



MEETING MINUTES Tuesday May 20, 2008

The President, Karen Walker opened the meeting and welcomed the members and the new parents in attendance.

1) **Report of the Secretary, Alan Bickerton**

- a) Correspondence
 - i) Incoming
 - (1) Thank you card from Mr McKeever for the gift from the Music Patron at the Music Banquet
 - (2) Thank you card from Casey Buchanon for receiving the Music Education Scholarship from the Music Patrons
 - (3) Sales totals for EBay from Diane Gratzmiller
 - ii) Outgoing
 - (1) None
- b) Next month's meeting will be held at Harrison Middle School due to the construction, the date will be June 17, the meeting starts at 7:30PM.

2) **Report of the Treasurer, Robert Smith**

- a) Bob went over the financial report, stating the totals in each account.

3) **COMMITTEE REPORTS (Committee / Chairperson)**

- a) Drum Corps International Competition / Jim Tomko (DCI Representative) - Nothing to report
- b) Banquet / Marcia Phillips
 - i) Thanks for all who helped out.
 - ii) Received very good comments for the evening
 - iii) Extra favors for sale for \$2.25, there are about 40 of them.
- c) Chaperone/ Diane DeBor - Nothing to report.
- d) Concession / John Tkach - Nothing to report.
- e) Funnel Cake / Sharon Berta - Need volunteers for Baldwin Community Day
- f) Hoagie / Amy Bower
 - i) Last Saturday was the last one for the academic year
 - ii) Starts back up in September
- g) Logistics and Props / Eric Crane - Will be scheduling maintenance on the gator with the school district next month.
- h) Membership / Char Andes - Nothing to report.
- i) Patron Clothing / Cindy Hollis - Clothing clearance sale still going on
- j) Publicity/ Mark Despotakis - DVD's are ready to be pickup for those who ordered them, will have them at the spring concert.
- k) River City Brass Band / Kate Tkach
 - i) Last show of the year was on Mother's Day
 - ii) Excited about returning to Baldwin in 2010-2011
 - iii) Forms for 2 tickets for the CLO for students who received an "A" in an "ARTS" class
- l) Scholarship / Kathy Barone
 - i) Thanks to all the committee who help review and pick the scholarships
 - ii) The winners of the scholarships where:
 - (1) Casey Buchanon - Music Education
 - (2) Chris Holzapple
 - (3) Scott Stansney
 - (4) Kelly Phillips
- m) Senior Recognition / Linda Russman - Nothing to report.
- n) Social / Sue Wilson - Via Karen Walker - Nothing to report
- o) Uniform / Linda McKeever
 - i) Uniform fittings for returning band members has started
 - ii) Baldwin Community day Parade the students will be wearing their summer uniforms, with their white shoes.
- p) Ways and Means / Gretchen Crane - Via Karen Walker
 - i) There are a couple of fundraisers planned for the summer months.

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- 4) **Mr. McKeever:**
- a) Welcomed new parents in attendance
 - b) Spring Band Concert on May 28 time has changed from 7:30 to 6:30, students to report at 6:00
 - c) All returning students should have received the band booklet, if not the parents need to contact Mr McKeever
 - i) Forms are to be returned throughout the summer
 - ii) Performance schedule has been approved by the school board.
 - iii) Keenywood is August 20th
 - d) Next January we will have a new band room after the construction has ended
 - e) Mini-camp will be held at Paytner Elementary School, along with the Tuesday practices over the summer
 - f) No practices after the July 4th parade for 3 weeks
 - g) Band Camp will start at Paytner
 - h) Assured the students that next year trip will not be over \$1200, if so, he will cancel and make alternative plans
 - i) Will be playing at the NAMM – National Association of Music Merchandiser Convention
 - ii) At the Queen Mary
 - iii) Disneyland
- 5) **Dr Keruskin (School Principal):**
- a) Welcomed all the new parents in attendance
 - b) Talked about the renovations going on at the school
 - i) New turf for the football field
 - ii) New sound system for the stadium
 - iii) Repaving of the South and Central parking lots
 - iv) June 16th the North end of build will start to be demolished
 - v) Construction to end in Dec 2008 or Jan 2009
- 6) **Open Floor Discussion**
- a) New Parent meeting on June 4, in the south café starting at 6:00
 - b) Committee sign up sheets after the meeting,
 - i) Karen reviewed what each committee is for, so that the new parent understood
 - c) Empty out of the patron room
 - i) May 31 at 9:00
 - ii) Need volunteers to help
 - iii) Need to clean out old trailer first
 - iv) Then move all items from patron & guard rooms to trailer for storage.
 - d) Asked for volunteers for the Funnel Cakes at the Baldwin Community Day, June 7th.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Alan J Bickerton, Secretary