

Marysville Band Boosters

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Band Booster Meeting September 11, 2017

Call to Order – Kris Moses called the meeting to order at 7:05pm. Kris welcomed all those in attendance to the first meeting of the school year. Board members and parents introduced themselves.

Secretary's Report – Nicole Fletcher read the June 2017 meeting minutes as required by the By-Laws. She informed the boosters that the June minutes were prepared and emailed to those members whose email addresses are on file. Reminder the band website is www.marysvillebands.org. If you are interested in receiving the minutes via email please contact the booster secretary at nbkfletch@hotmail.com. A motion was made to accept the minutes by Jeff Walcott and seconded by Cory Newberry. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report – Karla Pearl prepared and read the June, July, and August treasurer's report for the checking account, student account, savings account, winter guard and legacy account as required by the by-laws. A motion was made by Jim Hude and seconded by Jennifer Sattler to accept the reports as presented. Motion carried.

Old Business

- Bingo Report** – Karla Pearl presented Steve Wassom's bingo reports for June, July and August. Steve Wassom stated that bingo is a year round fundraiser and to contact him if you are interested in volunteering. They need ten members on each team, and they must be 18 years or older to work. Students receive \$10 into their student account each time you work. Workers report at 11:30am and work to approximately 4:30pm. Current Chairs are Barb Gaffney, Sherry Campbell and Cory Newberry. The Sign Up Genius has been helpful with getting volunteers to cover certain dates and times. The 2018 calendar will be confirmed in December if there are enough workers to keep it going. Mr. Duso mentioned this is the main fundraiser for the marching season. It helps pay for the Arranger, Field Writer and Colorguard expenses. If bingo ends, we will no longer participate in MCBA.
- Bingo Concession Report** – Karla Pearl presented Charleen Lutz's concession report for June, July and August. Mr. Duso noted this is where the \$10 comes out of and into the student account every time someone works at Bingo.
- Scrip** – Karla Pearl presented Linda Sikora's scrip report for June, July and August. Jill Latham reported that scrip is available every Monday at the Marysville Library from 5:30pm to 6:30pm for ordering or pick up, unless the library is closed or a holiday falls on a Monday. A percentage from each card goes into the student account and the general account. You do not have to be a band parent to purchase cards. Scrip is normally available at the booster meeting and at concerts. 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.
- Kroger Community Rewards** – Kris Moses explained the Kroger Community Reward program. This

program will give a percentage of sales to our band boosters. Go to the Kroger's website to register online. Use your Kroger Plus card with this program. Our band booster code number is **77936**. It will show on your receipt which program you are supporting. A check is issued from Kroger quarterly. You no longer need to re-enroll on a yearly basis.

www.kroger.com/account/enrollCommunityRewardsNow

5. **Goodsearch.com**- Kristin Sawdon explained the www.goodsearch.com and www.goodshop.com programs. 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. You must link to Marysville Viking Regiment Booster Club on the tool bar. We make the most money from Goodshop. Goodshop also has an app that is available for download on both Apple and Android devices.
6. **Student Accounts** – Linda Sikora was absent. Kris stated that each student has their own account starting in 6th grade. Funds earned go towards band camp and/or tour.
7. **Uniform/Pillow Fundraiser** – Amy Philp reported that pillows are still available for sale. The next step is to have a company advertise to sell the old freshman uniforms on our behalf. She will also have pillows and uniforms available for purchase at the Spaghetti Dinner.
8. **Grants for Advia** - Kris Moses informed the boosters that Advia ended the CAP program. We did receive a check in the amount of \$250. Jon Allen will start looking into their new grant program.
9. **Jimmy's Custard and Pasty Fundraiser** – Kris reported the last fundraiser date was August 28th. We received \$200.10 – which was 20% of all profits during that time.
10. **Spaghetti Dinner Chairperson** – Leah Spresser stated the tickets went home with the band students today. All high school band members are required to sell five tickets at \$7.00 each or one envelope of tickets per household if more than one band student is in high school. Please make sure the front of the envelope is filled out legibly as this is the one way we can communicate with band parents. Extra tickets will be available at the middle and high schools. Dinner is set for September 22nd. Many people have signed up via Sign Up Genius. She is in need of six large roasters. Nonperishable items can be dropped off at the middle and high schools now. Perishable items can be dropped off at the middle school on September 22 starting at 12:30pm.
11. **Mum Sale** –Kris reported that Kristen Braun is the current chair and Kelsey Wade is shadowing her to take over. Last date to turn in orders is September 12th. Envelopes to drop orders off are at both the middle and high schools. A Sign Up Genius was created for volunteers. Delivery will be at Pilgrim Lutheran Church on September 27th and orders can be picked up from 10:00am – 5:00pm.
12. **Cookie Dough** – Karla reported that the sell dates will be October 4th -19th. Delivery date is November 14th at the middle school cafeteria. Cost is \$12.00 each with \$5.00 per item sold going into the student account. A Sign Up Genius will also go out asking for volunteers.
13. **Art in the Park** – Amy Philp stated we sold seven pillows. Thank you to all who volunteered your time.

New Business

1. **Uniform Distribution** – The distribution of uniforms will be September 13th. Looking for 16-20 volunteers. Please arrive by 6:00pm if possible. Seniors are fitted first, then juniors, sophomores and finally freshman. Freshman will also pick up their dingles.
2. **Finance Committee Meeting**– Karla needs between six and eight people to meet in October to review all accounts. There is a sign-up sheet available and Karla will contact those interested to set a date.
3. **PIT Crew** – Jon Allen stated there will be a maximum of 20 pit crew members this season. We do need substitutes to cover for those that aren't available on competition dates. We also could use help

painting the props as well.

4. **Election of New Officers** – Kris Moses addresses the boosters and informed them tonight was her last night as president. Jon Allen will take over as president. The floor was open for nominations for vice president. Steve Wassom nominated Nicole Fletcher as vice president. With no other names nominated for vice president, Nicole accepted the nomination. A verbal vote was taken for Nicole Fletcher as vice president. Motion carried.

Band Director's Report

1. **Senior Night** – Date for Senior Night is October 13th. Meet at 6:00pm in the Commons. Announcement of seniors and parents are during pregame.
2. **MSBOA State Concert Band Festival** – We are hosting this event April 26 – 28, 2018. We will need approximately 40 volunteers. Need help in concessions, guides, parking attendants, etc. We earn full profit from concession sales.
3. **MSBOA Band Festival** – Event is on October 10th and has been moved from Port Huron Memorial Stadium to East China Stadium. We need four chaperones for the freshman band.

Kris Moses's final words as president of the Marysville Band Boosters: Kris thanked Mr. Duso for getting her outside of her comfort zone and Stephanie Wassom for her great leadership. She stressed to get involved, support the kids and the arts. It's important to be involved. She thanked everyone for all of their support over the years.

Mr. Duso showed the boosters the marching drill of the closure of this year's show.

Regular Meeting Adjourned 8:28pm
Members attended: 45
Next Band Booster Meeting:
October 2, 2017
7:00 p.m. Middle School Band Room