



Boiling Springs Band Booster Club
Meeting Minutes
Tuesday –February 21st, 2023

The meeting was opened at 7:00 pm by Tripp Bishop, President.

Handouts at meeting: November minutes, Financial Report, and Schedule

From Tripp Bishop: President

- March to Greatness Car Show coming up on March 11th.
 - We have some very cool prizes already
 - We are still in need of additional door prizes.
 - We are working on tee-shirts to see, trophies for prizes
 - Students are signing up to volunteer through Mr. Scarabino
 - Participants and sponsors can access our website and our public band Facebook page for more information.
- The Band Booster Board has been working on rewriting our by-laws. Please look them over, and we will vote on them at our March meeting.
- We are trying to get a date approved for the fish fry.
- We are trying to add new fundraisers to cover the Boston Butt.

From Tyler Scarabino: Director

- We had 25 high school students, and 16 middle school students attend Region Band
- Winter Guard is off and running.
 - Their 1st competition was this past Saturday.
 - JV placed 3rd, Elite and Varsity placed 1st.
 - Varsity and Elite both promoted up to the next class of competition.
- The Winter Guard fundraiser brought in \$1800 which was used to purchase jackets for these students.
- WGI competition this Saturday for the Elite group (equivalent to a BOA). (2/25/23)
- The Winter Guard State Championship is the following Saturday. (3/4/23)
- Winds, symphonic and concert bands have been working really hard in class. They have been moving at a fast pace.
- We have had some guest clinicians to visit the classes. Dr. Washington from North Greenville as well as Mr. Rodin from North Greenville. They were able to listen to the bands, and provide some feedback.
- We are in need of volunteers to go to Rock Hill to pick up 150 shakos. Rock Hill is giving us the shakos. we just need to pick them up.
- Pre CPA event next Thursday 3/2. This is training them for their upcoming CPA event.
 - Chesnee Middle performs at 6, BSHS Concert Band at 6:30, BSHS Symphonic Band at 7:00, Chesnee Wind Ensemble at 7:30 and BSHS Wind Ensemble at 8:00.
 - All students must have a signed permission slip. Moving to a digital form, and designing to cover all events for the same teacher.
 - Kids need to dress in concert black.
 - We will feed the kids at CHS before the concert.
- Next Friday JPA. 1st time we have performed at this event in more than 20 years.



- We are taking 2 bands. We will leave right after school for Newberry College.
- We will pick up Zaxby's along the way, so that students can eat on the bus.
- Students need to bring in \$10 for their meal.
- Students will return to school by 10:30.
- Southern Star Festival/Six Flags payments are due by March 1st. The students will receive a tee shirt and a meal ticket.
 - Permission forms will be prompted once you have paid through myschoolfees.com
 - If a student receives OSS, they will not be eligible to go on the trip. If you pay for the trip, and then the student receives OSS, there will not be a refund per Mr. McQuigg.
- CPA - taking all 3 bands. The Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble will go on 3/15 during the school day. The Concert Band will go on 3/15 during the school day.
 - We are still in need of chaperones to assist. You must have a current SLED check on file with the school to chaperone a school trip.
 - Still having trouble getting bus drivers during the day. We have to work around when we can get bus drivers.
- Parent appreciation night is Monday night. Both Jazz Bands will be performing. This is a dry run for JPA.
 - Report time is 5:30 in concert black.
 - Big band will perform from 6, and the Combo Band will perform at 6:30
 - The school will be feeding the band.
- Notices have been sent home with students referencing outstanding balances due for band fees. They were sent home in a sealed envelope
- If you have any questions about band fees, or schedules, please send all emails to Mr. Scarabino.
- Solo Ensemble is the last thing that we need for the OPA award. The OPA is the highest award that a program can receive.
 - We need 16 superiors at Solo Ensemble to receive the OPA award.
 - The deadline to register for Solo Ensemble is March 1st
 - Solo Ensemble will be held on April 28th.
 - There is a \$10 charge for each entry. This money does not have to be paid right now to register.
- 3 Spring Mini Camp dates: April 10th, April 17th, and April 24th.
 - I want to provide the students target goals. We want them to work towards the target goals to see their growth. This allows me to see if they are putting the effort into their assigned goals.
 - Students will need to earn their spot on the field
- If you are not receiving weekly emails, please make sure you put your email address on the sign in sheet.

Minutes and Financials were approved

Next meeting –March 21, 2023, in Chorus Room

Tripp Bishop thanked everyone for coming. Meeting adjourned at 7:45 pm.

Meeting minutes submitted by: *Mindy Cerul*

Number in attendance: *28*