Dunlap Music Booster Meeting

Minutes of September 8, 2010 Meeting

<u>An attendance sheet</u> was signed by those in attendance (18), which is filed with the Secretary's Minutes file. For security reasons, names listed within minutes will show first name, last initial.

<u>The meeting was called to order</u> by Co-President Theresa H. and Rhonda M. at 7:05 p.m. in the Town Hall Meeting Room. Introductions all around.

<u>The minutes of previous meeting (May 3)</u> were reviewed and a motion made to approve by Richard J. and seconded by Melissa R. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: Krista H. reported balances on hand:

\$ 5,839.40 checking

\$13,367.30 savings

\$ 5,464.52 trip account

\$24,

Motion made to approve the treasurer's report by Barb J, seconded by Richard M,

Motion carried.

There was discussion of use of tax-deferred status letter for purchases made by DHS Boosters.

Anyone wishing a copy should contact Theresa H.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

<u>Booster Wear</u>: Clothing designed to promote the music department is available through Janette K. (see school directory), and orders are due by Friday, September 10th.

Public Relations: Jill L. had no report.

<u>Fundraising</u>: Nathan and Melissa R. reported that trip fundraising was in five categories. Of urgent attention was....

Evergreen Sales. Joan M. is coordinating this effort. Order forms will be sent home with students early October, evergreens arrive first week of December.

<u>Cookbook.</u> 115 recipes have been submitted. Ideally 150-200 recipes needed.

Concession stands at Civic Center. There is an informational meeting end of September.

This requires commitment of 9-15 families to man the concession stands at 10-15 events

thru the year, which will profit individual student's band trip accounts.

After school concession stands are in the works!

Uniforms: Janine D. reports uniforms are first worn at Homecoming Parade & game. All upper-

classmen have been fitted, and extra uniforms have arrived as ordered. Janine has volunteer spots open on the uniform-volunteer list; help is appreciated. Cadet uniforms are being handled by Sue J. and Mrs. Potts.

Flags: No report from Carol M.

<u>Trailer & Pit Crews:</u> Kevin C. reported that Brian has good help lined up. The band directors have added additional equipment to be loaded onto trailers.

In relation to trailers, it was asked how the "reserved parking" spaces will affect whether there is

room for the trailers in band parking lot (during football games). At this time, Theresa H. reports, only 17 spots have sold, although Kevin C. believes there is still room for trailers if more spaces sell.

Kevin reports there is no progress in the possibility/offer of a donated ambulance from AMT.

It is in the paperwork phase at this time.

Jazz Band Festival - Lori F. stepped up to chair the committee for this spring event (concession stand).

Jane T. and Kathy A. will co-chair the event. Thank you!

<u>Paper Products</u> - Pam S. reported there is a good supply at this time; more may be purchased pending whether there is a U of I breakfast and needs of U of I lunch. With no band retreat, no need there. Pam keeps a supply of paper goods to be used at any music event (chorus, band, theatre).

Chaperones: Rhonda M. reported for Peggy B. that help is needed for the next few traveling trips.

Beverages: Tina V. reported help is needed to provide water bottles for upcoming events.

Restaurant Fundraising: There was no report from Paul L. or known profits from Dairy Queen.

Website: Peggy B. had no report.

<u>Senior Dinner</u>: Robin H. stepped forward (thank you) to co-chair event in the spring with Janine D. and Lana B. This is the dinner provided for senior music students just prior to the music awards night.

<u>U of I Breakfast</u>: The need for a chair is pending due to change in U of I schedule. The parade event has been eliminated. DHS performs at 11:31 a.m. within class 3A. This is an annual big contest event held at U of I with bands from all over the state. Cadets are invited and have been provided their own bus. Check

<u>eaglesmusic.net</u> website for current times. Additional information about U of I event may be found on the website <u>www.bands.uiuc.edu</u>.

<u>U of I Lunch</u>: Pam S. volunteered to chair with Rhonda M. Generally, Dunlap Administration budget covers the cost of Subway sandwiches, and parents donate drinks, fruit, and sides to the meal.

<u>U of I Decorations</u>: Janine D. has agreed to do decorations for band room as well as set up "Good luck at U of I" banner, and move to U of I "campsite". Janine made a request for up to \$200 to help defer the cost of decorations/helium. A motion was made by Richard M. to approve up to \$200 toward band decorations, seconded by Barb J. motion carried.

<u>Directors Report</u>: Due to Tuesday night practice, neither director was available for report. Mrs. Potts did not have any further information on the end-of-year band trip destination.

Request from Ms. Reece (via Theresa H.) for \$500 to pay accompanist. Motion made to allow \$500 to pay choral accompanist by Kevin C., seconded by Richard M, motion carried.

New Business: Please note the September 18th band event is in Morton, not Monmouth.

<u>Hot Beverages</u>: Janine D. made a request that the boosters purchase a beverage heater for hot cocoa on the road. There was discussion. Theresa H. tabled the motion for need of further research.

<u>Qdoba Cards</u>: Theresa H. opened discussion about remaining Qdoba cards for sale (approximately 1,200). It was agreed to send 10 cards out with freshmen at a NEW cost of \$5 (\$4 to go toward trip account, \$1 toward boosters). It should be noted that the cards expire December 31st. Nathan R. made a motion to do so at 8:05 p.m; Kevin C. seconded the motion; motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m. The next meeting will be the first Monday in October, 7 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Pam Streitmatter, Booster Secretary

Coming up......

Friday, September 10 Homecoming Parade & Game at DHS

Monday, September 13 Morton Field Show 5-9 p.m.

Saturday, September 18 Morton Field Show, times to be announced

Friday, September 24 Home Football Game

Saturday September 25 NIU Field Show, all day and evening

Tuesday, September 28 Chorus - National Anthem at Soccer Game 3:45

Saturday October 2 Olympia Field Show at Stanford & IMEA Auditions, Geneseo

Monday, October 4 Home Soph. Game

Monday, October 4 DHS Music Booster Meeting 7 p.m.

Friday, October 8 Home Football Game 6-9 p.m.

Saturday, October 9 Metamora Parade/Field, all day/night

Saturday, October 16 U of I Field Show, times to be announced, Urbana

Monday, October 18 Home Sophomore Game

Saturday, October 23 Mahomet Field Show, evening

Saturday, November 6 IMEA District 2 Jazzfest in Mendota, all day

Thursday, November 11 Veteran's Day Parade, Peoria

Saturday, November 20 Madrigals Retreat 9-3

Friday, December 3, 4 Madigals Knight!

Thursday, December 9 DHS Winter Choral Concert 7 p.m.