

IHS Music Boosters Meeting

Attendees: Teri & Ken Kula, Anna Sarley, Marcia & Jerry Abbadini, Patti Gabb, Matt & Alexis Schatt, Rhonee Iula, Don & Cathy Krolkowski, Julie & Dave Scotton, Teresa & Ed Stawicki, Elizabeth & Michael Jaszczak, Bob & Judy Ciulla

Meeting called to order at ~8:25. This was an informal meeting combined with potluck dinner at the Jaszczak's residence. Thanks to Elizabeth & Michael!

Next meeting is being held on JULY 22 at Krolkowski residence at 7pm. Address is 6408 Hillside Rd - parking on the lawn is ok - otherwise park on Dora or Vineyard Ave. This will be another informal meeting to prepare for the 2009-10 school year.

OLD BUSINESS:

- No formal Treasurer report - funds are within \$500 of last report.
- Flyer for Music Booster membership was distributed at 6/9 band meeting
- Continue the solicitation of Booster membership at Band camp parents night.
- Tiered level of Music Booster membership needs to be discussed and finalized. Everyone is supportive of the concept- more to follow.
- Elizabeth mentioned that several years ago she sent a letter to band parents explaining the details of band camp along with Music Boosters functions. All agreed it would be great to do this before July camp.
- Ask parents to provide email and promise to never share with anyone. All must honor this custom - no contact other than related to Band/Vocal.
- Volunteers to solicit at band camp - Cathy, Don, Patti and Teri -distribute forms.
- Need to sell Gunner Tshirts - all ideas welcome.
 - Home Days - sell at band booths. It was suggested to tie dye some to fit the 70's disco theme. Hang shirts on clothesline?

NEW BUSINESS:

- Music Booster booth at Home Days - organized by Julie
 - Walking Taco, Shaved Ice
 - \$100 for booth; Shaved Ice sold for \$3 w/\$1.50 profit. Professional vendor provides machine gets half of profit. Julie will provide cash box & staff volunteers.
- Band has 2 booths - Water on east side and Pop/Water on West side. Note - streamline pop offerings - too many to manage last year. Drug Mart provides pop at low price.
 - Don requests young men from band to help with pick up. Jeff Janka and Don have done last 2-3 years and it is a lot of heavy lifting. With the week between band camp & Home Days - the band kids could help.
- Also doing wristbands again. Need 1 parent and 2 kids per booth (2 each). 25% to band and 75% to "bank" for Florida trip. Juniors will be first offered slots.
- JULY 3rd - Music Boosters has done hamburgers/Hot Dogs - responsibility of band VP (Krolkowski).
 - Don has been working with Nancy Joyce to transfer procedures from previous years

- Patti has been working to line up volunteers
- Dave warned that the Health Inspector may visit. Issue with cutting lettuce, tomatoes, onions at home - needs to be done at certified kitchen (Civic Center).
- Sales 7-10pm but will start cooking a little earlier
 - Note - all non-profit groups this year
- July 9th - Community Concert
 - Bakery and water
(in the past coffee but not worth the effort so not this year)
 - Patti is lining up servers and bakers already
 - Need 4 people to serve and collect money
- Mission Statement for Music Boosters
 - Will be decided at next meeting.
 - Request the new vocal teacher attend. Ask Matt to extend invitation on behalf of Boosters.
- Open House- Wed evening so band is practicing. Need Music Booster parents to staff band room 7:30-9.
- Start parent ambassador program for new incoming band students (8th & 9th grade). Everyone at meeting except Anna is band parent and willing to participate as an ambassador. Elizabeth will put an offer in the July mailing that this program is available and “matches” will be made at the 7/22 meeting or prior to band camp.
- Music Booster tiered support discussed. Everyone like the format proposed by Matt but would like to add a \$5 individual level. It is noted that there are some teachers and alumni that support at this level. Need another catchy title for this level - “supporting cast” and “silent note” were thrown out. Other ideas welcome and will confirm at 7/22 meeting.
- Propose new logo for Music Boosters. Michael presented some concepts based on other Booster and alumni groups to be consistent in style. Other ideas welcome and will be decided at 7/22 meeting.
- Should Boosters sponsor city bus for parents to attend long distance away games
 - Fairport Harbor 10/2
 - Streetsboro 8/28
 - Need to move quickly and solicit sign ups at band camp
 - Include dinner from Quiznos before at IHS cafeteria
 - Put in band camp mailing
 - Put in packet sent from school

Meeting adjourned due to lack of daylight to continue!

Please put 7/22 on your calendar

Meetings for 2009-2010 school year to continue following PTO - IHS Media Center at 7:30 on the last Wed of every month