



**SBPPAA March Meeting Minutes  
December 14, 2020**

1. Meeting called to order by Sonja Mangrum, president @ 7:01 PM.
2. October 2020 minutes reviewed and approved.
  - a. No November minutes due to no meeting in November
3. Treasurer's Report - Lori Denny
  - a. Standard report for October/November
  - b. Reviewed and approved
4. Director's Report - Mr. Mewhorter
  - a. Filmed Concert Friday
    - working to edit this down. Used 5 cameras to have close to a professional production
    - had a good performance and the kids were a great audience for each other
    - Watch show will be this Friday – link welcome out about Wednesday
  - b. Winter Guard and Percussion are both up and running
    - will look different this year
  - c. No OSSA contests mostly due to having space needed
  - d. For solo and ensemble working for appropriate substitute.
  - e. Live Concerts – hopefully towards end of year. Will not go the whole year with no in persons concerns. If have to do limited attendees will do but holding out hope.
  - f. Calendar in Band App has some wrong dates - there is an issue between Charms and Band app – Plans to try to address over break.
  - g. Very proud of kids there have been no drop in kids participation and enthusiasm
  - h. Thanks and application expressed to Mr. Mewhorter for everything he has done for the band and the kids.
5. Student Fundraising – Victoria Tourville
  - a. Otis and Mracum's profits have been posted
  - b. Butter Braid delivery will be Friday, Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 5-6 at door 15
  - c. Fundraising will resume January 2020
  - d. \*\*\*\* STAY UP TO DATE ON YOUR BAND FEES TO AVOID PENALTIES AT GRADUATION \*\*\*\*
    - See Charms for details
6. Band Fundraising (Melissa Dowling-Hartwig)
  - a. There is Tailboard merchandise that still needs to be picked up
    - Please pick up with fundraising pick up on 12/18 5-6 door 15
  - b. Cooperate sponsorship email [Bandfundraising@sabercatband.com](mailto:Bandfundraising@sabercatband.com) for letter and donation levels
    - Great opportunity your (or you know of) a company for end of year donations.
  - c. Salsa website still open for band fundraising
    - If you liked it you can order more. Will not be available for student fundraising but will go for band fundraising
    - Will occur ongoing
  - d. Amazon Smiles (choose Southmoore Band)

- Received around \$200 from last statement
- e. Fundraising for spring is in planning
- f. Doing better this year than years past – Even with the Pandemic and all it associated requirements

7. Upcoming events

- a. 12/18 – 6:30 - Web concert streamed live with Mr. Mewhorter
  - will be on the Southmorre Band YouTube page and link will be send in band app

8. Financial Statements

- a. Will be sent out around 1/1/21
- b. See Charms, or email Mr. Mewhorter, Sonja or Lori with questions ([president@sabercatband.com](mailto:president@sabercatband.com) or [Treasurer@sabercatband.com](mailto:Treasurer@sabercatband.com))

9. Other business

- a. If you have a child in Winter Guard or Winter Indoor Percussion there will be parent support that is needed. Please watch for announcements and opportunities upcoming
- b. Next meeting scheduled 1/18/20 7:00PM. TBI Virtual or in person p

10. Motion to Adjourn approved 7:19 pm

Respectfully submitted by  
Amber L. Harper, SBPPAA Secretary

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