

SPRUCE CREEK MUSICAL PERFORMING ARTS ASSOCIATION- GENERAL MEETING

September 7, 2021

Meeting called to order at 7:05pm.

-The May meeting minutes have been posted to the website. Cassie motioned to approve the last minutes and it was seconded by Natalie.

President's Report

Elizabeth has been taking (great) photography for our band at games and is looking for additional photographers so that she can participate with her senior student at events.

Treasurer Report

Checking: 69,

MM: 29,419.09

CD: 20,523.65

CD is in a 12-month lock and was renewed this summer in July. Payment reminders will be going out this month and all payments need to be made in full. Please contact Laura Kramer if you have any questions on account balance.

Summer camps have been paid for along with color guard. All state payments have also been made. Equipment purchases were made for show props and supplies. Upcoming big expenses include transportation costs, and rumored partial uniform piece replacement.

Vice President

Cassie has requested additional help with the field crew team. She will be reaching out to parents who signed up at kickoff. We are also looking for a parent with a truck that can tow the band trailer.

Concert Uniforms

Natalie would like everyone to begin preparing for their concert uniforms. Each band has a different uniform requirement. Jazz students will need to wear tuxedo pants with a satin stripe down the leg. All male band and orchestra students will wear a vest and have quarter inch pleating. The vest needs to be plain and matte solid black. Daytona Tuxedo works with the band and will provide a discount and free hemming of pants. Please call for an appointment for a fitting. If you still need to purchase an optional band jacket, please see Natalie for the form. Please have concert attire ready by October 2nd 2021 for a Jazz Orchestra concert and give Daytona Tuxedo a call for pricing. Girls will be fit this week in school for their dresses. Please have them hemmed.

Director Reports

First away game will be this Friday at Daytona Municipal Stadium. Students will be driven to and from the game. If students would like to be picked up from the game, the parent must send a note 24 hours in advance and you must see the band directors before taking your student. They will need to take their garment bag home with them. The band will be going to Mainland for an away game and a pep game to Flagler/Palm Coast. Allstate Auditions times have not been sent out yet but Mrs. Martin will update. September 25th will be the Port Orange Family Days where our band will be marching. Call time is 9am at the Home Depot parking lot in Port Orange. Students will take their uniforms home on Friday and return them the following Monday (no Shakos). The band will march around the city center entrance to the main stage. The 12 O'clock Jazz band will be performing after the parade.

The Ireland Tour will be the 14th-21st of March in 2023. If your student is planning to attend you will have a payment that is due in January. The first payment is \$175 and is non-refundable due January 15th 2021. Your student needs to have a photo ID, watch, hidden money belt or lanyard, phone with quality camera or actual camera, 120V adapter, warm clothes, an ATM card with VISA logo (no AMEX or travelers checks), up to date passport, one suitcase, and money for souvenirs. Breakfast will be provided each morning. Student will fly overnight to Dublin and meet at OIA in the afternoon and board the overnight flight. On Thursday the students will be marching in the St. Patrick's Day parade. They will be playing various components throughout the city in addition to the marching band performances. Students will have a St. Patrick's Day dinner after the parade. Saturday students will be traveling to the west coast and then onto the Blarney Stone and Cork.

Next Board Meeting: October 5, 2021

Meeting adjourned at 7:58pm