

# Marysville Band Boosters

President: Patti Straney 300-0904  
Treasurer: Nora Paonessa 364-1050

Vice President: Stephanie Wassom 300-3921  
Secretary: Amy Philp 364-4138

May 6, 2013

Call to Order – Patti Straney called the meeting to order on May 6, 2013 at 7:04 pm.

Secretary Report – Amy Philp presented the April 2013 booster minutes to the boosters. Without any questions regarding the April minutes, a motion was made to accept the minutes as presented by Bob Gallant and seconded by TamyTomazweski. Motion carried. The band boosters' minutes are available on the band web site of [www.marysvillebands.org](http://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 April saving account, general account, and the student accounts. Motion was made to accept the reports as presented by Michelle Hoffman and seconded by Lordes Bakko. Motion carried.

## Old Business

1. **Bingo Report-** Steve Wassom presented the Bingo report for April. Bingo is played every Sunday at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Range Road. Eight new bingo workers starting soon. More bingo help is needed to replace parents with students that are graduating.
2. **Bingo Concession Report-** Charleen Lutz presented the bingo concession report for April. This bingo concession account pays for band expenses and bingo workers stipend.
3. **Scrip –** Charleen Lutz presented the scrip report for April. Charleen explained the scrip fundraiser and that she had cash and carry available also. Scrip is available every week. Ordering and delivery of scrip 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](http://www.glscrip.com) or scrip orders may also be emailed to [MARYSVILLEBANDSCRIP@YAHOO.COM](mailto: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.
6. **Goodsearch.com-** Nora Paonessa explained the program for [www.goodsearch.com](http://www.goodsearch.com) and [www.goodshop.com](http://www.goodshop.com) . Use [www.goodsearch.com](http://www.goodsearch.com) for your search engine and the band receives a penny for every search. Use [www.goodshop.com](http://www.goodshop.com) for your shopping and the band will receive a percentage of your purchases. Use Marysville Viking Regiment on the tool bar. New program offered with the name of [www.goodsurvey.com](http://www.goodsurvey.com). One of the booster members already filled out a survey.

7. **Bowling Fundraiser** - Stephanie Wassom told the boosters that the bowling fundraiser is May 17<sup>th</sup> 6:30 p.m. at Port Huron Lanes. Students and adults are bowling this year. Cost will be \$20 per person for two games and shoe rental. Parents and students will be at opposite ends. Sign-up sheet available for bowling lanes. Four or five people per lane. Call Steve or Stephanie Wassom with questions. Sign-up sheet available also for raffle baskets and/or door prize (\$5 limit) donation.
8. **Geranium Sale** – Michelle Hoffman told the boosters that the geranium sale went well. Delivery is scheduled this Thursday May 9th. Volunteers are needed at St. Christopher’s Church any time between 7am - 6 pm. Pick up is available between noon – 5:30. NHS students will also be on hand after school to help.
9. **Talmer Boat Night** – Charleen Lutz told the boosters that she has been contacted by Talmer Bank. Talmer Bank is interested in the band boosters working security as we had in the past. Talmer Bank will be donating \$1500 for our time on this day. Boat night is Friday July 19<sup>th</sup> and a sign-up sheet is posted with available times. We will be using the same shirts as last year; if you need a shirt contact Charleen.
10. **Student Accounts** – Bruce Patchel told the boosters that high school students will have their statements mailed home due to upcoming band camp. The middle school students will receive statements at their spring concert.
11. **Band Camp Raffle** – Patti Straney told the boosters that at the Deuces Wild Concert we will be having a band camp raffle. Volunteers are needed at 6:15 the night of the concert to sell tickets on the 14<sup>th</sup> of May. Tickets will be \$10 per ticket, with the winner receiving a free band camp for a student. If you are aging out as a band booster adopt a younger band student.
12. **Bottle Drive** – Stephanie Wassom told the boosters that the bottle drive that we talked about at the last meeting will be postponed until a later date.
13. **Poker Update** – Patti Straney updated the boosters regarding poker. Snookers are closed and we don’t expect it to reopen anytime soon. Maverick Poker House in Port Huron is full of charity workers at this time. Santino Poker House on VanDyke and 27 Mile Rd is now open. Some of the workers from Snookers have moved to Santino’s. We are contacting them to arrange date availability for our boosters to work. They will have the same split of 50/50 we are considering November/December dates. General consensus is to continue on exploring poker, it is a good fundraiser for the boosters.

## **New Business**

No new business at this time.

## **Band Director’s Report**

Per Patti Straney

1. 5<sup>th</sup> grade recruitment – Mr. Duso needs two people to help serve pizza and water to the 5<sup>th</sup> grade students visiting the 6<sup>th</sup> grade band. He would like the volunteers from 11 – 11:30 for May 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>.
2. Next year’s MCBA schedule
  - a. September 28, 2013 Troy Athens High School
  - b. October 5, 2013 Lamphere High School
  - c. October 19, 2013 Clarkston High School
  - d. October 26, 2013 Woodhaven High School
  - e. November 2, 2013 Ford Field with our flight competing between 9 – 11 am.
3. Deuces Wild Concert – May 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm. Band camp raffle before the concert with drawing taking place midway through the concert. After the concert, the senior concert dresses will be collected by Lordes Bakko/Kris Moses/Amy Philp.

4. Memorial Day Parade on May 27<sup>th</sup>. Sign up available for parade breakfast snacks. Last year it seemed to help the student with the parade stress to have a bit of food. Please sign up to donate goodies of muffins, granola, fruit, etc. Bottles of water have been donated to hand out to the students but someone needs to oversee water distribution. Also extra hands are needed after the Memorial Day Parade. The students will be turning in their marching uniforms and help is needed collecting the different uniform pieces.
5. Band Awards will be on May 29<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm.
6. Band camp chaperones needed. Camp is July 22 – 27 at Hillsdale College. Sign up.
7. Graduation performance will be June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 1:30 pm. Full concert uniform needed for the performance. Concert dress and skirt check-in after graduation.
8. Junior High Spring Concert will be June 5<sup>th</sup> at the Marysville High School Auditorium.
9. June 10<sup>th</sup> will be a parent meeting for incoming freshmen band members after band boosters. Boosters will be held in the high school band room.
10. Thank You to the senior parents that are aging out of the band program. Our booster organization would not have been the same without your support and dedication.

**Meeting Adjourned 7:50 pm**  
**Members attended: 44**  
**Next Band Booster Meeting:**  
**June 10, 2013**  
**7:00 p.m. High School Band Room**