been rescheduled due to Hurricane Irma to September 23rd. Forecast calls for afternoon thunderstorms, but the morning should be dry. Total collected so far is \$7827.50 from 30 students! Doug expects to be closer to the goal as more students turn in collections. We have the opportunity to advertise more with the students. The reschedule has been positive for the fundraising; it gives us a few more weeks. MAT kicks off at 10am. Mr. Dykes will give the students their call time. Parent volunteers are asked to come at 9am. There will be food at the end of the parade. There are 7 lawn concerts scheduled.

Fundraising: See other reports.

Uniforms: The new uniforms look great, but the feathers are the wrong color and will be exchanged.

Volunteers: Dan Hecht reported that there has been a strong response to volunteer requests and strong attendance as well and he thanks those who have helped. There are open volunteer slots to help with the JROTC concessions on October 12st and the Navarre Home game on October 27th. Kelly Bleiler will be the head chaperone. The JROTC is an all-day event. They will pre-order burgers before the event or that morning.

Old Business: The by-laws were presented with the changes to be made. Some are wording changes. The Audit Committee responsibilities were re-done. Article XI was re-written with wording about fees deleted. Some changes were mandated by the school district. All by-laws will be posted to the website.

Keith Whelan moved to accept all changes to the by-laws. Doug Scott seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

New Business/Announcements: None

The next general meeting will be October 10, 2017 at 6:30 pm.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 7:32 pm.

Minutes taken by Amy Woodcock. Respectfully transcribed and submitted by Grace Hofius.