



## *Band Booster General Meeting*

**April 8, 2024**

**6:00 pm**

Called to order at 6:02 pm by Julie Reed, President

Recorded by Andrea Felder

### **Reading of Minutes**

- Minutes from March 18, 2024 meeting read by Andrea Felder.
  - Motion to approve by Betty Cox
  - Tina Winchester seconded
  - **Minutes accepted.**

### **Director's Report: Mr. Doyle**

- The color guard had the NTCA championship and finished second in their classification.
- The percussion indoor championship is Saturday, April 13, at Burlison Centennial.
- April 24 & 25, we are hosting the UIL Concert and Sightreading competition.
  - Concert and Symphonic bands will compete on April 24.
  - Wind Ensemble will compete on April 25.
  - We need volunteers for both contest days - at least 2 for hospitality and 4 for the contest office.
- Boswell is recording a performance at the PAC on April 26.
- April 27 is registration and Regiment Roundup
  - Returning students can again register online.
  - Parents of new students or those with unique payment plan needs will have to register in person.
- The band banquet is May 3.
- The spring band concert is May 9.
- The district solo and ensemble contest is May 11 at Boswell.
- Our mattress fundraiser is May 19.
- May 20 is the Fine Arts Showcase at Bass Hall for Wind Ensemble.
- May 25 is graduation.
- The wind players should get the music for next year's show before the end of the semester.
- Ms. Rivers - The Tri-M Music Honor Society induction is Thursday, April 11.

## Committee Reports: Committee Chairs Reporting

Treasurer Report: Betty Cox, Treasurer

- Betty is working on reports for each chair to see their sales and costs.

Fundraising: Shawn and Lindsey Wright, Co-Chairs

Color Guard:

Equipment: Jesse Kersten

Uniforms: Veronica Salinas, Chair

Hospitality Report: Amanda Zarbock, Brittney Sapien-Vance Co-Chairs

- Will need at least 2 volunteers to help with the UIL competition to refill items during the day.

Concession Report: Cory Newby, Chair

Web Designer: Andrea Felder, Chair

Sales: Kristy Swaim, Chair

## Ongoing Business

### ByLaws

Julie Reed presented the remaining proposed bylaw changes that were tabled from the previous meeting.

- Article VII, Section A
    - Recommended change: Add “and branches (Drumline, and Colorguard)”
      - Motion to strike change by Tina Winchester
      - Jim Kneisel seconded
- Vote passed unanimously.**
- Article VII, Section B
    - Recommended change: Change January to February
      - Motion to approve by Betty Cox.
      - Tina Winchester seconded.

**Vote passed unanimously.**

- Recommended change: Add Item A “Branches including Percussion, and Colorguard will provide a Fall budget along with a preliminary Spring budget by the February budget meeting with a follow up meeting in August to update for the Spring season.”
  - Motion to strike by Jim Kneisel.
  - Shawn Wright seconded.

**Vote passed unanimously.**

- Recommended change: Add Item B “Branches must get board approval for purchases outside of items pre-approved in the budget.”
  - Motion to approve by Shawn Wright
  - Amanda Zarbock seconded.

**Vote passed unanimously.**

- Proposed changes to Article VII, Section C and Article IX were deemed unnecessary, since they were already in the bylaws and were highlighted in error.

The approved bylaws will be posted and sent with the meeting minutes.

## **New Business**

- Registration on April 27, 8:00am to 12:00pm
  - Parents of returning students paying in full or with a traditional payment plan can register online.
  - Parents of new members or any members with unique payment plan needs will register in-person.
  - We will need 12-15 volunteers, who are asked to wear their 2023 show shirts
    - Shoe and glove fitting
    - Welcome/Questions
    - Registration
    - Volunteer signups
  - We will distribute picture forms at registration to be invoiced later. Forms will also be available later. We will not have online ordering for band pictures next year.
  - Set up will be Friday night, April 26.
- Banquet on May 3, 6:30pm to 10:30pm
  - We have decor, photo booth, and DJ already set.
  - Tickets are on sale now.
  - Dinner will be barbeque (Cory) and sides (Amanda).
  - Julie is working on getting the HCTC culinary students to serve.
  - Decorating will begin at 3:00pm

- Kristy Swaim motioned to adjourn.
- Tina Winchester seconded.
- Meeting adjourned at 7:16pm.

## Upcoming Events:

### April

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| 2     | Ranger Regiment 101 at 7:00pm                                  |
| 5     | Pre-UIL Concert  |
| 6     | Concert Band Auditions<br>Indoor Percussion at NTCA Lewisville |
| 8     | Band Booster Meeting   |
| 11    | Tri-M Induction Ceremony                                       |
| 12    | Bad Weather Make-Up Day  |
| 13    | Indoor Percussion NTCA Championships at Burleson Centennial    |
| 24-25 | Chisholm Trail hosting UIL Competition                         |
| 27    | Regiment Registration and Roundup 8am - 12pm                   |

### May

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| 3     | Ranger Regiment Band Banquet           |
| 4     | Percussion Ensemble Contest at Boswell |
| 9     | Spring Band Concert                    |
| 11    | District Solo Contest                  |
| 19    | Mattress Fundraiser                    |
| 20    | Wind Ensemble Performs at Bass Hall    |
| 23    | Percussion Concert                     |
| 24    | Last Day of School                     |
| 25    | Graduation                             |
| 28-30 | Percussion Mini Camp                   |