



OE BAND BOOSTER MEETING MINUTES

Submitted for approval by: Kim Van Dyke

DATE: Tuesday, February 5, 2019

TIME: 7pm

LOCATION: Olathe East Band Room

PRE-MEETING ACTIVITIES

No pre-activities. 7 parents were in attendance

BAND BOOSTER AGENDA TOPICS

Meeting Minutes-

- January 2019 Booster Meeting Minutes Approved

NEW BUSINESS-

- Boosters are gearing up for BBQ 2019- Requesting two new co-chairs to shadow this time to take over after 2019 season
- In March- the Executive Board will be planning budget and recruiting new board members, chairs and co-chairs
- April Band Booster meeting will be important for new marchers. Mr. Smikahl will be meeting with incoming sophomores as potential marchers
- Planning for August Lincoln Test Drive and firming up dates
- Bingo was successful and big ticketed item of the TV help to improve sales. Band parents will need to start looking for big ticket items for February 2020 Bingo

TREASURER'S REPORT

- Bingo results- best ever! The Bingo numbers are included - Total Bingo income is \$9,005 - up from \$7,940 last year! In addition to this, we also brought in another \$250+ of extra 'donations' that day. which was considered as donations and not in the totals for Bingo. The biggest gain this year was in RAFFLE ticket sales with a breakdown as follows:
 - Ticket sales = \$7740 (\$7380 last year)
 - Raffle tix = \$1015 (\$340 last year)
 - Extra packs = \$250 (\$220 last year)

MUSIC DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Mr. Smikahl provided the Music Director Report and had the following comments on current topics.

- Big news! OE and ONW will be hosting the Olathe Marching Band Festival in the fall of 2019! It was expected that the event would not be until 2020 so there is a lot of work to be done. What we know:
 - Olathe schools will switch off with hosting/performing every other year. OE will host in 2019 and perform in 2020
 - OE will need to have a Boosters to fill positions- Chair, Co-Chairs, and Web Master for this important event. An email will be sent out soon.
- Area Olathe Band Festival is Tuesday, February 12- parents are asked to stay and stack chairs after the event



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- Jazz Band is going to the KU Jazz Band event on March 1st, Mr. Smikahl is very excited for OE to show their talent.

OLD BUSINESS (Items still outstanding that remain from past meetings)

- Final Survival Kits Sales- how to improve and promote
- Webmaster is needed for upcoming band season
- Possible that arrangements will be made with Hen House for sacking. Students to earn funds in their band accounts
- Savers donations final drop off is tomorrow, February 6th.

BOOSTER FUNDRAISING EVENTS

If you have any ideas for fundraisers please contact a Booster member or email oebsbandboosters@gmail.com.

Happening now- Spring Final Survival Kits are gearing up for sales

Coming soon- Chipotle Restaurant Night (February)

Possible that arrangements will be made with Hen House for sacking. Students to earn funds in their band accounts

CURRENT VOLUNTEER SIGNUP OPPORTUNITIES

- Audio/Visual Volunteers

Mr. Smikahl will be sending a links in emails and these are also posted on oeband.com members only section.
Password Hawks

UPCOMING EVENTS UNTIL NEXT BOOSTER MEETING

2/12-1/19 - JOE Area Band Concert

2/26-3/2 - Pep Band Potential Sub-State Basketball Games

3/5- Executive Board Meeting

3/7-3/9 - Pep Band Potential State Basketball Games

NEXT BAND BOOSTER MEETING

April 2- Olathe East Band Room 7pm



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Meeting adjourned at 7:45pm

POST-MEETING ACTIVITIES

None