



Boiling Springs Band Booster Club
Meeting Minutes
Tuesday – August 15th, 2023

The meeting was opened at 7:01 pm by Tripp Bishop, President.

Handouts at meeting: July Meeting Minutes, Financial Summary, FOB Jobs, Membership Forms

From Tripp Bishop: President

- Our Festival of Bands will be on September 23rd. The signup will go live tonight at 7:30.
 - FOB and 2A/4A job descriptions handout is in the back. This describes the jobs that we will need help with for both events. If you have any questions, please reach out to Michele Thornton.
- Unanimous approval of meeting minutes and Treasures report.
 - Meeting minutes are always posted on our band website after they are approved at the following meeting.
- The Memphis trip will be from October 6th through the 8th.
 - We are using our fundraisers to offset the cost of the trip. We also used the additional funds from band memberships towards this trip.
 - Ball park figure to take the band to Memphis is between \$70,000 and \$80,000
 - Bus transportation is sky high as well as booking hotels.
- We are looking into other fundraisers. We will talk about those at our next meeting.
- Concession sign ups - we need at least 15 people for Friday night. Please sign up! We need all the help we can get.
 - Make sure that you sign up, so that we can provide a list for the gate.
- Membership will be open until August 31st. Everyone that signs up by 8/31 will receive a show specific magnet.
- Meeting with Palmetto Twist tomorrow to set up our on-line store. All merchandise orders can be placed through their website.
- The show shirt will be a heather charcoal color to match the show and the kids.
 - The show shirt is only available in 1 color. No changes can be made to it.
- Parents - please do not come prior to the last 30 minutes of practice. It is distracting to the kids.
- Please do not park between the High School and the Middle School for pickup. This is a road, and we can not block this road.
- If you are not receiving Mr. Scarabino's weekly emails, please provide your email address.
- We will be having a Festival of Bands meeting that is not attached to the regular meeting.
- We need all hands on deck for our Festival of Bands. It takes a village to pull off this event.

From Valecia Whitfield: Treasurer

- The MoneyDolly check is not included in the financials. We will be receiving the check this Thursday.
- We have had 5 car wash fundraisers so far.
 - Car washes are averaging between \$900 and \$2100



- We brought in \$23,856 from the MoneyDolly fundraiser
 - Some people choose to donate directly to the band instead of on-line. That is the amount that appears in the MoneyDolly line of the financials.

From Dan Gordon: 2nd Vice President

- If you sign up to work concessions, you do not have to pay to get into the game.
 - Go to the gate, and inform them that you are volunteering with the band. Please be here by 6.
 - Concessions is one of our biggest fundraisers of the year.
 - Volunteering is a volunteer position. We can switch out to cover for people to watch their students.
- Background checks are not required for football games. They are for FOB and 2A/4A when you will be working in direct contact with the kids.
- There will be a student call time for every event.
- For new parents, band sessions are a very busy time. Very busy from now through November.. Hope you don't have a lot planned for your students, because they will be here all the time.
- Thank you to everyone that donated your time, or money, or food for band camp. You saved us approximately \$8000. This allows us to put that money towards other band expenses.

Next meeting –September 19th, 2023, in The Chorus Room

Tripp Bishop thanked everyone for coming. Meeting adjourned at 7:27 pm.

Meeting minutes submitted by: *Mindy Cerul*
Number in attendance: *53*