

Southwest Local Music Boosters

General Open Membership Meeting

Meeting Minutes

Monday, August 21, 2017 7:00 PM

I. Call To Order with Pledge of Allegiance

Kimberly Herrmann called to order the general open membership meeting of the Southwest Local Music Boosters at 7:00pm on Monday, August 21, 2017 in the High School Music Room.

II. Roll Call

Kimberly Herrmann, President

Sean Doty, Vice President

Doreen Heuser, Treasurer

Lisa McHenry, Secretary

III. Approval of minutes from Previous Date meeting

The June minutes were posted to the website. First and second motions were made and approved. The group had no opposition.

IV. Officers Reports

a. President

Kimberly Herrmann welcomed everyone to the meeting and the new school year.

Kimberly mentioned that the marching band and a cappella groups both had their summer camps.

She also mentioned that with the start of school we also have the start of fundraising! She encouraged all to participate in the fundraising events and to consider volunteering for the large events that need many hands for support.

Kimberly asked that members in attendance please invite other music program parents to join the boosters and get involved. The more parents we have involved, the more we can accomplish for the kids.

b. Treasurer

Report of current funds was provided by Doreen Heuser.

First and second motions were made for approval and the report was approved.

Doreen also mentioned that fee payment has been really good so far this year.

V. Directors Reports

a. Kelsey Withrow

Kelsey is going to add a Twitter account for communication for her groups.

She had print outs of her schedule and the handbooks for choir/a cappella.

Causing Treble (Jr. School A cappella) begin rehearsals next week.

Uniforms for the various groups are: Polo for Jr. School Choir, red dresses for Treble Cats, black dresses and tuxes for HS concert choir UNLESS someone has another idea. Kelsey is thinking she might like to make some changes. She is open to suggestions.

There will soon be A Capella/Choir merchandise available.

The A Cappella Parent Preview will be the evening of September 12 in the Martin Marietta Theater. More details have been shared with the A Cappella groups.

Showcase Southwest is October 30. The Choral Department is partnering with V.O.C.E. for the Halloween themed performance.

b. Brian Egan

Brian Egan could not attend the meeting. Conrad Kreiger was there to represent Mr. Egan. He reported that the marching band was coming along and that the parent preview was going to be Friday, August 25th. (My apologies for not getting these minutes out before this event – Lisa)

VI. Committee Reports

a. Uniforms

Marching band uniforms are back from the dry cleaners. The new sheiko boxes are in. The show uniforms for competition are being ordered.

b. Concessions

Pop has been ordered for the start of football season. The concession stand needs a little more cleaning and prep work. The first home game is September 1st. There will be a sign-up genius for volunteering.

c. Fundraising

Drive 4 UR School Ford fundraiser is September 17! 11:00 – 2:00

Duane, from Oasis, will come to the September 18th Music Booster meeting to start the planning for our Color Run fundraiser.

September 30 – Sounds of the Stadium Marching Band Competition...HELP NEEDED!!

October 21 and 22 – Weber Farms face painting booth...HELP NEEDED (especially from choir students/parents as the band has competition this weekend)

Membership

Sharon shared that there were forms available and you can still sign up!

d. Publicity (Website, Newspaper)

WE ARE IN NEED OF A VOLUNTEER FOR PUBLICITY – ADVERTISING OUR EVENTS AND PROGRAMS, NEWSPAPER COMMUNICATION/ARTICLES, ETC. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE CONTACT ONE OF THE MUSIC BOOSTER OFFICERS. CONTACT INFORMATION IS ON THE MUSIC BOOSTER WEBPAGE.

VII. Unfinished Business

The sale and delivery of the risers from show choir has been completed.

VIII. New Business

We need trophy sponsors for the Sounds of the Stadium show. Forms are available. Contact a Booster officer or check Music Booster Web Page.

We are still working on creating a booster member email list. It needs updated with all of the new members.

IX. Announcements

Next Meeting will be Monday, September 18, 2017 at 7:00pm in the high school Music room.

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn was made. A second motion was made. There was no opposition.

Meeting adjourned.