

MINUTES

HHS Band Booster General Meeting Minutes

October 20, 2007

I. Call to Order

The Hanahan Band Booster's General meeting was called to order on October 20, 2007 by Steve Richards at 7:00 p.m.

II. Roll Call

There 18 people present at the meeting. Attending board members were Steve Richards, Anne Weast, Rebekah Davis, Heide Wittchow, Heidi Butts, Tammy Ballard, Mr. Spitler, Jason Snelson

III. Reports

a. Secretary's Report

Read by Heide and approved with no corrections by the members present. The minutes were read from the September meeting and approved by the membership.

b. Treasurer's Report

Tammy Ballard, Treasurer, addressed the assembly with a current status of the booster funds. She started month with \$11,000 total. There was \$4000 deposited.

c. Vice President's Report

Ann Weast, Vice President, addressed the group. The new "hoodies" are still for sale but due to warm weather the sales have been slow. She reminded the group of the importance of everybody comes to Saturday's competition and lower state. The kids really need you support, please come out and bring everybody and support your children.

d. President's Report

Steve welcomed everybody and explained we were getting ready for our two main fundraisers over the next 30 days which are the concession stand at the fair and citrus sales. He thanked all those who volunteered with the marching band props, pit and loading the truck. Steve mentioned about Sports concession stand need 12 people. Jason Snelson remarked that the concession stand shifts should be filled first. Got to cover all shifts for both fair and concessions and kids can work concessions. Steve suggested that there is enough volunteer to perform both obligations. He promised to support the concession stand by personally contacting those who have not volunteered yet.

IV. Old Business

None.

V. New Business

- a. Concession Stand. Jason discussed fair booth operations. We will be giving out Exchange Park tickets to all who have volunteered. If you don't show up for your shift we will be responsible for face value of tickets. Jason explained has the new fire suppressant system works. He and Marcus are concerned that teens might activate the system. This would cause the booth to be shut down. Jason is asking all volunteers to sign a statement that they understand the suppressant system. He asked all volunteer to arrive on time for there shift. Clay Withers recommended using the Royle Road exit to the fair grounds. How many shifts open, approximately 40 shifts still need to be filled. Jason needs a list of all sports boosters for tickets and contracts. IFH need to help on Tuesday at 7:00. Jason is in need a new refrigerator for the concession stand to replace the recent failed one. Marcus is our maintenance person, have holes for anchors drilled for picnic tables. Need a volunteer to break up picnic tables, put into the dumpster. Marcus is donating all of his electrical services, in relation to hood and fire suppression system. Dipping Dots will sign a contract with us if we want to do it. We could sell pre-packed packages and needs to be addressed with the board.

VI. Band Director's Report

There will be thank cards for orders from people. School board says need to have band at all playoffs games. Parents who sign up for football can it count as a shift for fair booth, no. John Spitler thank Marcus for work on props, clay, chaperones for all of their hard work. It is impossible to do without parental support. Band is very intensive group. Mr. Spitler is grateful of all students to are disciplined enough to work on their music and be at all the practices. We have more than a marching band and we have a concert band, but may need to cancel November concert due to timing of things. Proud of kids, worked hard and at times when they are on, they are great musicians. Last Saturday, He apologized for not getting a trophy for rating. The contest was run very poorly and students didn't get a ratings trophy. Visual Superior first time this band has had this.

Fundraisers –Rebekah Davis

Question about fruit sales money? Mr. Spitler explained that we would have two drop off nights for money delivery. Fruit sales can begin now for those of us here tonight. Three schools will be participating DIS, HMS, HHS. Rebekah explained the package for the fruit sales that kids will be receiving. Pick up dates a week later. Rebekah went over the letter. Delivery dates on the 5th -8th, fruit must be delivered by Sunday evening. We get it within 36 hours of it coming off the tree. We will take cash and checks; it is ok to convert cash into a personal check. Please just double check order forms and money before turning it in. Prizes will be \$50, \$75, or \$100 cash respectively. We need volunteers to help loading the cars for delivery dates. The fruit must be delivered in a timely manner. November 3rd, 9-12 tentative, Hanahan Blitz to sell fruit within the community. We really need every parent to sell 15 boxes of fruit. Donations accepted no taxes. If cash donated, write down donations down with name and phone number of parent. We will need volunteers to help sell fruit into the neighborhood, but will be decided before they get to the door. Also, helps kids who are not involved. What days are the money days: November 12th and November 13th. We save 1% if we pay in full, money needs to turn money in on time to win the prizes. When are we going to clean out the prop room, Mr. Spitler talking to Mr. Goude in relation to this. Sell 15 boxes or payout \$75. Does that include the middle school? Mr. Stroman has own deal except 8th grade marching students are considered high school. DIS school also doing something different. Need a profit of 8500 in fruit sales and 10,000 in fair booth to meet our budget, must meet this budget so we do not have to go back to a band fee. Have people check fruit before you leave it. Marcus questioned rewards, if you double your sale, drawing for a prize. Incentive is by boxes sold. The most expensive boxes count as two boxes.

Win-win cards need to be sold by the 27th of November.

Meeting adjourned 7:55.