



**SBPPAA March Meeting Minutes
August 17, 2020**

1. Meeting called to order by Sonja Mangrum, president @ 7:03 PM.
2. July 2020 minutes reviewed and approved.
3. Treasurer's Report - Lori Denny
 - a. Standard report
 - Instructor payments, PayPal charges are from changing bank accounts
 - b. Reviewed and approved
4. Director's Report - Mr. Mewhorter
 - a. Thank you for attending
 - b. Band Bulletin has all the up to date information
 - c. 7AM's started this week. Everyone showed up and it went well
 - d. We have started drill for the marching show
 - e. Little by little more "normalcy"
 - f. If you have questions on band fee's you can
 - go back to the all call meeting on the band app
 - Resources tab on the band website they are located there as well
 - Cheapest rate paid by 9/4
 - They are \$200 cheaper this year than previous (due to COVID)
 - g. Away games
 - no away games this year
 - h. Home Games
 - Still have a few questions we need answered such as transportation and real estate to seat the band
 - Once plan is known it will be sent out
 - Keep the games on your calendar
 - i. Bulletin will also notate calendar changes
 - j. Make up uniforms fittings
 - Link will be out about mid week
 - k. Show shirts
 - Available on app and Southmooreband.com
 - These are not required
 - l. There is additional band merchandise available with the show shirts
 - m. This year has been going good thus far. Kids are working hard. Working hard to find ways to show off their hard work
 - n. Questions –
 - How far we will travel in the state – Just home games. OSSA is in Yukon 10/27. It is the one contest that is still on and thinks it will happen. Outside of that Jazz band has one in Tulsa this Spring
 - o. Sonja is trying to do a parent update to coincide with the band bulletin for just parent info.
5. Student Fundraising – Victoria Tourville
 - a. BAND with us ... It's FEESable" (on-line donations)
 - Starts today through 8/31 – Flyer attached

- online donation – can be shared social media, email, text
 - All proceeds go to student account for fees
 - Give out the website, they enter their name, your name, and the amount they want to donate
 - PayPal handling fee will be taken out of the donation. \$25 donation would be \$23.75 into your account
 - Will run till 8/31 for two full weeks
- b. Car wash
 - Good job it turned out well
 - If not turned in money please do so by tomorrow to avoid additional fees
 - c. Blue & Gold
 - Approx. 9/1 till about mid September with delivery end of September.
 - Remember we don't have much notice of delivery and we will try for late drop off and will need to pick up quickly after arrives
 - d. STAY UP TO DATE ON BAND FEES'S AND BALANCES – this helps avoid penalties at graduation. Keep track via Charms
6. Band Fundraising (Melissa Dowling-Hartwig)
- a. Yard Sale
 - raised about \$2500
 - b. Masks/Gaiters – finishing printing and should be available soon. Likely do before/after rehearsal sale for these (Mask \$10/Gaiters \$15)
 - c. Amazon Smiles – Select SBPPAA to receive % of purchase to Southmoore Band
7. Upcoming events
- a. Parent Social
 - Thursday Aug 20, 20 at 7:00 – 8:30PM SHS parking lot
 - Mock Contest performance 9/19 - details to come
 1. We will need to feed the kids and will be serving food, Uniforms, logistics will likely part of this day
8. Committee Signups
- a. See band app for videos and sign-ups
 - b. Communication coming soon via Band App once signups are down
 - c. Background checks must be turned in
 - d. Shirt Size collected by committee chair person (free T shirt for those who volunteer)
9. Background checks
- a. If you help this year a background check will be needed
 - b. If you did one last year you will need a new one now. These expire in a few weeks
 - c. Print from saberband.com/bcheck
 - Fill out subject info only
 - d. Put form and money (\$20 to Southmoore Band) in envelop ****NO NOT PUT CREDIT CARD INFO ON THIS**
 - e. Do not put anything else in the envelope
 - f. Give form to an executive committee member at health screenings or in white box by Mr. Cliftons office
 - g. Current MPS employees do not need a background check
 - h. MPS Substitutes will need to complete a background check.
10. Financial Statements
- a. Will be out ASAP
 - b. See Charms or Mr. Mewhorter, Sonja (President) or Lori (Treasurer) with any questions
11. Other business
- a. Next meeting scheduled 9/21 7:00PM Location TBD (in person or virtual)
 - b. Communications will be done on app. Trying to get things out that people need.

12. Motion to Adjourn approved 7:37 pm

Respectfully submitted by
Amber L. Harper, SBPPAA Secretary

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