

10/11/16

Jennifer Smith, Booster President, called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m. In attendance were: Jennifer Smith, Anne Fegan, Rose Lambi, Mike Nichols, Anne Dietz, Lori Weber, Cindy and Larry Holmes, Angela Calvillo, Brad Jones, Susan Pyatt, Sharon Freshwater, Rick Westerhold, Melissa Gendron, Christie Rice, Cindy Rydberg, Kim and Dan Pieper, and Mark Smith.

Brad Jones made a motion to approve the September minutes as submitted. Rick Westerhold seconded and minutes were approved. Mike Nichols gave the Scrip report. Student accounts earned \$419.96 in scrip credit during September. The general fund earned \$113.42. Scrip is sold on Thursday evenings outside the band room. When marching season is over Mike will sell at his home on Thursday evenings. If you know you want scrip, use the link on the band website to email Mike before Sunday evening and he will have it for you by Thursday. Anne Fegan gave the treasurer's report. Some of the income seen in September was about \$7000 in student band fees and \$1250 in spirit wear income. Expenses included \$1500 for drill, \$2000 props for show, \$1000 entry fees, \$1600 food to feed students at competitions, \$800 transportation, \$3000 color guard flags and equipment, \$1500 color guard instruction, \$5,500 Entertainment book cost, \$3300 spirit wear, \$500 percussion clinician, and \$1875 for awards.

President Smith thanked our new uniform Moms--Angela Calvillo, Sharon Freshwater, and Melissa Gendron, our Prairie Dogs pit crew and the food Moms--Susan Pyatt and crew. Thank you also to Stefanie Brawner for the pink ribbon for the uniform epaulets for pink night and to Andrea Warren for dying all the white gloves pink for pink night. Thank you to Anne Fegan who has been organizing the senior gifts this year--they have been show themed and the seniors have enjoyed them.

Candy bar sales have ended, but if you still would like to sell you must pay for candy up front. Contact Andrea Warren if you need candy bars. abwarren94@gmail.com.

The poinsettia fundraiser will begin on November 1. Order forms will be due November 17. Poinsettias will need to be picked up on December 1.

President Smith attended the roundtable meeting for booster presidents, PTA/PTO presidents, etc. with Dr. Cain recently. District growth was addressed, as well as the boundary change and the move to a K-6 model. Band at sixth grade was mentioned. There is still not a definite plan as to how this will be addressed.

Mr. Cunningham gave the director's report. A big thank you to everyone--marching season is nearly over! Performance at BOA Friday, October 21, at 4 p.m. Arrival back at school at approximately 6:30 p.m. Buses will be taken to BOA finals. Information will be sent. Francis Howell performance is 11:15 a.m. Anticipated arrival home will be 10:30-11:00 p.m. District band auditions are November 7. Winter Concert is December 11 at 2:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Pieper spoke about the annual band breakfast. This year's band breakfast will be held at band president Noah Pieper's home following the Francis Howell competition on October 29. More information will be sent soon.

A motion to adjourn was made by Cindy Rydberg and seconded by Dan Pieper. Meeting was adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

Mary Wood reported that color guard is currently in second place in the tarp competition for Winter Guard. Please vote! Also, October 10 is a Dairy Queen fundraiser for the guard and December 28 is a Buffalo Wild Wings fundraiser.

Mr. Cunningham and Mr. England were at the middle school for instrument rental night so there was no director's report.

Tim White made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mike Nichols seconded the motion and the meeting was adjourned at 7:37 p.m.