



SHS BAND BOOSTERS: Tuesday, January 11, 2022. Meeting was called to order by Rick Barlow at 7:00 p.m.

IN ATTENDANCE: Rick Barlow, Alan Grimm, Donna Alberth, Mr. Inendino, Kim Diercks, Lisa James, Mary Wishnew, Dan Alberth, LeAnn Barlow, Barbara Velez, Sumathi Prabhakar, Vicki Shadel, Lisa James, Tammy Loch, Alan Medina, Pilar Vences

PRESIDENT'S WELCOME (Rick Barlow): Thanks to all for coming out for the Booster meeting.

SECRETARY'S REPORT (Mary Wishnew): With Secretary Mary Wishnew, President Rick Barlow submitted the November and December meetings' minutes for review and approval under a single vote. Vice President Alan Grimm moved to approve the meeting minutes, which was seconded by Barbara Velez.

TREASURER'S REPORT (Dan Alberth): Treasurer Dan Alberth's report was submitted during the meeting and accepted as is.

BAND PRESIDENT'S REPORT (Alan Medina): With much needed time off, the students have much to look forward to in the near future, including Dine2Donate at Portillo's and the Jazz Festival at Harper College.

BAND UNIFORMITY (Tammy Loch): If students have any issues with their formal wear, please contact Tammy as soon as possible to correct.

FUNdraising (Vice President Alan Grimm and Debbie Grimm): Dine2Donate will be at Portillo's on 1/12/22 on Golf Road. On 1/14/22 there is a Dine2Donate at Jersey Mike's. Benefit Mobile/GLS – Orders are due 1/12/22. Thank you for your continuous support of the band. Tammy Loch – Pillows continue to be in production.

PREVIOUS BUSINESS (Rick Barlow): The holiday concert and raffle were extremely successful. There was a wide variety of items for people to bid on from approximately 45 – 50 vendors.

NEW BUSINESS (Rick Barlow) The Pep Band Food Drive is scheduled for January 26, and there will be a non-perishable food drive upon entry. Band-o-Rama is coming up soon. We need to determine how to handle the DQ Blizzard sales due to the pandemic. There will be a Q & A session in the auditorium for the District 54 parents to pose questions about high school band in District 211, SHS in particular.

DIRECTOR UPDATES

Mr. Inendino:

- The last basketball game before winter break was the alumni game, and approximately 20 alumni attended.
- The Jazz Ensemble came in over winter break and had some rehearsals and an opportunity to work with alumni and Bryan Tipps (Alumni faculty of SHS)
- The Solo & Ensemble event will have tweaks this year. SHS will hold their own Wind/Symphonic/Concert event, which will involve chamber music. There will be only one student to a part in each ensemble. Competition is scheduled for 2/22/22 after school.
- IHSA Solo & Ensemble event will be at Harvard High School on 3/5/22. Participation is optional.
- Chamber Night of Music will be held on 3/15/22.

Mr. Graffeo:

- There are some Friday Night Lights shirts still available and Band beanies. He is looking into a new merchandise vendor.
- The Hersey/Chicagoland Invitational will be held on 4/9/22 this year. Wind Symphony will be participating, and Symphonic Band is currently waitlisted to participate. Times TBD. There is a small fee for spectators.
- The Mark Colby Jazz Festival at Harper College (1/22/22) will not be open to the public. Times TBD.
- Four students will be going to IMLEA this year. Congrats to those attendees.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Rick reminded everyone of the upcoming D2D events, the Mark Colby Jazz Festival, the Pep Band Concert and Food Drive, the ILMEA State Conference and the D54 Band-o-Rama concert.

OPEN MIC: SHS VIP is holding a Trivia Night on 2/18/22 at the Seville in Streamwood, IL. Please see flyer for information. Next Booster Meeting is Tuesday, February 8, 2022, at 7 p.m. in the Band room.

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Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Wishnew, Secretary