

## Holt Band Booster Meeting

June 11, 2013

**Members Present:** Nancy Buell (President), Jennifer Smith (Vice President), Shari Langer (outgoing Treasurer), Anne Fegan (incoming Treasurer), Jacki Fine (Secretary), Tanashe Martin, Mark Smith, Connie Clote, Lori Weber, Jane and Tim White, Brian Smith, Amanda Miller, Susan Shortt, Cheryl Maestas, Ryan Fegan, Anne Brune, Sheri Junker, Jeff Richardson, Lee Gorday, Sally Vikman, Kim Pieper

**A note to parents: If your child is in the Holt Band, you ARE a member of the Band Boosters. Thank you very much to all who attended this meeting!**

Call to order was made at 7:02 pm by Nancy Buell.

**Approval of prior month's minutes:** Motion was made to accept the May minutes by Tim White. Seconded by Jennifer Smith and the minutes were approved.

Apologies if you got a bad e-mail recently from the band. The password has been changed and the problem should be resolved.

**Treasurer's Report:** Shari Langer presented the account balances and budget summary. There is currently \$22,606.37 in checking, \$5,330.65 in savings and \$150.00 start cash with a balance of \$28,087.02. These totals do not include Scrip. We are about to pay a lot of big bills for the upcoming marching season.

Any payments can be mailed to: Wentzville Band Boosters  
1939 Wentzville Parkway # 135  
Wentzville, MO 63385

Or you pay by Pay Pal through Charms.

**Scrip Report:** No Scrip report

### Old Business:

**Fundraising Report:** There have been some changes in St. Charles and we are not sure that we will be able to continue parking lot fundraisers, but we are working on it. This fundraising opportunity involves selling parking spaces in downtown St. Charles for events such as Festival of the Little Hills. Those who work the fundraiser get to earn profits toward their student band ledgers. We hope to continue this fundraiser. We will not be doing parking lots for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. We do hope to have two lots for Festival of the Little Hills. More news will come soon. We had discussed putting together a calendar as part of the sponsorship program. We don't have time to get it done well this year, so it will be put off for at least another year.

**Board Nominations:** There are several appointed positions still open. If you are interested in any of these positions or would like more information, please let a board member know or reply to any e-mail.

**External Communications & Media Relations:** work with the Secretary to provide information to newspapers and other outside media sources and the district website.

**Freshman Class Representative:** Works with volunteer coordinator to make sure new parents understand what is going on and how to get involved. Freshman Class rep helps with senior gifts at competitions and at the end of the year.

**Sophomore Class Representative:** Liaison between parents and the board to ensure that parents are getting/sharing information and understand what is going on and how to get involved.

**Product Chair:** Works with the Fundraising Chairperson on fundraising opportunities that involve sales such as cheesecake, poinsettia and cookie dough sales.

**Event Chair:** Works with the Fundraising Chairperson on fundraising events such as parking lots, trivia or mouse races and events similar to Boston Brass.

\*\*We still need a lot of help. The food and beverage committee is an urgent need as competition season will be upon us really soon. Any bit you can offer is valuable. Please let us know if you have questions or would like to help with any of the above activities.

#### **New Business:**

#### **Upcoming Dates:**

**July 2 & 3-4<sup>th</sup>** of July rehearsals 6:00-7:30 pm all are welcomed and encouraged to participate

**July 4-**parade 10 am. All are welcome and will wear green t-shirts. Parents are needed to walk and help with water.

**July 16 & 18-**music rehearsals 6:00-7:30, **uniform measurement** 5:00-6:00 pm (every band student must be measured-please let us know if you cannot come at this time or July 19)

**July 18-** ice cream social for all new students, families and section leaders immediately following the music rehearsal in the lobby of the auditorium.

**July 19-9<sup>th</sup>** grade and new member band camp 8:00-12:00. **Uniform measurements** 9:00-1:00 (older students can come in any time to be measured. New band members can stay after camp to be measured.)

**\*\*If you cannot make one of the above uniform measurement times, please contact Nancy Buell at 636-675-3274 so we can arrange another time.\*\***

**Uniform Fittings** (This is when you try on your actual uniform. You must attend BOTH a measurement and a fitting.)

**Seniors**-July 25 from 1:00-6:00 pm

**Juniors**-July 27 from 8:00 am-noon

**Sophomores**-July 27 from 1:00-5:00 pm

**Freshmen**-August 3 from 8:00 am-5:00 pm

**Band Camp:**

July 22-26 from 8:00 am-3:00 pm

July 29-Aug 2 from 7:00 am-2:00 pm

**\*\*Make sure students eat a good breakfast and hydrate a lot beginning a few days before band camp. Recommend bringing lunch and some healthy snacks. Some students will leave to get fast food, but there isn't a lot of time. Students need a note to be able to ride with other students. Wear sunscreen, hat, tennis shoes, shorts and light clothing. Band will provide water and Gatorade all day.**

**Charms:** Volunteer opportunities will be listed in Charms. We need help with many things such as spirit wear sales, uniforms, food and equipment, etc. Please check Charms often and please ask for help if you need it. The best way to get help with Charms is to reply to any e-mail that you get from the band. You can also get copies of forms on Charms.

**Director's Report:** by Nancy Buell-The show is coming along well, color guard has been practicing, flags and uniforms have been ordered. An updated calendar will be sent out soon and posted on the website. Mr. C will give the kids a gold colored schedule on the first day of school that will be the final confirmed schedule. If you have an i-phone you will be able to link to the calendar in Charms.

**Next Parents Meeting is Tuesday July 9, 2013 at 7:00 pm in the Band Room.**

**Please plan to attend the above meeting and please mark your calendar for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the band room.**

**Meeting Adjournment:** Motion made to adjourn the meeting at 7:55 pm. The motion was made by Sheri Junker and seconded by Susan Shortt.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Jacki Fine, Secretary

**Wentzville Holt Indian Band**

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