

Marysville Band Boosters

President: Stephanie Wassom 300-3921
Treasurer: Nora Paonessa 364-1050

Vice President: Kris Moses 364-5437
Secretary: Amy Philp 364-4138

February 3, 2014

Call to Order – Stephanie Wassom called the meeting to order on February 3, 2014 at 7:00 pm. Stephanie thanked all boosters in attendance.

Secretary Report – Amy Philp presented the December 2013, band booster minutes. Without any questions regarding the December minutes, a motion was made to accept the minutes as presented by Bob Gallant and seconded by Sherry Campbell. Motion carried. The band boosters' minutes are available on the band web site of www.marysvillebands.org. If you are interested in receiving the minutes in your email please contact the booster secretary at philpamy@gmail.com.

Treasurer's Report – Nora Paonessa presented the December 2013 and January 2014 saving account, general checking account, and the student accounts. Without any questions a motion was made to accept the reports as presented by Karen Pidick and seconded by Michelle Hoffman. Motion carried.

Old Business

1. **Bingo Report-** Steve Wassom presented the Bingo reports for December and January. Bingo is played every Sunday at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Range Road. Steve explained there are three teams that rotate Sundays. Several new workers are starting gradually and spaced out. For the workers that participate, they earn \$10 for their student's account for every time they work.
2. **Bingo Concession Report-** Charleen Lutz presented the bingo concession report for December and January. The bingo concession account pays for band expenses and bingo workers stipend.
3. **Scrip –** Charleen Lutz presented the scrip report for December and January. Charleen told us that she had cash and carry available. Scrip is available every week. Ordering and delivery of scrip normally takes place at the Marysville Library between 5:30 and 6:30 on Mondays. For a complete listing of scrip cards visit the website of www.glscrip.com or scrip orders may also be emailed to MARYSVILLEBANDSCRIP@YAHOO.COM.
4. **Meijer Community Fundraiser-** Kris Moses explained the Meijer Community Fundraiser; a silent fundraiser for just shopping at Meijer. If you use a Meijer credit card 1% of the sale goes to the band. If you purchase with cash and show your card ½% of the sale goes to the band. When you fill out a Meijer credit card application, use the Regiment code of **456638** when filling out the application. Kris Moses had fliers available on the program. Kris told us also, we can sign up online for the program.
5. **Gordon Food Service Fun Funds –** Kris Moses explained this fundraiser. Sign up and use the Marysville Band Booster code of **2135893** and the band will receive credit for the sale. Depending on the amount of credit the Boosters receives for the quarter, will decide the amount of profit given back to the band. Purchase scrip for further benefits. Kris had fliers available explaining the program. Easy money for just shopping and showing your Gordon's card. Boosters could combine their purchase with the scrip card purchase for additional benefit.
6. **Goodsearch.com-** Nora Paonessa explained the program for www.goodsearch.com and www.goodshop.com . Use www.goodsearch.com for your search engine and the band receives a penny for every search. Use www.goodshop.com for your shopping and the band will receive a percentage of your purchases. Use Marysville Viking Regiment on the tool bar.

7. **Wally's Market** – Jim Harris told the boosters that 26 families took part in the Wally's Market Fundraiser. The families shopped on December 21st and 22nd and Wally donated 5% of those sales back to the band. The donation from Wally's Market was \$74.78. Jim plans to schedule another day for the fundraiser. Wally is a very good supporter of the band program.
8. **Discount Cards** – Diane Sylvia reported that the discount cards are all sold. Should the number of cards be increased next year?

New Business

1. **Geranium Sale** – Michelle Hoffman told the boosters that the geranium sale is scheduled for mid-March. The delivery date is typically right before Mother's Day. More details will come to us later.
2. **Bowling Fundraiser** – Stephanie Wassom told us plans are starting for the 4th Annual Bowling Fundraiser. Dates in April or May are being considered. The funds earned at this fundraiser pay for the transportation to band camp. More details to follow.
3. **Trash Bag Fundraiser** – Amy Philp reminded the general membership that the trash bag fundraiser has started and will continue until Wednesday February 12th. Gardens Elementary is not selling the trash bags this year, but decided instead to support a local business contributor.
4. **Winter Guard Team** – Kelly Yeager told the boosters that winter guard has grown so much that they plan on keeping the boosters informed of what they are doing. Currently they have 14 junior winter guard and 13 varsity winter guard. Current junior guard has spent \$525 in supplies for rifles, flagpoles, flip flops, and makeup. Most of the expense has been reimbursed by the students. The varsity guard has spent \$1300 in uniforms, rifles, flag poles, flip flops, and makeup. So far, approximately 2/3's has been reimbursed by the students. The boosters help pay for the coach stipend and entry fees for competitions.

Band Director's Report

1. Viking Regiment Band Camp Chaperones will be needed for the August 3-8 band camp. Sign-up sheet available for those boosters interested in chaperoning. Mr. Duso is looking forward to the new location for regiment band camp.
2. Freshmen Marching Camp will be August 18-22 from noon to 3 pm at the school.
3. Marysville Regiment Post Camp day is August 23rd from 12-6 pm at the school.
4. Solo and Ensemble bravo to all students and parents that attended. Marysville had 10 percent of all the students that participated.
5. Mr. Duso conducted a band camp drawing for those boosters in attendance. Two 50 dollar scholarships were given away to be used towards band camp. Winners drawn were Jill Russell for her son Justin and Jim Harris for his son Ryan. Congratulations.

Regular Meeting Adjourned 7:48 pm
Members attended: 46

Next Band Booster Meeting:
March 3, 2014
7:00 p.m. Middle School Band Room

Bingo Worker general meeting was held after the booster meeting.