

Colonel's Pride Band Boosters General Meeting Minutes- January 15, 2025

A general meeting of the Colonel's Pride Band Boosters Association was held on Wednesday, January 15, 2025 at 7:00 pm in the JWHS band room. Present were: Jeff Rutherford, Erik Peterson, Melissa Veach, Adam Rorex, Marcy Nelson, Mark Spinar, some parents and students.

Motion to approve the agenda as written by Erik, second by Marcy. Motion carries.

Motion to approve the minutes from the December meeting as amended (to reflect general meeting instead of executive) by Erik, second by Melissa.

Motion carries. Marcy will have Brad re-publish the amended minutes on the website.

Spring trip:

We will go to Busch Gardens Williamsburg on April 26, 2025. The cost will be \$115 per person. The bus will be paid for by the boosters and Mr.

Rutherford's budget at no cost to the students.

(Later, this cost was changed to \$135 each, as this is the current sale price when tickets will be purchased and this includes the all-day dining) A few students haven't turned in their forms and a few have not turned in their deposits. Erik will work on invoices.

Students will wear some sort of James Wood Band or Guard shirt on this trip, provided by the student. This can be a show shirt, plain band or guard shirt, etc.

Jazz Café- March 14, 2025:

We will have snacks & drinks, donations accepted/ donation jar. Laura will create a flyer to distribute. We will have a raffle for some of the items we have collected by donation (mostly gift cards). We will raffle off the soonest expiring items first. Must be present to win.

Basketball pep band:

February 7 & 10; Mr. Rutherford will hold rehearsals for these games, rehearsals will likely be on a Tuesday and Thursday after school. Pep band is open to anyone and is voluntary.

We will need to move the spring band banquet due to the 75th anniversary celebration for James Wood on May 18. May 19 was the date Mr.

Rutherford put out for the banquet but that is a Monday, so we have settled on Friday, May 23. Mr. Rutherford will check the date with the school

calendar to ensure there is no conflicts.

Fundraising:

We need to schedule some car washes for the spring.

Possibility of a car show- tentative date is May 31. We will hold a meeting on Saturday, February 1 at 10 am inside Martin's/ Starbucks on 522. This meeting is just to gauge interest on how much help we can expect and therefore, we can make a better informed decision on whether to hold this event or not. It will take a lot of helping hands to pull off a successful car show. We will raffle off remaining gift cards at this event if we hold it.

Band Director updates:

School renovations are supposed to be completed by spring break of this year.

All-District Band February 1:

Congratulations to:

Andrew Veach

David Spinar

Donte Senter

Sydney Johnson

Alternate Jesse Buracker

February 25- pre-district concert

March 4- Symphonic performance with SU (this is for concert band III class only)

March 8- assessment at Kettle Run High School, times TBA but students NEED TO EAT, as there is no plans for meals or concessions during this event.

Next meeting is Monday, February 3, 2025.

Motion to adjourn at 8:11 pm by Erik, second by Marcy.

Respectfully submitted by:

Marcy Nelson

Colonel's Pride Band Booster Secretary