Lorena Leopard Music Boosters

General Meeting

Date: 9/10/19



Attendance:

Christy Garner, Chris Star, Jenny Provence, Sheri Wester, Melody Libby, Soraya Burghard, Lynne Schlaud, Giana Lomenzo, Jill Durbin, Donna Gruth, Betty Vela, Jennifer Stinson, Belinda Strauch, Malia Fry, Vernice Jimenez, Kam Bass, Tamara Eaton, Catie Vela, Daelynn Copeland, Janet Elkins, Sharon & Jeff Keeland, and Jennifer Salazar

Call to Order:

President Christy Garner called the meeting to order at 7:10pm in the band hall.

Secretary Report:

Minutes were presented by Christy Garner.

Motion to approve July minutes by Sheri Wester. Seconded by Vernice Jimenez.

Motion to approve August minutes by Jill Durbin. Seconded by Sharon Keeland

Treasurer Report:

Balance sheet provided by Betty Vela.
Balance in Compass Bank is \$13620.84.
Deposits \$3469.25 (blue sheet).
Expenses \$6024.93 (blue sheet).

- Copy of Monthly Report included.
- ❖ \$824.81 made at Freddy's fundraiser.
- Motion to approve by Jenny Provence. Seconded by Vernice Jimenez.

Old Business:

Vote on purchasing 100 Lorena Leopard Pride Flags. Motion was made to purchase 100 flags that will cost \$1590. Some will be used to replace flags at the stadium and the rest will be sold. Motion to approve by Sheri Wester. Seconded by Lynne Schlaud.

- Motion was made to purchase 12 trucker hats and 12 of various sizes of each fitted hat. Motion to approve by Sharon Keeland and seconded by Betty Vela.
- The Boosters currently have 10 seat cushions and it was decided not to order more.
 - Directors asked that the Boosters purchase clear rain coats for the band members. 150 coats will be purchased for \$11 each, for a total of \$1650. Motion to approve by Sheri Wester and seconded by Lynne Schlaud.

New Business:

- ❖ Booster asked that parents donate treats after the Monday and Tuesday rehearsals. It was also asked that parents help pass out treats starting at 5:15pm. There are 120 students that will be at the practices. Contact Christy Garner if you can help.
- Boosters were asked to purchase meals for students on band contest days. Motion was approved by Malia Fry and seconded by Melody Libby.
- There was an additional shipping cost on the band caps because it had to be overnighted. The fee was \$106. The Boosters were asked to reimburse this fee. The motion was approved by Betty Vela and seconded by Jenny Provence.
- ❖ The band needs to purchase a new ramp for the large props. The estimated cost is \$170-350. The motion to purchase this was approved by Lynne Schlaud and seconded by Daelynn Copeland.
- Christy Garner informed the members that there are free ECG screenings at LHS provided by Cody Stephens Foundation for marching band students.
 - ❖ The Homecoming parade is on September 18th and will start at 6:30pm. The students will need coolers of water because the projected temperature is in the upper 90's.
- Homecoming is on September 20th and the band will perform pre-game, around 6:45pm. Call time will be 6pm.
- ❖ The Mattress fundraiser will be on September 21st. Friday night after the game help will be needed to put up all the instruments and have the band hall cleared out.
- ❖ On October 5th, there will be a contest at Midway and at McLane Stadium. The boosters will provide one meal. This was approved earlier in the meeting.
 - ❖ There will be a competition for the first 3 Saturdays in October.
 - ❖ There is a need for more help to put up flags at 6:15-6:30am.
- ❖ A booster member asked again about graduation cords. Mrs. Donahue agreed to speak to the administration and the issue will be discussed at the next meeting.

Next Meeting:

10/7/19 at 7pm.