

# **SONORA BAND BOOSTERS MEETING MINUTES**

## **FROM April 1, 2014**

### **Call to order:**

President Rivers called the meeting to order at 6:15 pm.

### **Minutes:**

Brief review of the key points of last month's meeting, read by President Rivers.

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

### **President's Report:**

Welcome to our monthly Band Boosters meeting! I hope everyone had a great Spring Break holiday! It has been another quiet month for the band booster organization with only a few activities occurring for the band and color guard.

Our Popcorn Fundraiser was a success! We sold \$1506.00 worth of the popcorn, with a profit of \$753.00 for the band. Ava Rivers, Daisy Murillo, and Caroline Hartt were our top sellers!

Our Band and Color Guard website is continually updating to keep up with the ever changing SCRIP Fundraising Program. SCRIP, or substitute money, is a fundraising program that we all can use year round for many daily purchases. We have been discussing about making this a "monthly" fundraiser, which would allow our Raider Regiment families to order and purchase SCRIP cards by the middle of each month. Then the cards should arrive towards the end of the month, and if more cards were needed, we could order more for the next month! Please visit our SOHS Band website at [www.sonorahighband.com/fundraising](http://www.sonorahighband.com/fundraising) to view and download the forms needed for the SCRIP Program. I can also continue to create and send home an information packet regarding the SCRIP program for your review, and future purchases for your family and friends!

### **Treasurer's Report:**

Still waiting for the bus invoices to arrive from the district. There are approximately six invoices outstanding with the district. Our account looks good as of the moment, but when the invoices arrive, we will have a much lower amount in the band account. All of our outstanding balances have been paid, including all of the cookie fees and instrument repairs made last month.

### **Director's Report:**

I hope everybody had a great holiday week!

Band Pictures will be taken shortly.

Early release tomorrow. Sixth period will be over at 1:03 pm.

Next two Mondays there will be no school because of the President's Birthdays.

S. Mark Taper foundation grant was turned in, and accepted. We are now awaiting for a response from the foundation, which could take up to 8 to 9 months. We asked for \$61,500.00 to overhaul, repair, and purchase instruments, new storage shelves in the storage room for our instruments, a new set of chimes, tympani, stands for music books, a new banner for our marching band, and purchase a trailer and have it outfitted for the Sonora Raider Regiment.

April 12<sup>th</sup> is the Citrus Fair. We may be participating in this event. I should have more info soon.

April 18<sup>th</sup> is Good Friday. No school scheduled today.

The Drill Show will be occurring on April 24 through the 25<sup>th</sup>.

On April 27<sup>th</sup> there will be a rehearsal for the European Trip in San Diego, from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

I will have to check into fines for students who have not turned in their Blue Uniforms yet.

Next month will be a busy month! May 6<sup>th</sup> will be our monthly meeting; May 7<sup>th</sup> will be our Spring Concert; May 9<sup>th</sup> will be our Banquet; and possibly the Cow Chip Bingo will be on the 10<sup>th</sup>.

### **Officer's Report:**

**Vice-President:** May 9<sup>th</sup> for the Band Banquet. We will have to meet with the seniors for their presentation at the banquet.

**Secretary:**

**Uniform Coordinator:** Discussion regarding the necessity of dry cleaning the white uniforms.

**Fundraising:** Cow Chip Bingo and Spring Concert for the month of May.

**New business:** Discussion of purchasing new uniforms for the band students.

**Old business:** None reported.

**Next meeting:**

May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at our proposed new start time of 6:00 pm.

**Meeting was adjourned at 6:55 pm.**