HHSBPA Board Meeting March 20, 2014

Meeting called to order 6:05 p.m.

January Minutes approved.

Treasurer's Report

- -Need to check on Horizon Band account with the district periodically.
- -Reviewed current financial reports. Most fundraiser money is going to individual kids' accounts.
- -Not much change—haven't spent much. Possible upcoming expenses are for awards and end-of-year celebrations.
- --Connie put together a budget to be approved for this fiscal year ending in May 2014. This is for the district. The budget is a guideline, not set in stone. Movement made to approve the budget. Motion passed.
- --Extension for taxes has been approved.
- --Officially started Butter Braid fundraiser.
- --Erica asked Connie if she had heard from Joe Neeley regarding cookie dough. He wanted to know why we were unhappy. We had problems with the vendor.
- --Discussed whether we want to do poinsettias.

President's Report

- --need to set end of year celebration. Possible dates: Monday, April 21 or Wednesday, April 23
- --Ideas: Kate and Mary decorate? Kate looking into getting cake. Discussed serving cake and drinks only so parents don't have to bring anything.

Band Director

- --Erica looking into trips for next year. Entire music department looking into Disney in Florida for next year after Spring Break. Cost will be \$1300 to \$1500. We have 51 freshmen signed up—need to spread the word.
- --Erica is looking into which concerts we can attend to hand out information.
- --Section leaders will be contacting students. Sectionals will be held at Horizon.

Fundraising Options

- --Outback—need a flyer
- --Will try to organize for summer garage sale maybe during band camp.
- --Summer band fee?
- --Two parents interested in leadership: Tracy Del Real and Kevin Cordell maybe interested in pres or treasurer. Chuck has graciously offered to act as president but his daughter is graduating.

Meeting adjourned at 7:01

HHSBPA Meeting

Thursday, March 20, 2014

7:05 Meeting called to order.

Mrs. Fleeman is back!

Review January meeting minutes. Minutes approved.

Treasurer

--Review financial report. \$10,000 earmarked for kids'accounts, \$11,000 for spending. We have a few more expenses.

Band Director

- --Mrs. Fleeman is back part-time and will be full-time soon. Thankful for Jenny and Jess. Jess just had hip surgery and it went well. She is home and resting.
- --Lettering application is updated. Points requirements have changed due to Mrs. Fleeman's absence. Must have 145 points to letter. They should be fine. It is posted on the website.
- --Working on decisions for the marching show next year. Has worked with a drill writer who is here in CO who will write our drill for free this year! This is a 4,000 to \$5,000 savings! Looking at additional staff, and some other
- -- Tryouts coming up soon.
- --Trip next year: educational band vacation—not just vacation. With Choir and orchestra. Next April, Thursday through Monday to Florida.
- --Going to UNC Jazz Festival on Friday, April 25. Students have to pay. May need parent chaperone.
- --Special Olympics Pep Band: April 8, April 10, April 15. Mrs. F has asked kids to try to be at 2 of the 3. It is 3:30.
- --Enrollment postings are on the board for which band kids are in.
- --51 freshman coming in—please tell anyone who hasn't heard anything to contact Mrs. Fleeman.

End-of-year Music Celebration

- --possible date: Wednesday, April 23 or Monday, April 21.
- --cake and coffee

Outback is only a percentage of flyers.

- --Spring Mile of Money? Orchard? Too many weekend activities so put on shelf.
- --Looking at doing a summer garage sale for the General Fund. Possibly the Saturday after band camp. Maybe rent a storage unit or offer pick up? We should have a committee of parents to organize this.
- --Looking into raising band fees to help cover buses, etc....What is reasonable?

- --Working to give information to middle school band students by attending concerts and contacting students.
- --Still have open board positions.
- --Butter Braid fundraiser started today! Also offering fruit pies. Forms due April 10. Delivered before Easter 4/17.
- --Administrators have talked about how to make the trips more affordable—focus on one instead of too many, so probably will not go to Grand Junction.

Meeting adjourned 7:47.