



**SBPPAA Meeting Minutes
May 12, 2025**

1. Meeting called to order by Kristi Jones, president @ 7:05 PM.
2. March 24, 2025 minutes reviewed, motioned by Jeanie Coley seconded by Caroline Jimmerson and approved.
3. Treasurer's Report – (Kristi Jones and Lacy Moore)
 - a. Student account –beginning balance \$102,639.10, ending balance \$93, 469.81 (see treasurer report for details)
 - b. Parent account -beginning balance \$7962.78, ending balance \$2455.40 (see treasurer report for details)
 - c. Sammy savings account (fundraisers) -beginning balance \$6877.27, ending balance \$6895.36
 - d. Percussion account -beginning balance \$7758.65, ending balance \$ 7776.89Treasurer report reviewed, motioned by Joellen Buller, seconded by Christa Ragle and approved.
4. Director's Report - (Mr. Mewhorter)
 - a. Started marching practice outside with marching audition tomorrow and playing audition on 5/14/25. Percussion turned in their audition already, results will be posted soon. Guard auditions occurred last week, first rehearsal today. The show looks good on paper, will involve props with lights. The last grand nationals occurred in 2016, will attend in 2025. Received bond money this year that will help with band fees for the 2025-2026 year. Returned from Disney, trip went well and the kids enjoyed it and enjoyed the parents that went. Parents had a positive impact on the trip. Historical awards this year: triple sweepstakes with accent (every band received a 1 with jazz bands), winter guard made semi-finals at WGI -goal is to be an overall music program and not do it for the awards but we did have a historical awards year. The goal is to try to be successful next year as well. Appreciative of the parent support.
5. Committee Reports (Committee Chairs)
 - a. Booster Fundraising- Will take a break over the summer but will brainstorm ideas over that time
 - b. Student Fundraising- Fundraising options will occur approximately once each month. 100% of the profits goes to the student account.
 - c. Logistics- They are currently planning props.
 - d. Food- New food chairs for this year will meet with Colleen this summer to plan for the year.
 - e. Uniforms- They are planning for custom uniforms this year. They will fit kids tomorrow after already measuring their tops this spring. This year will include a custom bottom to allow for a change in color palette. Will need to measure for traditional uniforms at the end of the summer. The incoming freshmen were already fitted in the classroom.
 - f. Chaperones- Nothing new to report this year. There will be a need for medical crew to monitor 2 a days.
 - g. Merch- Nothing new to report at this time.
 - h. Color Guard- Auditions were already completed with 34 on the team and already practicing. The parent meeting already occurred. They will be fitted soon.
6. Old Business- Golf Cart -The golf cart used in the last few years was donated and no longer available. We are currently exploring options for the future. If anyone knows any opportunities for a golf cart, let the executive committee know about it
7. New Business- Nothing new was noted at this time.
8. Upcoming events -The band calendar was released today for the fall.
9. Motion (Talara Hamlin) and second (Regina Harwell) to adjourn approved 7:54PM..

Respectfully submitted by
Amanda Ziegler, SBPPAA Secretary

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