

Brazoswood Band Booster Meeting

1-10-2017

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm in the Band Hall on January 10th, 2017 by President Andy Sargent.

This meeting is the monthly Band Booster Meeting that is held for all parents/guardians to be a part of what goes on in the Buc Band Booster Family. For all information and dates regarding the Buc Band Family please go to www.bucband.org.

Director – Mr. Casey

- Tonight we are working with Symphonic Band and they are doing great
- We are looking for an Elvis costume so if anyone knows of one please contact me
- New All State Members: Joseph Trahan, Philip Marshal, Nathan Cloeter
- On a low note – there was an unintentional oversight and we took an ineligible student to the UIL contests
 - o We have made all notifications to key personnel and sent back trophies
 - o Very sorry this unintentional mistake has happened and we will be even more diligent
- Needing all band booster members to put together a campaign of everyone and get in touch with volunteers
- On a high note – We were nominated and awarded The Sudler Flag of Honor

Director – Mr. Montoya

- More notes on receiving The Sudler Flag of Honor
 - o Purpose of this award is to identify, recognize and honor high school band programs internationally that have demonstrated particularly significant high standards of excellence in concert activities over a period of several years
 - o Our Band met all the guidelines and will receive this award in the spring
 - o This is an exceptional feat due to the bands that win this award are nationally recognized
 - o This award is administered by The John Philip Sousa Foundation and implemented by its Executive Committee

President – Andy Sargent

- We are in need of volunteers so make sure we are getting word out and encouraging parents/guardians to help out
- Solo/Ensemble conducted on same day as Chili Supper January 28th, 2017
- March we will be looking for new nominees for Committee positions and vote in April

Secretary – Michelle Shockley

- Requested motion to accept minutes from 11/1/2016: Mike Kessler made motion to accept, Misty Bunte seconded the motion
- Welcome Volunteer Misty Bunte to help me out this year prepping for Chili Supper and the day of event

- Welcome Lisa Liston to work with Michelle Parker in Silent Auction
- All businesses for donating have been contacted: HEB, Cane's Chicken, Luby's, Chick Fil A, Sherry Batts/TDECU, Brazosport Foods, Brazoria County Sheriff's Dept.
- Kids will be making banners for businesses and Chili Supper
- Sign Up Sheets are in back, so please make your way to those and put your name down

Treasurer - Mike Kessler:

- Handed out Balance Sheet and reviewed: Rudy Laurel made a motion to accept the Balance Sheet and Steve Mattek seconded the motion.
- As a reminder use Amazon Smile and Kroger's for fundraising for the Band
- Reviewed big ticket items that were paid out

Fundraising/Merchandise- Bonnie Humphrey

- Chili Supper Night will be tax free night on merchandise

Uniforms – Katie Sargent

- We still have about 85 uniforms that need to be washed and brought back

Hospitality – Mary Scott/Kay Martin

- Selling gift cards for the Sombrero
 - o Last year total was \$600
 - o We are up to \$250 for this year as of beginning of this meeting

Photography – Chris Davies

- Photos will be taken at the Chili Supper and Silent Auction

Public Relations – Brian Bartos

- We are making a notification in the paper about the Chili Supper/Silent Auction and Concert that follows

Color Guard – Chris Kiihne

- Contest dates are on the band page at www.bucband.org

Silent Auction – Lisa Liston for Michelle Parker

- We have contacted many companies for donations and will be contacting more in days to come
- Learning the ropes of Silent Auction – we are in need of some helpers for the 28th event
- Would like to make a list of several types of baskets and people donate themed baskets

Old Business– None

New Business

- Solo/Ensemble – Saturday, January 28th, 2017
- Chili Supper/Silent Auction – 4 pm Saturday, January 28th, 2017
- Chili Supper Concert – 7:30 pm Saturday, January 28th, 2017

Next Booster Club Meeting– Tuesday, February 21, 2017, 7:00 pm, Band Hall

Next Board Meeting – Monday, February 6, 2017, Brian's BBQ

Meeting Adjourned at 7:38 pm by President Andy Sargent. First motion made to adjourn by Darrell Taylor and motion seconded by Jill Grey.