



Boiling Springs Band Booster Club
Meeting Minutes
Monday - July 24st, 2023

The meeting was opened at 6:04 pm by Tripp Bishop, President.

Handouts at meeting: Parent applications

From Tyler Scarabino: Director

- We would like to welcome Eric Toole to kick off our fundraiser.
- This fundraiser is a very safe platform for the kids to use. Only the students can see the contacts that they have entered into their circle. This app is not open to anyone outside of our program.
- Today was the start of band camp.
 - Please help your children be prepared for camp each day.- Water, sunscreen, hats, sun glasses, tennis shoes,
 - Make sure that they are hydrating after practice.
- We have several returning staff members - Tyler Scarabino, Dennis Stepp, Ashlyn Campbell, Lori Smith and Katie Scarabino.
- Our new Staff members are: Bridgett Carmen, Sydney Sorber, William Land, Jesus Barreto, Luke Whitfield and our new Assistant Director Michael Sanchez.
- The best resources for information are: our website BSHSBB.ORG, the Band app, Facebook and the band hand book. I send out a week at a glance email with events for the upcoming week.
- It has been brought to our attention that people have been parking in the driveway between the main campus and the 9th grade campus. **Please do not park in this location. It stops the natural flow of traffic.**
- Summer uniforms - these are not for camp. They will wear them for the 1st 4 games.
 - Show shirts tucked in, Khaki shorts, belt, tennis shoes and socks
- We will not be using Under Armor backpacks this year due to the large price increase.
 - We are transitioning to duffel bags. Bags will be returned at the end of the season with uniforms.
- Section Shirts: These are not a required item.
 - All section shirts need to be approved by Mr. Scarabino before moving them into production.
 - All money for section shirts and orders must go through the Booster Club Treasurer for accountability.
 - Students must be current with band fees, in order to purchase a section shirt.
- No clear design on 5A state in Colleton County.
 - We can not make any decision until the draw on September 9th.
- There will be no parent pickups allowed after away events. We need to be able to account for all of our students.
- September 30th TBA - we will be competing, we are trying to iron out all the details.
- Our Band Boosters assist in paying for items additional to what the school district allows. They pay for the tangible items such as uniforms, buses, and hotels.
- We have a very supportive administration, but they can not pay for all of our expenses.



- Fees should be paid on myschoolfees.com for all 10th - 12th graders. 8th and 9th graders should submit payment in a sealed envelope to Mr. Scarabino.
- My preferred method of communication is via email.

From Eric Toole: Fundraiser Representative

- As pointed out by Mr. Scarabino, this app is a safe platform for your students to be using.
- Technology is catching up - this app is more effective and less of a hassle.
- Please ask your students to download the app MoneyDolly onto their phone.
- You will need to complete 3 tasks to set up your students account.
- Please join the Bands of Boiling Springs fundraiser, add a smiling picture of your band student, and invite adults into your circle.
- Please complete these steps tonight so that we can kick off tomorrow.

From Tripp Bishop: President

- Thank you to everyone that donated food, and assisted with serving our students.
- Our membership fees will be \$15 for 1 person, and \$25 for 2.
 - Your fees will cover a background check, voting rights (you must be a paid member to vote) and a show specific magnet.
 - Mindy Cerul and Dan Gordon will be the only board members with access to your information. Tall documents will be locked in a secure location.
 - We are working with the district, as to if they will accept our background checks for use with the district.
 - Even if you are district checked, you will still need to be checked by the Band
- Palmetto Twist shirt store will be up and running soon. You will be able to purchase all of your Bulldog Band Apparel through the web store. They will print your orders on demand.
- Our 1st home football game is August 18th.
 - We will need parent volunteers to assist with concessions. Please use the SignUpGenius posted on our Facebook page and the band app.
- All accommodations for the Memphis trip will be made through the band. 4 students per room. We will be competing on Saturday only.
 - Membership fees, and fundraisers will assist in paying for this.
- Transportation from the middle schools will not be provided at this time. We are working on a solution.
- Please do not arrive to watch practices until the last 30 minutes of practice. We do not want to distract our students.
- Please park in the main parking lot of the High School building to pick up your students. **No one should park their vehicles between the two campuses for any reason. This disrupts the flow of traffic.**

Next meeting –August 15, 2023, in Band Room

Tripp Bishop thanked everyone for coming. Meeting adjourned at 7:03 pm.

Meeting minutes submitted by: Mindy Cerul

Number in attendance: 128