

**WR BAND BOOSTERS  
MEETING MINUTES  
6 MAY 2008**

Jim Tingerthal, President, opened the meeting:

- ◆ Good evening and welcome. Sign-in sheet was passed around.
- ◆ April minutes are posted to the web.
- ◆ It was noted that replacements hats and new bibbers still need to be ordered. Still need a volunteer for a "uniform mom."

Sheila Odell, Vice President of Special Events, says:

- ◆ Coffee and dessert will be served at the Jazz Band concert, May 20.
- ◆ A flyer was sent home about the band banquet and an email will be sent also.

Sylvia Enix, Treasurer, reported:

- ◆ The end of March financial statement is available to view online at <http://www.wrhsband.net>.
  - checking account balance was \$17,398.67
  - money market account balance was \$39,012.88
  - total net assets was \$56,411.55

Patty Herb, Student Account Manager, let us know that registration for next year's marching band season is right at 100 members. Also doing good on collecting fees. The Parent Certification form, which has to be notarized, continues to be a problem.

Jim Tingerthal announced that the proposed 2008-2009 school year budget has been available on the web and it was time to vote on it. Sylvia mentioned the only change made was to add \$300 for a port-a-potty for use during band camp and after-school practices.

- ◆ A motion was made, it was seconded, and all voted in favor of the budget as proposed.

Billy Miller, our incoming President, reminded everyone that it is time to begin getting the equipment truck and props ready for the upcoming marching season, as a lot of money and time is required.

At this time, Jim Tingerthal announced that it was time to vote on a proposed amendment to the bylaws and constitution. It was proposed at the April booster meeting to remove oversight of equipment from the VP of Operations to the VP of Support.

- ◆ A motion was made; it was seconded, and all voted in favor of the proposed amendment.

It was noted that a volunteer to hold the position of VP of Special Events was still needed. Cindy Yake indicated that she would like to co-chair in this position with someone else. Dede Martin volunteered and it was decided that she would hold the position of VP with Cindy helping.

- ◆ A motion was made; it was seconded, and all voted in favor of Dede Martin as VP of Special Events. Thanks, Cindy!

Stepping up to hold the following executive committee positions, effective at the end of the May booster meeting are:

- ◆ President – Billy Miller
- ◆ VP of Operations – Sheila Odell
- ◆ VP of Support – Jim Tingerthal
- ◆ VP of Special Events - Dede Martin
- ◆ Secretary – Mary Lou Hilton
- ◆ Treasurer – Sylvia Enix

Chris Ryles, Assistant Director of Bands, announced that the \$100 gas card raffle is currently in progress. Funds for new percussion equipment are being raised. Tickets are \$1 each.

- ◆ A CHANGE from last month's booster meeting is that the drawing for the winner of the gas card will be held at the percussion concert, 19 May; and you do not need to be present to win.

Todd Howell, Director of Bands, reports:

- ◆ Upcoming Performances:
  - May 13, Spring Band Concert, 7 p.m. The band has been working hard. The music is great. You will love it!
  - May 19, Percussion Concert
  - May 20, Jazz Concert
    - Coffee and dessert will be sold.
    - Drawing to receive \$100 off band fees will be held. You must be present to win.
  - May 23, Band Banquet
- ◆ The Symphonic Band will play at graduation, 31 May, 3 p.m. There will be after-school rehearsals.
- ◆ The show music is in (minus the percussion parts).
- ◆ We have never had such a large number of students registered this early. Remember to pay fees on time to avoid late fees.
- ◆ Important date change: Family Day has been rescheduled and will be held on 19 August. An email was sent out and this information has been posted on the web.

- ◆ If you cannot make it to the Georgia Dome for Drum Corp International (DCI) on 26 July, another opportunity for you will be on 11 July in Valdosta at the Bazemore-Hyder Stadium. For more information go to <http://www.dci.org>.
- ◆ Thanks! It's been a great year!

The next booster meeting will be held 10 June. Meeting adjourned.