



**SBPPAA Meeting Minutes  
September 23, 2024**

1. Meeting called to order by Sonja Mangrum, president @ 7:01PM.
2. August minutes reviewed, motioned by Colleen McIntyre seconded by Aleasha Baumgarner and approved.
3. Treasurer's Report – (Kristi Jones and Lacy Moore)
  - a. Student account -band fees -Kristi Jones treasurer -35 cleared deposits. Deposits for the month were mostly band fees from Cut Time and checks. Deposits from Square store for meal passes and Vegas gold shirts, watering hole event then transferred out the money to pay for it. Band does not use the funds from fundraisers as it is deposited to the student's (parent) accounts. Instructors were paid, clinic was paid, hose splitter for the car wash, marimba wheels, guard equipment. Orlando fees transferred from Cut Time. Zoom fees and flag costs. Instructional fees. OBA fees.
  - b. Parent account -money parents raise through external fundraisers like car wash, external corporation donations -pays for upkeep and logistical needs Lacy Moore, treasurer. Expenses for popsicle night, Amazon purchases, Jazz rings, background checks, pizza for uniform fitters, trailer insurance, pizza for watering hole party, flowers for a funeral, Sam's club (food for watering hole party), ice vending, car wash supplies, donations PayPal and Massive graphics give donations when we spend money with them, OSBI fees for background checks, transfers from student accounts as money is moved, fabric market for props, car wash deposits, meal pass deposits. Savings account fund has a positive balance after paying for trailer repairs.Treasurer report reviewed, motioned by Christa Ragle seconded by Cayton Morris and approved.
4. Director's Report - (Mr. Mewhorter)
  - a. Contest went well on 9/21/24 -very hot event. Kids were fed watered, and well cared for at the event. We have a large number of parents that support the kids at these events and that makes a difference to hear people cheer for the kids when they perform. Thank you for attending the event especially if you were in the stands for prelims in the extreme heat. The kids did well at the event especially for the first contest. We did not attend the Moore contest as the date was switched after this event was already scheduled. Logistics were better at this event, better critique -judging similar to BOA judging. There's something special about competing somewhere other than home. No band bulletin today as this is a clean up Monday after contest. Kids acted well even with a younger group of kids. Busy week with Homecoming -parade and will march the show at an outdoor pep rally at the field on Thursday. The game will be at our stadium. It will be similar and different. Extra time available than what was previously needed as we no longer require bus transport. 3:30-5:00PM rehearsal then meal. Will not need as much parent help as no buses are needed. Will play it safe on the first game then will see what is needed for the next home game. This is the busiest time of the year with Saturday rehearsal then 2 contests in a row. Kids have the most struggle when marching season is over - grades decrease as the season comes to an abrupt end. Marching season is over halfway done.
5. Student Fundraising –
  - a. Tomorrow bundt cake orders are due. Large order expected as this is a popular fundraiser. Time for holiday fundraising -butter braids coming next.
  - b. Funds are up to date and in CutTime account.
6. Band Fundraising-
  - a. Meeting last month and will have another one soon. Working on future events and opportunities to raise funds. \$1500 last week was received for transportation fund from the Wal-Mart grant -band performance.
7. Upcoming events
  - a. Homecoming Thursday, parade, rally, marching show -all free. Encouraged to go to the parade. It is in the parking lot -lots of fun last year. All day practice Saturday -food if you have a meal pass. Next contest 10/5/24. The flyer asked that everyone park in the west parking lot for the parade.

8. Financial Statements
  - a. Available on CutTime.
9. Other business
  - a. Next band parent meeting on 10/21/24 on Zoom unless otherwise stated.
  - b. What is open house? -parade is the same day, can go into the school, teachers should be there if you would like to meet them. The kids have made homecoming decorations for viewing inside the building.
  - c. Thursday, the executive group voted to provide food after rehearsal before the parade -no cost, no meal pass, paid for by the boosters.
  - d. Your child will know if they are marching or not this week.
10. Motion (Saunda Ruff ) and second ( Kristin Self ) to adjourn approved 7:27 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by  
Amanda Ziegler, SBPPAA Secretary

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