

# Marysville Band Boosters

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Treasurer: Nora Paonessa 364-1050

Vice President: Stephanie Wassom 987-2290  
Secretary: Amy Philp 364-4138

May 7, 2012

Call to Order – President Patti Straney called the May 7, 2012 meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

Secretary Report – Amy Philp stated that the meeting minutes for April 2012 is posted on the band website. Without any questions regarding the April minutes, a motion was made to accept the minutes as presented by Scott Fisher seconded by Michelle Hoffman. Motion carried. The band booster minutes are available on the band web site at [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 account reports. Motion was made to accept the reports as presented. Motion carried.

## Old Business

1. **Scrip** – Charleen Lutz gave the scrip report for April. Charleen reminded the boosters that she has scrip like Meijer, Wally's, and Gordon Foods that are great for graduation parties. The scrip program is a year round fundraiser that benefits the student accounts and the band. Scrip is available every week. **Ordering and delivery 5:30 – 6:30 Mondays at the Marysville Library.** For full scrip products visit web site [WWW.GLSCRIP.COM](http://WWW.GLSCRIP.COM) OR scrip orders may be emailed to [MARYSVILLEBANDSCRIP@YAHOO.COM](mailto:MARYSVILLEBANDSCRIP@YAHOO.COM). She also told us cash and carry sales are available after the meeting and at the concerts.
2. **Bingo Report**- Steve Wassom read the Bingo report for April. Volunteers are needed.
3. **Bingo Concession Report**- Charleen Lutz presented the bingo concession report for April. Charleen is in need of a kitchen worker for Team 1 on Sundays. You don't need to be a parent to work, but you do have to be over 18 years old. If you are interested in the position or have questions; see Steve Wassom or Charleen Lutz.
4. **Goodsearch.com**- Nora Paonessa explained the opportunity to the boosters of [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. Nora told us that our numbers of use are continuing to grow.
5. **Meijer Community Fundraiser**- Eileen Smith explained the Meijer Fundraiser. If you use a Meijer credit card 1% of sale goes to the band. If you purchase with cash and show your card ½% of sale goes to the band. When you fill out a Meijer credit card application, use the Regiment code **456638** when filling in the application. Basically free money for the band just because we shop at Meijer. Eileen is looking for her replacement to oversee the fundraiser due to her daughter graduating soon.
6. **Gordon Food Service Fun Funds** – Eileen Smith explained the Gordon Fun Funds program. 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. Flier available with information. Purchase scrip for further benefits. Again Eileen is looking for a replacement booster for her position because her daughter will be graduating.
7. **Student Accounts** – Bruce Patchel oversees the student accounts and will have the statements ready for pick up at the Deuces Wild Concert. The question has been raised if a parent has money for their student's account can

they deposit it? Yes – Give the money to the treasurer Nora and she will pass the amount that needs to be credited to your student's account.

8. **Poker Fundraiser** – Patti Straney explained the Snooker Charity Poker Fundraiser. The June 23 – 26, 2012 Poker Fundraiser will take place. Enough workers volunteered for the upcoming June dates. We will be looking for volunteers to sign up for the December 20 – 23, 2012 dates and hope to have them filled by the September meeting. Short meeting after the June Band Booster meeting for poker instructions. A chairperson is still needed see Patti.
9. **Geranium Sale** – Michelle Hoffman updated us on this year's geranium sale. Workers will be needed on the delivery date of May 10, 2012. She said workers are needed all day from 7:30 am to 6 pm at the St. Christopher's Church parking lot. Work the hours that you have available to donate. It takes many workers to unload and distribute the flowers. Pick up times are between 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. Questions or sign up please contact Michelle Hoffman.
10. **Talmer Boat Night** – Charleen Lutz informed the boosters that Talmer Bank would like the boosters to work "security" on Friday July 13, 2012. She has a schedule of three shifts of workers monitoring the bank property. Always a good time. Sign up sheet available or see Charleen.
11. **Band Camp Raffle** – Patti Straney introduced a new raffle for the upcoming Deuces Wild Concert. Purchase a raffle ticket for \$10, and place a band student's name on the raffle ticket for a chance to win a free band camp. At the concert's intermission one ticket will be pulled and the lucky student name will be announced for a free band camp. If we don't sell enough tickets (cover the cost of band camp \$325) the student will win what we collected and that will also be announced.
12. **Bowling Fundraiser** – Stephanie Wassom explained the upcoming bowling fundraiser. It will be held on Friday May 11, 2012 at 7 p.m. at Port Huron Lanes. Sign in at 6:30 and bowl at 7 p.m. Currently 40 -50 people have registered. Nora will be collecting registrations at the schools on May 9, 2012. There will be a 50/50 tickets and a gift basket drawing. Encourage people to come down and bowl. Door prizes are still being accepted. Twenty one and over this year for bowlers. Questions see Stephanie Wassom.
13. **Volleygrass Committee** – Nora Paonessa went to a meeting with Mr. Pavlov regarding Volleygrass. Nora has gone to ten businesses to recruit for the Volleygrass sponsorship program. If any agree to sponsor Volleygrass, the boosters should see the majority of the sponsorship come back to the band. If you know of any businesses that might be interested see Nora for more information.

## **New Business**

1. **Lanyard and Cinch Sacks** – Amy Philp informed the boosters that the cinch sacks are available for purchase at band booster meetings and at concerts. The cinch sacks will cost \$5.00. The cinch sacks and lanyards are encouraged band camp supplies. The Marysville Bands lanyards will soon be available
2. **Uniform Check In** – Patti needs help with uniform check in...
  - May 15<sup>th</sup> - The senior girls need to turn in their concert skirts after the Deuces Wild Concert.
  - May 28<sup>th</sup> – Marching uniforms for all high school students will need to be turned in after the Memorial Day Parade. Many hands are needed and will take approximately one hour.
  - June 3<sup>rd</sup> – The 11<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup> grade girls will need to turn in their concert skirts after graduation.
3. **Memorial Day Pictures** – At 8 a.m. on Memorial Day, the band students will have their pictures taken by Jeff VanDusen at the school, before the parade. More detail to follow.
4. **Water for Memorial Day parade** – Patti is looking for volunteers to hand out water to the band students after the parade in the park. See Patti for more details.

5. **Chaperones for Disney Tour** – Mr. Duso told the boosters currently we have 14 women and 4 men chaperoning the Disney Tour in March. We need more men to chaperone the trip. One parent to 8 students. Please see Mr. Duso.
6. **Band Camp Payment** – Student statements will be available at the Deuces Wild Concert. Band camp payment is due June 4<sup>th</sup> at \$325. Payments can be mailed to Bruce Patchel's home; his address will be found on the student's statement.
7. **Harry Jones Memorial Scholarship** – Wendy Hickman, a daughter of Harry Jones, told the boosters of a scholarship her family is offering in her father's memory. Mr. Jones was a long serving treasurer and member of the band boosters when his children were in Marysville schools. The scholarship will be offered to a senior from the band going to college. The \$500 scholarship will be announced at the band awards evening.
8. **Eighth Grade Meeting** - students and parents will have a meeting after the June 4<sup>th</sup> middle school concert. This meeting helps inform the student and parent with band information. The students will also meet their freshmen instructors and receive dates for freshmen band camp. Student/Parent booklet will be passed out.
9. **Date Change June Meeting** - Next band booster meeting is scheduled for the same night as the middle school concert – Meeting changed to June 11<sup>th</sup> same time and place.

**Meeting Adjourned 7:58 pm**  
**Members attended: 28**

**Next Band Booster Meeting**  
**June 11, 2012**  
**7:00 p.m. Middle School Band Room**