

HIGHLANDS BAND ASSOCIATION

March 13, 2007 Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Co-President Diane Keeler at approximately 7:35 p.m. with 13 present (including 6 officers).

A motion was made to approve the February minutes, Rhonda Daniels approved and Mark Reibling seconded.

TREASURER'S REPORT;

Budget and profit loss statement were presented for review. Listed on the report are the solo and ensemble fees which are included in the concert band fees. The candy cane sale raised \$155, Mardi Gras raised \$1762.53, and the quarter income from Remke was \$684.

Three students have submitted their nonrefundable deposit for the 2007-2008 marching season.

Bill will get the check ready and Diane will complete and turn in paper work for the 4th of July booth.

FUNDRAISING

Buddy Cards have been returned as of now our profit is \$680. We have approximately 50 cards left.

Pizza and Hoagie kits will begin on 3/21/07 orders are to be returned by 4/18/07. Rhonda is verifying with Mr. Faust ok to use HMS for delivery of product on 5/2/07. There is a profit of \$5 per kit.

The AFD is tentative for 5/19/07 with a back up date of 4/29/07.

Kentucky Speedway – there is an interest in doing so Tammy will proceed with getting more information.

Scripps profit for the year is \$1,227.56.

Fall Sports program needs to be on everyone mind. We need to find someone to start this project.

Dinner Dance is on 4/14/07. Dancing with our Stars is a dance competition dinner dance with 10 dance contestants. There is also a silent auction, dinner, beer, wine, frozen drinks, as well as a DJ. The menu for the night is roast beef, ham, turkey, lasagna, salad, vegetable, pasta salad, desserts(donated by the cookie jar), and starbucks coffee.

Setup is from 10 to 12. Access back to the mess hall at 5:00pm. Volunteers still needs for all areas.

DIRECTOR:

Jazz band to Kings Island with the 7th and 8th grade bands date is TBA. Diane Keeler will check with Miller imprints on shirts. Jazz band did well in Louisville.

5/24/07 the HHS Band will perform at NKU. Kids meet at the school at 12, warm up is at NKU at 2:00 and the performance is at 3:00.

April 28th solo and ensemble at Ryle, there are 50 performing groups from Highlands.

Winter Guard took 2nd at the Ryle competition. Championships are March 31st at Ryle High School.

5th graders are coming to HMS, they will hear the HHS band perform. This is a recruitment opportunity for the band. Every 5th grader will have the opportunity to play an instrument. Lori would like to have 75 incoming 6th graders for next year.

Purchase needed for the HMS for next school year, Bari sax, baritone, and a tuba.

Lori would like to be able to include the 6th grade band in the festival in a couple of years but has to be able to have these instruments available.

Drum set needs to be purchased for HHS for Jazz band currently we are using one that belongs to a student which is graduating this year.

The board approved the BOA trip for 2007-2008 season.

Lori would like to investigate a lesson reimbursement program. Other schools offer this program.

Recommend that the HBA should pay for the folder fee for the kids that make select band and allstate. This will be investigated for next season.

Presenting positions to go through the school, asking for percussion, guard, assistant guard, brass and visual.

Award program will be held at Tower Park on 5/3/07.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

The next Meeting will be held on April 10th, 2007 @ 7:30 p.m.