

## Dunlap High School Music & Theater Boosters Meeting

February 7, 2023

Attendance:

Board Members present:

Officers: Ken Erdman, Julie Dorothy, Angie Mitchell

Committee Chairs: Jenni Paustian, Sarah Kammerer, Sandy Kousturos,

Jenny Carmean, Suzi Lauterbach, Amy McLaren, Tina Frese, Amy Bloms, Sandy Kostorous

Directors in attendance: Jill Shea, Willis Barber

7:01 Ken Called meeting to order

Officer Reports:

Secretary's Report: Minor changes being made to report by Ken. Minutes approved as amended.

Treasurer's Report: Geoff not in attendance. Ken reported \$1100 donation and \$1300 matching gifts from CAT. Geoff will send something out possibly before the next meeting.

Vice President's Report: No report.

President's Report: Reminder that Ken's term is coming to an end at the end of this school year so we need to be looking for a replacement among a few other positions (including VP as Julie Dorothy will be stepping down)

Director Reports:

Band- Jill Shea: solo and ensemble coming up at UTH in early March, concert toward the end of March, last pep band tomorrow! Two full buses of kids registered to go on trip! 2 orchestra and 1 band all-state

Orchestra- Jill Shea

Theater- Willis: Cinderella in January went really well, Unfortunately unable to find someone to do GI/Contest Play. Willis and Mrs. IdaP planning a trip for kids to New York in June of 2020- 8-9 kids signed up - hoping for 20 or so. Sandy:

Feels that lobby decor and concession stands went well and that we have a good template for the future.

Chorus- Jenny: Mid-Illini choir concert 2/6 at Limestone with Master Chorale went well and was well attended. Jazz/Show Choir performing at Fine Arts Night 4/21. Kids are also finishing up All-State as well and did very well.

Committee Reports:

Band/Orchestra- none

Theater- none

Chorus – none

Public Relations – Need to do a big push for Trivia Night but just waiting to finalize some details

Fundraising –

Trivia Night: February 25th Ken is working on questions. Using Redeemer Lutheran Church gymnasium again this year. Really trying to encourage students to come and create more hype. Ken is working on circulating a poster to promote forming tables. Theme: Trivia Live in Concert encouraging participants to dress in favorite band, genre, decade, etc. Julie is working on decor. Instead of just raffle prizes, we are going to do door prizes and we are looking for donations for some of these prizes. Anyone who comes is eligible to win a prize. Willis suggested a possible silent auction. Jenni P. asked if adults could buy extra tickets. Just want to make sure students aren't gambling. Admission prices went up a bit. Also always good to ask for a goodwill offering. Jenni also made a graphic for Facebook and will also make an event so people can show interest and invite others. Ken sent out the flyer with a QR code and new verbiage to the board. Suggestion of a slight discount for a full table registration - don't need a full table to attend. Bringing food and beverages of your own is encouraged but no alcohol. Ken is going to try to find music from the past to be able to broadcast during breaks between rounds. Ken will be at school to promote this coming Thursday. Reminder that donations/donors will be recognized on FB. Possible options: gift cards, products, services, tickets to events, etc.

Butter Braid orders - orders open on Feb 20 and closes on March 17 and are delivered Tuesday, March 28 looking for help to help distribute and organize

Special Events – none

Old business- none

New business- Jenni: organizing sign up genius to help with refreshments for Fine Arts Night

Next Zoom meeting Tuesday, March 7th @ 7p.m.

Meeting adjourned 7:47 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted, Angie Mitchell