

EMHS BAND BOOSTER MEETING  
FEBRUARY 8, 2016

Christy Batterson, Booster President, called the meeting to order at 7:10 pm.

Old Business: None

Minutes from the January 25, 2016, Band Booster meeting were posted on the Band webpage prior to the meeting. Hard copies were also available. Tracey Garrett moved to accept the January 2016 minutes; Jimmy Chiconas seconded the motion. Minutes were approved.

New Business: None

President Report:

Christy updated the following:

- Chili Cook-off is Tuesday, Feb. 23, 2016, 6 pm - 7:30pm. Jazz Bands will be playing. Chili ready by 5:30 pm for the Jazz Band members. Look for more information via email, Charms, Web page, etc. Also look for opportunity to sign up to volunteer.
- Robbie Kinnard heading Search Committee for new Band Booster Board members for the 2016/17 school year. Joy Neel is assisting.

Vice President Report: None

Secretary Report: None

Treasurer Report:

- Debbie Thomas handed out the January 2016 Financial Report. Income increase due to Winter Guard assessments being paid. Also, more 2015/16 band assessments have been paid. Band Boosters have also received December Panera Night check as well as Kona Ice check. Expenses increase due to receipt of bills from 2015 marching season, trailer repairs, additional orders for spirit apparel, and St. Louis trip.
- Jimmy Chiconas moved to approve the Financial Report; seconded by Dot Offerman. Approved by Booster members.

Ways & Means Report: None

Logistics:

KellyLynn McLaughlin reported the following:

- Senior Paw Prints are on sale; \$50 per Paw Print. Each Paw Print is 5" tall, has your senior's first & last name and year of graduation, and will be displayed on Band trailer doors (on the inside). Can also order and pay online.
- Concert Blazers are being handed out. Seniors and juniors are done; sophomore and freshman to be fitted.

Publicity: None

Scholarship:

Grant Gregory reported the following:

- Our Band on the Run 5K is scheduled for Saturday, April 2, 2016, 8 am, at Mitch Park, Edmond. Look for more information and registration on the Band webpage.

- Mattress Sale date has been changed. It is now on Saturday, April 9, 2016. Kevin Hull, Mattress Fundraiser Coordinator, will be at our March 2016 Band Booster meeting.

#### Color Guard:

Jody Cordeiro reported the following:

- We have two great Winter Guard teams; one JV and one Varsity. Both shows are still a work in progress.
- Teams did very well at our first competition at Mustang High School.
- Winter Guard's next competition is January 27, 2016, Southmoore High School. State Competition is April 2, 2016, Yukon High School. Look for more information.

#### Director Report:

Mr. Jahnke reported the following:

- OSSAA will be Saturday, February 27, 2016, Edmond Sante Fe High School. Schedule should be out soon. OSSAA participants need to get an **original** copy of their music so it can be turned into OSSAA judges. If student needs help, please have them get with their director before end of this week.
- EMHS Band Competition be late March or sometime in April 2016. Doesn't anticipate needing volunteers.
- Weekly Woof Newsletter will begin soon. Your student's director is best person for them to contact if he/she has a conflict.
- Grade input - will explain the system to parents via a newsletter. Bottom line, no need to panic about your student's grade.
- Concert Bands are moving along. Students should be practicing at home. They need to learn their part with home practice and while in band practice they should be learning the parts of members around them.
- **All** Concert Band members **must** play a solo or ensemble at OSSAA or EMHS Contest.
- Performance calendar is complete and will be send out this week.
- Summer Band Camp schedule: 2 weeks, M - F, July 18 - 29, 2016. Awaiting approval of schedule from Mr. Coffelt.

Date for March 2016 Band Booster Meeting to be determined.

Jimmy Chiconas moved to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Keith Gage. Christy Batterson adjourned the meeting at 7:45 p.m.