

**February 5, 2019**

**6:00 pm**

**Pride of Pickens Band Boosters, Inc.**

**Monthly Booster Meeting**

**Pickens High Band Room – Jasper, GA**

1. Call to Order

- Meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by Cindi Lowe, Band Booster President.

2. From the Director, Michael Oubre

- Mr. Oubre went over the upcoming schedule. (Please send weekly email and post on Pride of Pickens Facebook page)
- Mar 1 All State Band in Athens
- Mar 8 Large Group Performance at Reinhardt. We have volunteers. Will not stop for food!
- Winterguard events are going well!
- April Marching band will start up with percussion auditions
- Spring concert #1 and #2
- May 3 Concert in Park
- Friday, May 10 is Band Banquet
- May 29 is last day of school
- June 1 is graduation. Band will not play this year due to not enough space on field.
- June is optional practice in you are in town and available
- Band Camp-May be affected by state set policy regarding students working summer jobs
- Fall Schedule-Gilmer game is away and is the last day of fall break
- See calendar for upcoming fall contests including the Cherokee Exhibition
- Website-To come: downloadable forms and be able to accept donations, sponsor payments, and our payments for band fees

3. Treasurer's Report

- Mandy Cantrell gave a financial update. Currently we have approximately \$12,000 of which \$3000 is set aside for uniforms leaving approximately \$9,000. Additionally, there is approximately \$2000 in accounts receivable in band fees outstanding.
- Bank loan was paid off in December.

#### 4. Election of 2019-2020 Officers

The following officers were elected by motion to nominate, second and unanimous support:

- President-Cyndi Lowe
- Vice President-Cindy Baker
- Treasurer-Mandy Cantrell
- Co-Treasurer-Brenda Adams
- Secretary-Stephanie Duncan

#### 5. Unfinished Business

- LGPE-Friday, Mar 8 at Reinhardt College. We need to plan on snacks.
- Concession Stand –Decision to come regarding large concession stand. If large concession stand will need new popcorn popper because there is on broken. The grill is in need of repair also per Tim Jordan.
- We need to get our supplies out of the big concession stand before spring sports. We can use the trailers to store items. Melissa to let us know work day to meet and clean out.

#### 6. New Business

- Committees: Sarah Ellis-Chaperones-To use Sign Up Genius  
Band Camp Committee-Melissa Bradley  
Uniform Committee-Rachel Nichols  
Concessions-Melissa Bradley, Nana  
Transportation-Chris Baker
- Fundraising  
Amanda Prather at R&R to get us Big Green Egg to auction. We will start this in July.  
Hunting Trip-Hunting Rights  
Guided Fishing Trip  
Maryann's in March or April  
Dragon Dash-We will not do this year as we have lost money on this event.
- Band Banquet  
Sarah Ellis is working on the food and instead of a picture booth we think have a dance floor so kids can dance. This is at Chattahoochee Tech and we have a 300 head count maximum.

7. Announcements

- Next meeting of the Pride of Pickens Band Boosters is scheduled for Mar 5, 2019 at 6 pm.

8. Close

- Meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm by Cindi Lowe, Booster President.