

Pulaski Music Boosters Meeting
Monday, October 8, 2012
7:00pm PHS LGI-1

Meeting called to order by PCSMB President Barb Stephanie at 7:02PM

Secretary's Report (Kelly Jessel-PCSMB Secretary)

- Hardcopies of September minutes taken by Ann Kaseno (PCSMB Co-VP) were available for review
- No corrections were noted
- Motion to approve minutes by Lisa Slaby, seconded by Kathy DeBoth

Treasurer's Report (Gloria Morgan – PCSMB Treasurer)

- No Treasurer's report – Gloria was absent
- PMB account Balances are reported as – Checking: \$3822.23; Money Market: \$46,641.38; Endowment Fund: \$2464.81; Cash Box: \$150.00

Directors' / Officers' reports

Band (PHSB Vice-President Josh Heimerl; Mr. Busch & Ms. Koch absent due to marching rehearsal)

- Philadelphia Trip (Tuesday, July 2 – Saturday, July 6, 2013)
 - Officially accepted (video audition)
 - Need school board approval for out of state travel – requesting at October 17 meeting
 - Looking to reduce the price per student from \$729 to \$600
 - Removed Empire State Building
 - Changed Broadway show from evening (Wicked) to matinee (Mary Poppins or Newsies)
 - Dinner in Little Italy
 - Standstill performance on Battleship New Jersey – Camden, NJ
 - Hershey Park on way home
 - Current 8th Grade included
 - Itinerary is still moving – other than parade, things can change
- Guidelines were clarified by Barb as to when Boosters may fund all or a portion of travel for a trip (audition/invitation vs. educational/fun)
- Milwaukee Bucks game
 - Recruiting tool for current 8th grade
 - Last time we went was 3 years ago, have been invited last few years – Declined because of TOR
 - Concert Band and Wind Ensemble was polled for interest – 106 interested
 - Discussed possible dates and conflicts – Saturday, December 1 against the Boston Celtics at 7:30pm looks to be clear of conflicts
 - Request for the Boosters to help with transportation or a meal
 - Discussion on the cost of coach buses to Milwaukee
 - Member requested getting a quote from LouAnn's Coach being local
 - Lisa Slaby motioned, vote passed to put a \$1500 placeholder towards the game
 - We will support the trip, but need estimate of the bussing
- Jazz Veteran's Day Dinner dance is Saturday, November 10th. Tickets are on sale now for \$20
 - Michelle Baranczyk gave description of past dinner dance (Red Raider jazz performs, ballroom dance lessons)
 - Chamber Choir will be performing this year – there was a request for more patriotic songs

Choir (Ms. Erin McClure – PHS Director of Choirs)

- Red Raider Showcase moved to Thursday, January 10th due to the football playoff game on Friday, October 19th. \$5 general admission
- Continuing to recruit trip attendants for the Chicago trip
- Choir to have Avon fundraiser to help raise money for their student accounts for the Chicago trip
- PHS Musical "Thoroughly Modern Millie" auditions will be November 12-14

Agenda Items

Fall Festival – Friday, October 5th (Michelle Baranczyk)

- All donations were covered, didn't need to purchase anything
- Kids really appreciated the meal

Band Night – Friday, October 12th (Michelle Baranczyk)

- Eighth Grade band will perform with the PHS Red Raider Marching band
- PCSMB sponsoring a meal for all band students (8th – 12th grades) in PHS commons.
- Donations still needed (sign-up sheet passed around)
- Band members will be wearing pink ribbons for breast cancer awareness – need help to pin/unpin

Marinette Marine Sikuliaq launch (Barb Stephanie)

- Saturday, October 13th at 10am
- Wind Ensemble only due to transportation & meal funds available from University of Alaska

Let Me Be Frank – Grease Trap (Sherry Drown)

- Friday, November 2 at 7pm – tickets \$30 available from Gloria Morgan
- 420 mini cookies donated from Festival
- Need student volunteers to take tickets and walk around with cookies during intermission

Booyah Fundraiser (Jeff Baranczyk)

- Sunday, October 21st - Students able to help – can be used as Civics community service hours
- 10 needed on Saturday for prep work, cutting veges (they are fed lunch) – 2 parents also needed
- 4 students on Sunday to sell at 8:30am along with 2 parents, 1 each starting at 5am & 8:30am

Boogie and the Yo-Yo'z (Barb Stephanie)

- Discussed potential fundraiser for Friday, December 21st at Thornberry Creek at Oneida
- \$10 entry ticket includes 1 drink - 100% profit – split entry fee – no-risk fundraiser
- Drummer of band and Chris at Thornberry former PHS band students
- 3 parents volunteered to help with the event – meeting later in month for planning

Lambeau Concessions (Barb Stephanie)

- 2012 Income spreadsheet was available for review - \$575 to student accounts; \$1262 to General fund
- Profit 5% (dropped from 10%); net sales after taxes
- Will re-evaluate after season as to whether we will continue
- Seat pick-up is available for Dec. 24th. Would net \$500, however hesitant due to holiday
- Doing Handouts – 20+ volunteers need to be available every game; any age can participate

Pulaski Music Program Attire / Bracelets (Brenda Jusufi)

- Dynamic Designs was contacted. Prices were given for various shirts. Need 12 orders, available in 2 weeks.
- Kelly Jessel suggested using another local, Robin Doell/Spirtees. Will get Brenda her contact info to compare pricing and designs.
- ID type bracelet and tags that will be available to purchase with Pulaski mascot and engraving. 25% of each sale would be contributed to the PCSMB general fund. Would take 4-6 weeks.

Announcements

- Kathy DeBoth will be making "Official PHS Band Escort" signs for the vehicles that escort the band to the football field. This was suggested by one of the officers at the last game. They are placed in the front windshield and can be used when we go to parades as well.
- Band is auditioning for Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade 2014.

Motion by Kathy DeBoth to adjourn; seconded by Jeff Baranczyk.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05PM

Next meeting will be Monday, November 12th, 2012 at 7:00PM in LGI-1

Respectfully Submitted,
Kelly Jessel