

February 4, 2013

The Forest Park Band Boosters held their monthly meeting on Monday, February 4, 2013 in the high school band room.

Gerry Fleck, President welcomed members and asked if attendance book was signed.

The minutes from the January meeting were read and approved by Secretary Belinda Englert

Susan Blume gave the treasurer's report.

David Lange stated the next aluminum can and paper drive will be Saturday, February 16th at 9 am.

Gerry Fleck stated the candles from the fundraiser in December should be here within the next month. The order was delayed due to Hurricane Sandy.

Susan Blume stated Ferdinand yard sale is April 5th and 6th. Signup for food booth will be coming and more adults for Friday will be needed since school is in session this year. Adults and students are needed for Saturday also. The band booster flea market committee will be accepting donations on Saturday, April 6 from 1-6, location to be determined. If interested in donating, please watch for more information in the March 5th band booster minutes.

Michele Kordes stated the basketball concession stand went well. Thanks to the students and adults who volunteered.

Michele Kordes stated the Spring Social is scheduled for Monday, March 4th, 6 pm doors open and begins at 7 pm. She did receive the license number. Signs were available to pickup to hang at places of business. If interested in one, please e-mail her. She is asking for donations for raffle and also baked goods to serve. Boosters, please purchase and return tickets that were sent home.

Michele Kordes announced the fall raffle ticket winners for February 2013. The \$250.00 winners were: Mary Ann Schilling and Marilyn Brinkman. The \$30.00 winners were Joan Oeding, Ryan & Jackie Begle, Marla Voegerl, Othmar & Irma Bromm, Sue Dale, Don Woodall, Sandy Morton, Agnes Vaal, Yvonne & Doug Loudon, Ralph & Norma Bromm.

Susan Blume stated the first band endowment meeting with Pat Miller and committee went very well.

Orientation for 8th grade band boosters will be March 5th at 630 pm, letters were mailed this week.

Michele Kordes said committee sign up letters will be mailed the 1st week of March.

Due to the Hurricane Katrina destroying New Orleans and causing us to have to change our destination and adding expenses to the trip in 2005, our band trip fund is lower than it should be. Also, fortunately we have had an influx in band members in the last 5-6 years which does increase costs also. So, due to the lack of funds, we will be doing a new additional fundraiser with Rhonda VanWinkle this spring with all proceeds go to the Dallas trip.

Michele Kordes stated only 12 parents were interested in the band trip to Dallas, TX. No need to do a lottery draw. The payment schedule was given to the interested parents. The trip is from November 26th to December 1, 2013. Leaving on a Tuesday evening and returning Sunday.

Mr. Gayso stated Solo/Ensemble has 9 events going to State. The students include: Leslie

Blume, Lauren Blume, Sara Weyer, Olivia Voegerl, Alyssa Hurm, Jackson Faulkner, Emerson Thayer, Araceli Garcia and Brandi Kordes. There is pep band this Thursday, February 7th and next Tuesday, February 12th at the Forest Park boys' basketball game. Mr. Gayso stated interested color guard members can come the first and last Wednesday (excluding spring break Wednesday) from 430 to 630 pm to the band room.

The Band Boosters still need a permanent location for the flea market building.

Attendance prize was won by Paul Englert.

Meeting was adjourned by Sheila Kerstiens and seconded by Tami Hochgesang.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, March 5, 2013 at 7:30 pm. Please note that the meeting is on a Tuesday due to the Spring Social being on Monday, March 4th. Every band booster is welcome.

Belinda Englert, Secretary