

Munford Band Booster Meeting

The Munford High School Band Boosters met on Monday, October 5, 2015 in the Munford High School Band Room. President Pam Ethridge brought the meeting to order at 7:07 p.m. all executive officers present. Mr. Trobaugh was in attendance.

Standing Reports:

55 Voting members
14 Non-voting members

Secretary's Report: Secretary read September minutes due to them not available for review on the Munford Band website. Jamie Edmonson made the motion to accept the September minutes with corrections and post on the Munford Band website. The motion was second by Mary Frantz. All were in favor, none opposed. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: Presented by Stephanie Swope and was available on the back of the agenda.

Question: What is the total value of merchandise?

Answer: We can provide the total amount of merchandise on hand if needed.

Question: Do we have invoice/invoices totaling the amount stated that was needed for Macy's?

Answer: No, the final amount cannot be determined until the end of the trip.

Question: How many meals are going to be provided on the bus ride?

Answer: There will be 3 meals there and 3 meals on our way back, totaling 6 meals.

Question: What is the Alumni donation?

Answer: Merchandise is still being sold, no final numbers at this moment.

A motion to accept the Treasurer's report with corrections/changes done was made by Brent Barr. Motion was second by Xan Landsittel. All were in favor, none opposed. Motion passed.

Pam emphasized to have your membership card available during voting, if paid and not receive card, please see Ben or send email to sponsors@munfordband.com.

Old Business:

Alumni March- (Maret not present)
Event had a great turnout!!

Celebrate Munford-

Event took place on Sept. 19th. Although attendance was low we still had success in Concessions and Spirit item sales.

FORD Drive also was a success; we made it to the maximum amount. Tina said "Thank you everyone for all the help".

Competition schedule is on the website, if you should have any questions please contact the Executive Board at executiveboard@munfordband.com.

REMINDER:

NO PARENTS ARE ALLOWED AROUND THE BUSES DUE TO SECURITY AND SAFETY REASONS; UNLESS YOU ARE CHAPERONING.

NEW BUISNESS-

Temperatures are changing please have your child dress accordingly and be prepared. Macy's is requiring thermal underwear due to all the outside activities scheduled, thermals have to be all white with no lettering. Pajamas are not allowed on the buses or off.

Concessions gets really busy during half time, please make an effort to come and help/volunteer. If you have any questions regarding volunteering for concessions contact Amy or Lora at concessions@munfordband.com.

Fundraising –

Jodie was not present, and Pam spoke on her behalf, the following information on fundraisers:

Bake Sale- Next event set for 31st of October, at the new Fastimes on Hwy 51. Please help by baking some goodies and donating them. Spirit items will also be there.

Fruit Sales- Start October 26 and runs until November 16th.

Question: Is this the same company from previous events?

Answer: Yes, we give you the opportunity to check the product before taking it, that way we can swap.

Question: What is the delivery date?

Answer: We do not have that yet, as soon as we know the information will be posted.

Commercial Appeal- Still going throughout the year.

Yard Signs- Orders were received and picked up.

City Savors –Went really well sold 788 books total.

If you have any questions regarding fundraiser's contact Jodie at fundraising@munfordband.com

Fall Mini Band Camp will be on Friday, Oct. 16. Pictures will be taking place that morning, picture packages will be sent home this week. Students need to be fully dressed at 0700 ready to get started. Volunteers will be needed.

Question: Are students taking uniforms home?When?

Answer: Yes, uniforms will go home after West Memphis competition to get them clean.

Ideal Cleaners and Millington Cleaners are highly recommended for uniform cleaning.

Hydration will run through mini band camp, help will be needed.

Mr. Trobaugh asked the following:

Do we want to feed the kids? Concessions chair, Amy, responded they were going to feed them the following, 2 slices of pizza, one drink and a dessert for \$5.

Question: Can the students leave campus?

Answer: by Mr. Trobaugh: No they will not be allowed to leave campus.

Question: Do you know if we made profit the last time we did this?

Answer: by Amy: A profit of 34% gross profit was made.

Linda Norman made a motion to charge \$5 a student for lunch on the day of fall mini band camp. Motion was second by Xan Landsittel. All were in favor, with none opposed. Motion passed.

Senior Night will be on October 30th. Seniors will be in full uniform NLT 6:30 Volunteers will be needed due to senior parents will be on the field with their senior. We encourage Freshman parents to join the concessions and the spirit items table to help.

Pink shirts in support of Breast Cancer will be available the 13th and 14th. Jason and Sandra will be at the school parking lot with sales.

Veteran's Day Parade will take place on Nov. 11th. Tina will be reserving the park with the gazebo and lunch will be provided.

Valerie Pennington relayed Haddad's is offering a tuxedo rental special for Munford Band, fitting need to be NLT than Oct 24th and they are open until 6:30pm. For more details stop or contact Haddad's.

Question: How much are the totes being made from the old uniforms?

Answer: Price is \$30, for further inquiries please contact fundraising@munfordband.com.

Question: Some local businesses have not been contacted in regards to Macy's donations/sponsorship?

Answer: The Macy's committee has been very active contacting everyone, if you know of anybody that has not been contacted sent an email to the executiveboard@munfordband.com.

Question: Do we know what the kids will need for Macy's?

Answer: by Mr. Trobaugh: I will have a list for the students.

Ms. Lucianne Schoffner will have the Songbooks done again this year, to be distributed during the Christmas parade. There are ad spaces available for sale in the Songbooks for personal messages. If you are interested or need more information you can contact Ms. Lucianne Schoffner @ 901-840-4800.

Directors Remarks:

Mr. Trobaugh stated the following:

I speak for Mr. Fite, Doug and the rest of our instructional staff; we are very happy on our progress and had a great rehearsal. The show will certainly be spectacular once we get all our moving parts together.

It's that time of year that is not nice to our asthma sufferers please ensure they have their inhalers on them because that could set us back if they are left at home and need to go get it. Also, I know it's not hot but you can still get dehydrated, so please remind the kids to continue to drink water.

Friday night we will meet at our usual time 5:30, Saturday 8am rehearsal and we perform at 1pm. We will be back home at the latest 4pm.

We are off all week and on Friday we will have our minicamp. I would like to do the hope line up again. I saw Joe Burch from Channel 5 requested to contact them if you were raising funds for Breast Cancer, if someone can contact them that would be great. I don't have dates or times for the South Gibson event as soon as I have them I will let everyone know. Please come follow the BIG RED NATION we need your support.

Mr. Trobaugh read a certificate with the SEAL OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE where Governor Bill Haslam congratulates the Munford High School Band for their taking part in the New York Macy's parade and representing the State of Tennessee.

Question: What time is Mini Band Camp over?

Answer: No set time, but around 4 or 4:30.

Question: What time does West Memphis start?

Answer: Starts at 10am.

Question: Are we having under the lights this year?

Answer: No, have asked but have been shut down.

Question: Will be the kids be in costumes on the 30th?

Answer: Depending on the weather; TBD

Question: Are noise makers or signs allowed during competitions?

Answer: My request is to simply applaud.

“I need you to applaud loudly close to the ending of the show; there is an “M” form.”

Question: Will Applebee’s be open after Bandmasters?

Answer: Not sure on that, can someone please check on that. Executive board will look into this information.

Additional remarks from Mr. Trobaugh:

Please don’t get between the trucks and buses when traveling to competitions.

We should have the itinerary 30 days before Macy’s and will be provided to Macy’s Friends and Family.

We do know that the Central Park event will be on Tuesday morning.

Next Meeting -

Will be taking place on November 09, 2015 @7:00pm at Munford High School

Motion to Adjourn-

Motion to adjourn was made by Scott Libby. Motion was 2nd by Mary Frantz.

No further discussion. All were in favor, none opposed. Motion passed @ 8:48pm.