

SONORA BAND BOOSTERS MEETING MINUTES

FROM January 7, 2015

Call to order:

- President Rivers called the meeting to order at 6:05 pm.

Minutes:

- It was moved, seconded and voted to approve the minutes.

New Business:

- Cookie Dough Fundraiser for the month of November
- Winter Concert and Bake Sale Fundraiser

President's Report:

- Welcome parents to our monthly Band Boosters meeting!
- Happy New Year to the Band Booster Club! I would like to thank all of our Raider Regiment family for a very successful Winter Concert and bake sale. Once again, our Raider Regiment and Band Booster Club did a great job in donating and volunteering their time, allowing us to have a successful fundraiser, and to prepare for future invoices for the buses and the upcoming Concert Season. I am hoping again for another successful semester!
- With the parades coming to an end, the FJUHSD has been sending our organization invoices for the bus use and transportation. I am anticipating these invoices will total around \$3000.00, so I would like to start another fundraiser to prepare us for paying these invoices. I was thinking of using See's Candies for this fundraiser, for Valentine's Day is approaching. More info to come shortly when I have finished all of the research for this fundraiser.
- We are working on some tentative dates of return for our Blue Marching Uniforms. Once we have this information, it will be emailed and copies will be sent home with our students.
- Our Band and Color Guard website is being updated frequently; for more information please visit www.sonorahighband.com and I will continue to send reminders via email as needed for our upcoming events. Please let me know if you would like to be added to the contact list to receive these email messages.

Treasurer's Report:

- We have made three deposits this month. All of our outstanding invoices have been paid, including all purchases made on Mike Rivers Credit Card, instrument repairs, and GLSC fundraiser. We will now need to prepare to pay for the outstanding bus invoices (four total) from the FJUHSD.

Director's Report:

- Tomorrow is photo day. Students will need their instruments if they are getting individual pictures. No special prepping needed for pictures. Photos will be taken during 0 period. Please have students bring their white marching shoes.
- Our first basketball game is next week. Call time is 5:30, and please bring instrument and band shirt. We play at both boys and girls games. Girls start at 6:00, and boys start at 7:00. Games are over at 9:15 pm. Students are encouraged to complete homework while in the stands. The games are posted on the website calendar section.
- January 19th is no school.
- Early release on January 21st.
- Last night was open house. Thank you for coming.
- All students need to audition for me. Students need to prepare a piece and perform scales and rhythm. They are scored on the scale of 100, and this will place the students in the correct chair. They will start next Friday, and continue through the week. Please encourage your student to

practice their audition music. If more info is needed, please don't hesitate to contact me to verify their students' appointment.

- Our musical this year is the Music Man. Mr. Papageorge is retiring this year, so this will be his last musical. It is not mandatory, but we need help. Dates are 2/26, 2/27, 3/4, 3/5, and 3/6.
- CSUF will be on March 6th or the 7th. This will happen at CSUF.
- SBSC Festival will be on April 1st. at Excelsior HS. Admission is free for both.

Officer's Report:

- **Vice-President:** Senior Banquet to take place this coming May 22nd, 2015.
- **Secretary:** Thank you to all parents attending our meeting tonight. Your support is appreciated!
- **Uniform Coordinator:** Blue Uniforms will need to be returned very soon. Instructions for the return of the Blue Uniforms to be discussed at December's meeting.
- **Fundraising:** Our normal fundraisers will be starting soon. We will be hosting a fundraiser with See's Candies very shortly. Our fundraisers help support the band and color guard with costs associated with parades, entry fees, uniforms, band supplies, etc. Since the band boosters club is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit corporation, all donations made through the suggested band "fair share" semester programs are tax deductible.

Next meeting:

- February 3rd at 6:00 pm.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:40 pm.