Dunlap Music Booster Meeting

Minutes of February 7, 2012 Meeting

<u>An attendance sheet</u> was signed by those in attendance, which is filed with the Secretary's Minutes file. Officers in attendance: President Ronda Mathewson, Treasurer Krista Hoerr, Secretary Pam Streitmatter. Staff present: Jason Shea, Jen Reece, and Robin Hunt.

The meeting was called to order by President Ronda M. at 7:05 p.m. in the Town Center.

<u>The minutes of previous meeting (December 5, 2011)</u> were reviewed. A motion made to approve by Lori France. Motion seconded and passed.

<u>Treasurer's Report</u>: Krista was present and added an amendment to the statement: Jazz should be \$904

For admissions, \$1,366 for concessions. Balance of \$26,630.37

Motion made to approve the treasurer's report by Kevin Curtin. Motion seconded and carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

<u>Fundraising</u>: Teri Fordyce reported she received \$200 from Old Chicago fundraiser and there will be a Double A fundraiser in the next month, a Monday or Thursday. Details later.

<u>Butter Braids</u>: Robin Hunt reported that orders go out Monday, February 27 and are due back March 15. This is the first fundraiser where proceeds go directly to the choral trip (Summer 2013). Accordingly, 8th grade choral students as well as theatre, orchestra, band, and chorus students will be given fundraiser flyers. Deposits and final commitments to the trip are due in May of 2012, so at that time, any student who is not committed to going, that student's fundraising will go in the "general trip fund" for extra expenses and to subsidize chaperones. Robin requested help on April 1st(delivery) to sort orders. This must done in a timely manner as the butter braids are frozen and cannot thaw.

<u>Fine Arts Night:</u>Annette Begner is the new chair for this April 20th event. General discussion about details followed.

<u>Jazz Fest</u>: Lori France reported that all went well, although it was a last-minute effort to find adequate staffing, but in the end, all went smoothly. A big thank you to Lori!

New Business

Ms. Reece has brought it to the attention of the Music Boosters that after the last choral trip, a refund was received by the security company in the estimated amount of \$1,500. After that, the music directors elected to purchase chimes for the school and Mr. Jason Shae put that amount on his credit card, and hasn't been reimbursed yet. We'd like to put this to rights, and so Robin Hunt made a

motion to reimburse Shae \$1,616 to reimburse for the purchase of chimes three years ago. Motion seconded and carried.

Ms. Reece also requested new show choir skirts for 12 girls at the cost of \$850. A motion was made by Krista to authorize spending up to \$850 toward the purchase of show choir skirts.

Ms. Reece also requested \$298 for the cost of legs for platforms. A motion was made by Annette Begner, seconded and carried.

Mr. Shea requested \$1000 to cover the cost of 45 pep band t-shirts to be used at the State Basketball Tournament in March. He might use a soccer theme this year. A motion was made by Lori France, seconded and carried to authorize up to \$1,000 to purchase t-shirts for the special pep band event.

Director's Report:

Mr. Shea showed a title page for the musical piece that was ordered in memory of Ellen. He asked for any revisions or clarifications before it goes to print. Some Booster members suggested it clarify that Ellen was a student, such as printing "Class of 2012". Shea reported the band students played the piece on Monday for the first time. It is uplifting, not sad, he reports.

Robin Hunt welcomed everyone to buy tickets to the school play: <u>The Adventures of Tom Sawyer</u>, to be performed March 2, 3, and 4th.

Booster Board/Committee Positions Open for 2012/2013: President Ronda welcomed others to join in a leadership role in the coming year! President, Vice President, and Secretary are open! If you'd like to step up, please contact Ronda. If you know of someone who might be interested (or a good candidate), please do pass on their name to Ronda. Thank you to all the officers and chairs for this year!

President Ronda adjourned the meeting by 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Pam Streitmatter, Booster Secretary

Coming up......

Feb 17 Senior Night BBB National Anthem (Chorus) 6:30 p.m.

Feb 21 Bradley Jazz Festival evening concert - Jazz only

Feb 24/24 Jazz in the Meadows Festival Overnight Trip--Gold Jazz only

March 2-3-4 School Play, Adventures of Tom Sawyer

March 3 IHSA Solo & Ensemble at Manual all day

March 5 Music Booster Meeting 7 p.m.

March 8 Mid-Illini Concert Band Festival 5:30-9:30 at Dunlap

March 20 Band Spring Concert (including new piece)

March 23 Bradley Choral Clinic 10 a.m.-2pm Master/Womans Chorale Only

March 29 Spring Choral Concert 7 p.m.

April 2 Music Booster Meeting 7 p.m.

April 20 Fine Arts Show 7:30 p.m. (Show Choir, Jazz Bands, etc.)

April 27 John Davis Choral Festival (Bradley) 9 a.m.-2p.m. Mastor Chorale only

April 30 Music Booster LAST meeting! 7 p.m.

May 4 Art in the Park! (Downtown Courthouse)

May 7 Music Awards - DHS Commons 6:30 p.m.

May 11 Auditions Show Choir/Madrigals 4-8 p.m.

May 14 Madrigal Audition Call backs 4-7 pm