

Morristown Band Boosters

Monthly Board Meeting

May 9, 2023

Board Members (X if present)

[X] Band Director – Sam Thrasher

[] Vice President – Angie Townsend

[] Secretary – Tracey Rice

Other booster members present:

[X] President – Jenn Deak

[X] Treasurer – Erin Carlton

[X] Member At Large – Natalie Roots and Eric Roots

Agenda:

Minutes

1. Treasurer Report
 - (a) Current account balances
 - i. Booster: \$ 15,341.00
 - ii. Instrument: \$ 1,832.22
 - (b) Recent expenses
 - i.
 - (c) Recent expenses – Not included in balances above
 - i. \$500 check to Chase Hall for arranging percussion portion of music for show for the upcoming marching band season; S. Thrasher will deliver check. Boosters discussed and agreed to take out of \$1000 budgeted for music for Marching Band
 - ii.
 - (d) Upcoming expenses
 - i. E. Carlton will be purchasing envelopes, cashbox, cash bag, and an accordion file
 - (e) Recent income
 - i. \$100 – Marching Band Fees
 - ii. \$250 – Donation Check from Deak Family
 - iii. \$50.92 – Check from Kroger
 - (f) Recent income - Not included in balances above
 - i.
 - (g) Other financial concerns/comments
 - i. Square – Has been purchased, however, E. Carlton has not yet had a chance to use it yet.
 - ii. Can print W-9's but have to have company's information prior to for E. Carlton to input before printing.
2. Kudos / Happy News
 - i. Concert was great!
 - ii. Lots of great feedback on Spaghetti Dinner (Flyers and advertise on school sign next year)
 - iii. Highschool band got silver (missed gold by ½ point; Got gold for sight reading!
3. Key points/actions from last meeting
 - (a) The motion to approve the April minutes was moved by E. Carlton and seconded by N. Roots. All ayes: minutes approved as written.
 - (b) Marching band parent meeting went well. S. Thrasher printed 40 packets and between the meeting and school today, he has 3 packets left.

4. Band Director Report

- (a) Marching Band Parent Meeting – Held last night and it went well.
- (b) End of School Year Events:
 - i. Graduation – 2 weeks from Saturday and rehearsal on Friday
 - ii. Memorial Day at Ashbury Cemetery
- (c) Other – Mini Camp – Needs?
 - S. Thrasher reports that he is still good on bottled water
 - Mini Camp time will be 12:00-3:00 each day
 - S. Thrasher will get shirt sizes to be able to order show shirts early enough to have for Derby Days.**
- (d) Ignite FYI – Director of winter percussion, Doug is thinking of making Ignite a non for profit (an extension of the 4 school bands). Each school's band director will be a board member and Ignite will have it's own boosters separated before next winter percussion's season.
- (e)

5. Fundraising

- a) Calendars –
 - i. Calendar order forms.... *Order forms have been distributed and an electronic version will be sent to S. Thrasher.*
- b) Dinner and Music Night on April 14th fundraiser – Thought it was a success, any other thoughts? – **See Kudos** (*Advertise more with flyers and on school sign next year*)
- c) Next fundraiser to begin planning is the car wash.
 - i. July – **during second week of band camp after band camp – S. Thrasher checking to see if it can be done August 1st**
- d) Derby Days
 - i. Dunk Tank
 - ii. Do we also want a table to sell calendars? – *Yes, a table by the dunk tank to help with supervision and staffing*
 - iii. **J. Deak will create an online sign-up sheet and N. Roots will make signs**
 - iv. **Need to have a couple of parents ready with water for the kids right after the parade**

6. Other topics / open discussion

- a) Community/Parent Meeting – How did this go? Thoughts?
 - i. Less about money and more about help
- b) Executive Board Election Results: Votes were unanimous.
 - i. Here are the votes: President-Jenn Deak
Vice President- Dana Waggoner
Secretary-Natalie Roots
Treasurer-Erin Carlton
Member at Large-Eric Roots and Brittany Baker

Next Meeting 6/21/2023 @6:30PM