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IHS Music Boosters Meeting
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Attendees: Marcia Abbadini, Cathy & Don Krolikowski, Glenn Bierman, Nancy Flynn, Anna Sarley, Julie & Dave Scotton, Teresa & Ed Stawicki, Teri Kula, Elizabeth & Michael Jaszczak, Meghan Campbell, Eileen MacDowell

Meeting called to order at 8:18. The agenda was distributed & is posted on website.

Meeting minutes from May were emailed to attendees and hard copies available. Anna motioned to approve; Don seconded; All approved.

- Treasurer's Report – Report distributed. (Teresa)
 - Teresa is in the process of preparing a summary report
 - Teresa is changing bank paperwork over to Kathy Jones as treasurer

- Correspondence –
 - Thank you note received from Ray Germann (\$50 & shirt)
 - Thanks to Teresa for getting gift card & to Eileen for delivering
 - If anyone would like to send cards
 - Jason Koeth's mother passed away
 - Sean Dolansky had jaw surgery

- Membership – (Teri)
 - A preliminary list of volunteers is underway from forms returned
 - Discussion about people who will volunteer but do not join Music Boosters. Consensus was we need all the help we can get so keep them on email but they receive no incentives (ex: clings)
 - Marcia will send most recent membership form to Don to post on website.
 - Incentives are same as last year.
 - Don said logo can be embroidered on any fabric for ~\$10
 - Plans for Burton band camp?
 - Consensus was to set up a table/tent with some kind of treat (cookies, candy,...) to encourage people to sign up. Have clings to pass out when payment received.
 - Should we proceed with getting a banner? Don estimated \$150 at most for canvas with grommets.
 - Teri motioned to purchase banner; Nancy seconded; all in favor. Don will do design & get printed. Include logo and website with "Independence Music Boosters".

- Ways & Means - (Julie)
 - Sign up sheets for
 - Aug 5 – fry meat for walking taco booth
 - Aug 6,7 – MB booth with walking taco & shaved ice; Ticket booth
 - Kids sign up for pop & ticket booth at band camp
 - Time worked by parents & kids will be credited to Disney account

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- Julie will call Vocal only kids first for MB booth since they don't have a booth to work at for Disney funds
- It was brought up that if Matt could provide times the squads are working pop booths it would help parents coordinate working at these other booths. Cathy will email Matt to ask if possible.
- Looking at new fundraiser with Matt & Tim Skoczen – walk or run
- Nancy brought up an idea – she saw a booth at a concert where they were doing a concert video and thought it could be used as an event with a MC and games, snacks,... Anyone interested in pursuing?

OLD BUSINESS

- Still looking for a volunteer coordinator
- Marcia creating list for parent ambassadors to get calls made before band camp
 - Need some numbers – see email from Marcia
 - Booster introduction letter will be mailed before band camp (Marcia thanked Don, Anna, Kathy, Nancy & Cathy for help)
 - Tiered membership & volunteer forms included
- Volunteer forms & membership forms to the office for packets in August
- Scholarship form – did not have a copy and decided to defer to next meeting since we really need Matt's input on this as well.
 - One sticking point is how to track service hours to be eligible for scholarship? Who is to do this – volunteer coordinator if we had one...
- Summer community concert 7/15
 - Elizabeth coordinating and has enough bakery
 - City provides coffee (cream & sugar). We can sell pop, water, bakery
 - Lori Rizzardi is contact person for city
 - Set up anytime after 6pm
 - Need 2-3 people to work that night
- July 2nd booth (Don, Marcia)
 - All food ordered from Drug Mart - \$360 for everything. Did order 2 cases less on burgers (many leftover last year)
 - In the past, people did extensive sourcing/shopping to get best price. Don volunteered to handle this since we didn't have band parent to organize and he knew what to do from last year. He felt that Drug Mart gave us decent prices last year with little/no hassle and he saved little money by shopping around last year. They have also been very helpful anytime we do a fundraiser. Consensus among the attendees was that we should continue to use Drug Mart whenever possible to foster a good relationship.

***Note – Drug Mart had collection boxes at registers several days before Memorial Day parade asking for donations toward new uniforms and they collected over ~\$1000 from the boxes and the hot dog booth after the parade. This was done on their own incentive! Don called Doug Boodjeh to thank him for their support & offered to place banner at our booth.*

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- Hired Mavis Winkles to oversee grill (\$300). They will furnish sterno for chafing dishes & bill for what is used. Don passed written contract around for review. Mavis is also going to hand out coupons for restaurant.
 - We will review how this worked out to decide if this was a good idea going forward. (It is a relief from dealing with the Health Dept too!)
 - Kids will wrap food and help with distributing; parents handle money
 - Marcia is coordinating cutting of tomatoes, onions, lettuce
 - Don set up storage of food, condiments & grill with city
 - Don will get all food picked up & delivered Friday. Has 4 students lined up from 2-5pm for booth set up. Don will stay until Mavis is on site & grilling.
 - Marcia is getting supplies purchased and will be at event until closing.
 - Mavis expressed interest in working with us on fundraiser on football night (profit split). We already committed to Chipolte so will try to get both on calendar at next meeting.
- Poster Machine – Don called Roger but did not receive call back

NEW BUSINESS:

- Vocal report (Meghan)
 - 18 students singing National Anthem 8/6 at 6pm at Home Days
 - Question arose – who sings on 7/2? Another good opportunity for exposure
- Open House
 - Need to remind Roger to invite people to visit Vocal and Band room
 - Meghan offered time for Booster to speak (Nancy)
 - Officers will be in band room
 - Everyone agreed it's not worth setting up in the cafeteria
- Yearbook Ad –
 - Marcia asked Michael if he would do the ad for our group again and he agreed to take care of it
- Band report (Marcia - for Matt who had a conflict with meeting night switch)
 - Need help with corporate donation campaign for uniforms
 - Labels printed, envelopes stuffed
 - Julie will send Don file to print labels from
 - Julie & Anna will review list first and prioritize likely vendors to approach since the list is so long
- New idea from Nancy
 - Look at Medina schools model for helping kids with “Pay to Play”. Their levy failed and the school have partnered with local business to create a system where kids can work at business to get donations.
 - Nancy will get more information on this since everyone was interested

Next meeting – tentative 7/21 at Mavis Winkles (check date/time with Matt)

August meeting – 8/11 at Krolikowski's (6408 Hillside)

Motion to adjourn by Michael; Second by Don