

## **WHHS Band Minutes from January 13, 2015**

Attending the meeting was: Jennifer Smith, Anne Fegan, Reneta Roe, Jacki Fine, Lori Weber, Tim and Jane White, Brad Jones, Mark Smith, Sharon Freshwater, Rick Westerhold, Matt Albertson, Janet Schott, S.L. Pyatt, Rose Lambi, Lisa White, Brian Smith, Maggie Durant, Andrea Warren, Susan Shortt, Amy Bourland, Bev Hult, Kim Pieper

Meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm by President, Jennifer Smith. Tim White made a motion to approve the November minutes. Janet Schott seconded the motion. Minutes were approved as submitted.

Scrip: Janet Schott, Scrip Coordinator, gave the Scrip report. Scrip sales have been very busy since the last meeting due to the holidays. Scrip coordinators will be reimbursed for gas when they need to pick up cards or profit from a particular vendor. It was noted that Macaroni Grill gift cards can be used at Joe's Crab Shack and Brick House restaurants. There is currently \$6,702.93 in the Scrip account with \$14,155.00 on hand for a total of \$20,857.93 in assets.

Treasurer: Anne Fegan, gave the Treasurer's report. Thank you to those who have paid band and trip fees. The first payment was made to the trip company in the amount of \$18,000.00. Anne recently sent out statements. Another trip payment is due February 1. All trip and band fees must be paid to participate in the trip. Total income for November and December was \$157,406.00. Expenses were \$85,834.00 with an account balance of \$ 71,572.00. There are a lot of expenses that will be going out soon.

New Business:

The winter concert was a success. A lot of spirit wear was sold at the concert.

Fundraising: Andrea Warren is the new fundraising chairperson. The next fundraiser will be Andoro's. This is a local company that sells pizza, desserts and other items. The information will be sent home with students on January 23 and will be due on February 4. This fundraiser will also be offered to eighth grade band students. Online ordering is available for local orders as well.

There is a meeting for incoming band parents on January 22.

The next band trip payment is due on February 1, 2015.

Bling For the Band: Susan Shortt reminded everyone to send in donations for Bling for the Band. The next sale will take place at Pageant of the Bands on March 1. Mr. Kappler has a box for donations in his office. An e-mail will be sent out reminding parents that donations are needed. We will also need help with the sale. Susan Shortt is the contact person for Bling for the Band.

Winter Guard: Janet Scott announced that Winter Guard is going well and competitions are starting soon. The guard appreciates support at their events.

Director's report:

Mr. Cunningham reminded everyone that the next fundraiser is coming soon and is a good way to help with trip fees.

He has begun making payments for the Chicago trip and another payment is due soon. All trip and band fees must be paid prior to the trip, so please continue to make payments. The itinerary for Chicago is still being finalized. There is a clinic on Friday and the contest on Saturday.

Payments will also be due soon for some of next year's contests and uniforms will be delivered at the end of the year.

A calendar was sent out for January and February. The March calendar will be sent out soon. Mr. Cunningham noted that Pageant of Bands is on March 1, Solo and Ensemble will take place on March 7 and Holt will host a contest at Holt on March 26 and 27. He will need a few parents to help with the contest.

Next meeting is Tuesday, February 10, 2015 at 7:00 pm in the band room.

Lori Weber made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Tim White seconded the motion. Meeting was adjourned at 7:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jacki Fine, Secretary