

Millard North Band Boosters Board Meeting

Monday, March 8, 2010

AGENDA

Welcome!

John Fray called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Director's Comments

Monday, April 12, Booster Scholarship applications due from seniors

District Music Contest will be held Wed.-Sat. April 21-24, not during school. They are going an extra night to keep kids in school during the day. Times TBA.

Saturday, April 17, NSBA Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble performance. Times TBA

Friday, April 30, leadership applications are due. It's earlier than normal.

Drum major auditions before May hopefully. Current DM's choosing times to do auditions then will coordinate with Larry and Cathy's schedules.

Thursday, May 6, Awards Banquet

Tues., May 11, Concert

Big Band Dance, May 14, same set up, same time.

Jazz Band received superior rating at the UNO Jazz Festival: 90 and 85 from respective judges.

Millard South is hosting a DCI this summer. Drum Corp International – all division I corps.

www.DCI.org has all the info. July 14: Blue Devils, Cavaliers, Blue Knights, etc. Millard

South boosters will put up \$25,000 guaranteed upfront money.

MPS will be hosting the AA NSBA state marching contest next year.

Old Business

Follow up on February 18th Concert: There was a mix up on scheduling the cafeteria, so we had to serve cookies in the south hallway. Ann asked for someone to volunteer for Treasurer next year and updated the crowd on booster activities.

Eighth Grade Pep Band/Pizza Party: Kids had fun. We ordered too many pizzas. There were a lot of kids that couldn't come because EBO was the same day. Kids ate a lot. We gave the leftovers to the janitorial staff. Next year will get number of varsity pep band members from Larry.

Officers for next year. Still need a Treasurer for next year. We do have a possible candidate.

New Business:

Pizza Pals for Spring Fundraiser: Will plan to sell at May Concert and Big Band Dance. Will set up table at Big Band Dance. John will contact Anita to ask her to coordinate.

Big Band Dance: Kim B. will get Kathi Muss the Kitchen Supervisor's name. She needs to fill out form for using facility. April 15 she will send out letters to advertise. Tickets, posters (large and 8 x 11) were printed before by the woman who isn't printing for us anymore. Kathi will check out Kinko's for discount. She will also look into Fast Signs that you can reuse and change the date. We are eliminating ice cream and may add cookies. We will still have cheesecakes, lemonade, coffee, and water. Kathi will contact Larry Kirstein to set up volunteer sign up on the web site. Proceeds go to the school's activity fund. Lanny Weak moved that we raise the adult ticket price to \$10 for the Big Band Dance. Jim Laughlin seconded it. All students (including college) will still be \$5. Motion was carried.

We think it's the choir's turn to host the Awards Banquet. John will email Larry to tell Mr. Dugdale it's their turn and to make sure the room is reserved. We have all the decorations in the uniform room that they can use.

After prom: We are doing a Dr, Seuss theme in our area, by the concession stand. Anita is in charge.

Open Positions for 2010/2011: Susie Lewindowski will be cookie chair next year. Joani Lillo will be bus chaperone chair. Carolee Hoth will be Spirit Chair.

Committee Reports: If needed (09-10 Chairs)

President – John Fray
President Elect –Ann Leever
Treasurer –Robert & Anita St. Onge
Secretary –Dawn Coury
Finance –Kim & Jeff Bainbridge
Uniforms – Denise Mazour & Karen Fulton

Records/Registration – Tammy Coughlin: Tuesday, March 16, we are doing uniform fittings for kids who weren't in marching band but will need them this spring for NSBA. May 15 is tentative uniform check in date in the multi-purpose room. Tammy will talk to Larry about having the kids bring their hats in to double check the fit, but let them keep them over the summer. Tammy will talk to Larry about possibly putting the hats in the guard room if we can't let the kids keep them. May need to build some shelves in the cupboards.

We did hand out some newsletters at the 8th grade registration. There will be a registration night for kids transferring into the district in May, so may hand out more that night.

Spirit – Dawn Coury: Dawn will buy Cathy a restaurant gift certificate for her birthday April 8.
After State Celebration – Lannie Weak
Spirit Wear – Marchelle Benes
Premiere Night/Potluck/Concert Refreshments – Kim Bainbridge & Rebecca Welton
Picture Buttons/Photo –Lannie & Carol Weak
Contributions – Lannie Weak
Bus Chaperones – Gabriella Ostler
Bus Cookies –Gary & Nancy Kalis
Pit/Truck Crew – Jim Laughlin
Newsletter/Roster-Marcia Shavlik
Website –Larry & Deb Kirstein
Hyvee Receipts – Dallas and Cindy Focht
Scholarship - Heather Vanderveen
Post Prom – Anita St. Onge
Big Band Dance – Kathi Muss

UPCOMING EVENTS

NSBA Concert Band	Sat	Apr 17	(Wind & Symphonic)
District Music Contest	Th-Sa	Apr 22-24	(Wind Ensemble)
Music Awards Banquet	Thu	May 6	
Prom at Qwest Center 8-11pm	Sat	May 8	(After Prom at MNHS)
Band Concert	Tue	May 11	
Big Band Dance	Fri	May 14	

Jim Laughlin moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:00. Lanny Weak seconded it. All were in favor.