

MINUTES

Mansfield Timberview High School Band Booster General Meeting

Date | time 12/11/2018 7:01 PM | *Meeting called to order by* Susan Moxley

IN ATTENDANCE

Eric Mullins, Band Director

Susan Moxley, President

Angela Gonzalez, Vice President

Ivy White, Treasurer

Brooke Campbell, Secretary

Amber De Roxtra, Fundraising Coordinator

Michelle Douglas, Parliamentarian, Hospitality & Banquet Coordinator

Lisa Passmore, Uniform Coordinator

Chandra Price, Spirit Wear Coordinator

Jessica Cunningham & Sonya Phillips, Chaperone Coordinator

Eddie Barron, Webmaster

Bermeria Carter & Janie Martinez Colorguard Coordinators

~~Harold George, Pit Crew Coordinator~~

MINUTES

The minutes were reviewed from the meeting on November 13, 2018. Minutes were approved as written.

QUORUM

A full quorum was in attendance.

BOARD

The Board, Band Director and guests were introduced.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Eric Mullins, Band Director

- Region Auditions over the weekend 8 Freshman and 2 alternates made the band. 5 students advance to Area Auditions January 12, 2019 @ Coppell High School. We will take a bus and provide a meal for the Area audition.
- Winter Concert time change is 7:30pm instead of 8pm. Winter concert is tomorrow 12/12/18.
- Spring Trip 4/12-4/15 has been approved and will be announced to the students in the next few days. Commitment forms will be sent home. In state trip around \$500. Chaperones will also need a commitment form, must have volunteered during the Fall and will pay their own way.
- Critical needs and budget constraints. Band Trailer safety issue. Ramp replacement discussed. Trailer replacement/repair discussed.
- Fundraising is a must. We are in need a larger scale fundraiser.
- Parent participation commitments are needed.

Susan Moxley, President

- Thank you to all the volunteers this Fall.

- Email statements have been sent out about unpaid fees. If fees are not paid it will impact the spring guard season.
- We still have \$30,000 in outstanding fees.
- Students may not attend spring trip with outstanding fees.

Angela Gonzalez, Vice President

- No new business.

Ivy White, Treasurer

- No new updates.

Brooke Campbell, Secretary

- No new updates

Amber De Roxtra, Fundraising Coordinator

- Facebook fundraiser, Color Street will remain open until 12/15/18.

Michelle Douglas, Parliamentarian, Hospitality & Banquet Coordinator

- Fundraising and parent participation.

Lisa Passmore, Uniform Coordinator

- No new business

Chandra Price, Spirit Wear Coordinator

- No new updates.

Jessica Cunningham and Sonya Phillips, Chaperone Coordinator

- Chaperones for Friday night student party.

Eddie Barron, Webmaster

- No new updates.

Bermeria Carter & Janie Martinez, Colorguard Coordinators

- Guard performance Thursday @ 7pm in the main gym.

Harold George, Pit Crew Coordinator

- Thank you for the volunteers this season. Next season we will need more commitments from drivers to help with the truck.

NEW BUSINESS

Student Holiday party will be this Friday from 4pm-7pm. Students will be bringing drinks and snacks. All they need are chaperones and pizza.

PARENT QUESTIONS

Q: Is there a cheaper truck option, like renting box trucks rather than the new trailer option?

A: Yes, that is a possibility. The problem is that the district rents those trucks and because we have the truck and trailer that money is being used elsewhere in our budget. If we start renting trucks something else will have to come out of the budget list.

Q: Can we set a goal and let everybody know what we need to do to get there?

A: Yes, at our Mid-winter concert in February we will have more information and are going to talk to all the parents about this and what we need to do going forward.

Q: Concerns about why it takes so long for the students to be released after football games late at night...

A: Mr. Mullens explains the dismissal procedures and invites parents to come in and help out with unloading the truck and keeping students moving to get out the door.

Q: Question about the outstanding fees effecting the colorguard season. Is it mostly colorguard that has outstanding fees?

A: Yes. The guard fees are a challenge for us.

Q: Is the band going to have a group picture for the yearbook?

A: No. We weren't on the list to have a picture done and it was too late to have a picture taken for the yearbook. Next year we will have someone come in and take a picture in August.

Q: What are some of the other fundraisers that schools are doing that maybe we should consider doing?

A: We have the Rangers, Cowboys and Texas Motor Speedway. Rangers is done in summer blocks and the May-June block was easier to do than the July-August block because it overlapped with summer band and it was hard to get student volunteers for the second block. Rangers will allow minors to help with volunteer work, but not the Cowboys.

NEXT MEETING

1/21/2019 7:00 PM, Mansfield Timberview High School Band Hall

Motion to adjourn was made at 7:53 p.m. and was passed unanimously.