North Royalton Band Boosters August 12, 2021 Monthly Members Meeting

- Call to Order Kevin
 - o 7:02 p.m.
- Board Updates
 - President Kevin
 - Welcome everyone. There are no new President updates.
 - Vice President Chris
 - We currently need help with several committees.
 - Alumni- need one co-chair.
 - Pit Crew- need one co-chair.
 - Concession Stand- need one co-chair.
 - Holiday Concert- need one co-chair.
 - Bus Chaperone- need one co-chair.
 - Volunteers are needed.
 - Air Show- need one co-chair.
 - Volunteers are needed.
 - Treasurer Julie
 - Profit and Loss report is available for review. Please contact me with any questions or concerns.
 - Corresponding Secretary Michelle
 - Parents, look for Band Booster emails in your junk and/or promotions folder.
 - Please give notice when you need to send an email out.
 - Recording Secretary Heidi
 - Motion to approve May 2021 Booster minutes.
 - Beth Burdick and seconded by Marne Piccolomini.
 - All Ayes
 - Special Guest: Mike Laub North Royalton School District Superintendent
 - Thank you for inviting me to be here. I believe programs like marching band creates opportunities for kids, and Band Boosters can take those opportunities to the next level.
 - I have lived in Avon Lake for the last 20 years with my family. My daughter is currently a junior at Avon Lake and my son is a cadet.
 - There is a correlation between what we do with kids outside of the classroom to in the classroom and I believe extracurriculars matter.
 - If you have questions or comments, please let me know. I am here to support our kids and happy to attend any Band Booster meeting. Thank you.
- Event/Committee Updates
 - Review of Past Events
 - Uniform Distribution
 - Musicians Marne & Sherry
 - All bandos should have received their uniform including two pairs of pants.
 - Please have students try on their uniform with shoes on.
 - Very important- Please read Marching Band Uniform Care.
 - Bandos will need to bring their garment bag with their raincoat to every game.

- Contact information is at the bottom of the Band Uniform Care Sheet. Please contact us if your child needs anything regarding their uniform.
- Band Front Angelique
 - Royalaires and Royalettes all have their uniforms.
- Picture Day
 - Photo Buttons Kate & Christine
 - Picture day for the band members was a success.
 - Binders with bando pictures will be available for review on Parent Preview Night.
 - Photo buttons will be available beginning August 27th.
 - Payment will be through Cheddar Up.
 - 1 button for \$5, 3 buttons for \$12.
 - Senior Banners & Program Kevin
 - All senior banner pictures have been taken.
 - Banners will be displayed around the North Royalton Stadium football field.
 - The marching band banners will be mixed in with the athletic banners.
- Upcoming Events
 - Kona Ice 8/13 Susan & Wendy
 - Munching for Music has been sending emails regarding upcoming fundraisers.
 - Please email us with any ideas regarding Munching for Music fundraisers.
 - Kona Ice truck will be in the back of the High School after band practice.
 - Families and friends are welcome to purchase Kona Ice.
 - Summer Spiritwear Store Closes 8/14/21 Shana
 - Summer Spiritwear Store is online only through Gearin' Up.
 - Bandos are permitted to wear only black beanies during band season. No other color is permitted.
 - Beanies are available at the Summer Spiritwear Store.
 - Yard signs are available through the Summer Spiritwear Store only.
 - Tentative pick update of Spiritwear is 9/01/21.
 - Pickup available after the 6-9 p.m. practice.
 - Parent Preview Night 8/19/21

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- Ice Cream Social Susan & Wendy
 - We will be serving four flavors from Honey Hut.
 - \$4.00 per ice cream cup.
 - Payment is through Cheddar Up.
 - Unfortunately, there will be no ice cream toppings due to Covid-19 restrictions.
- Third Quarter Concession Cards Kevin
 - Band Boosters will be partnering with Athletic Boosters to sell Concession Cards.
 - Concession card options are pizza and a drink or Chick-Fil-A and a drink.
 - Cards must be prepaid for the season. The card is taken to a designated window for Concession Card food pick up.
 - Bandos will not be permitted to buy candy at that window and will need to go to other window for any extra food or drink.

- We guarantee if the bando is using the Concession Card, the food will be available.
- \circ There will not be any holds for band members who arrive past the 3rd quarter. The cards can only be used in the 3rd quarter and only by the bandos.
- The Concession Card is like cash. If a student loses their card or does not use their card, they are out
- Unfortunately, there is no gluten-free options. Athletic Boosters runs the concession stand, and they decide what goods are sold and their cost.
- Information is up on the Group Cheddar Up Page.
 - All active fundraisers are located there.
- Home Football Games 8/20, 8/27, 9/10, 9/17, 10/8 (Senior Band), 10/15 (Homecoming & Senior Athletics)
 - Concessions Bryan
 - Need one co-chair.
 - Main duties are to arrive early to the game and work the home games.
 - Volunteers are also welcome.
 - 50/50 Linda & Tammy
 - Check Sign-Up Genius for volunteering opportunities.
 - Pit Crew Chris
 - Visiting Bands Kara
 - Volunteers are welcome.
 - Pictures & Video Kevin
 - We need someone down on the field in front of stands to take photos of the bandos throughout games.
 - Pictures are taken at every game.
 - All photos are uploaded to Flickr.
 - Please be mindful of video copyrights. If you take a video with a phone and upload it, there may be issues with YouTube.
 - A video link will be emailed within 24 hours for games and contests.
 - New Scoreboard Kevin
 - The football stadium has a new video scoreboard.
 - The Band Boosters was placed on the board for our support to the Stadium Foundation.
 - Hometown Ticketing Kevin
 - Tickets will now be purchased online through Hometown Ticketing.
 - This feature may also be used for Bandfest and the Holiday Concert.
 - Stadium Foundation Donation Pledge Kevin
 - The Band Boosters pledged a \$10K donation that spans over 10 years. This donation matched the Athletic Boosters pledge to the Stadium Foundation.
 - Away Football Games 9/3, 9/24, 10/1, 10/22
 - Chaperones Eric
 - Need a co-chair.
 - Volunteers are welcome.
 - Pit Crew Chris
 - Need two co-chairs moving forward.

- The pit crew team is assembled. Pit crew assists with moving heavy band equipment.
- Being part of the pit crew is a great way to watch game from the field.
- Air Show 9/4 9/6 Todd
 - This is our biggest fundraiser, which requires many volunteers.
 - We will need 40 people each day for 3 days.
 - We will need an extra 30 people per day to also run the plaza.
 - Neighbors, friends, family are all welcome to volunteer. They need to be 15 years old or older.
 - All the funds help to pay for the Disney trip.
 - If we can fill both gates, it will help offset the lack of fundraising 2020 due to Covid-19.
 - This is a rain or shine event.
- Band Fest 9/11 Beth and Jamie
 - There will be seven area bands performing this year.
 - This is the audience's first opportunity to see the contest show.
 - Most volunteer slots have been filled.
 - T-shirts will be for sale in advance online through Gearin' Up.
 - Each school can order a shirt with their school colors.
 - August 28th will be last day to order online in time to receive the shirts the night of Band Fest.
 - \$15.00 per shirt.
 - Ticket price for this event is \$8.00 adults, \$6.00 students and senior citizens.
 - We do not honor green courtesy cards for seniors.
 - A parking map will be emailed to parents.
 - Concessions and 50/50 may need volunteers for Bandfest.
- September Boosters General Membership Meeting 9/16
- Fruit Sale 9/18 Tammy
 - Fruit Sale will be using P.J.'s for their fruit this year.
 - 9/18/21 is the Blitz date.
 - Student goes out in community to sell fruit door-to-door Saturday or Sunday.
 - We are considering being able to accept donations door-to-door using QR codes.
 - \circ Fruit delivery will be the week of December 6th.
 - A PJ's Farmer's Box will be available for purchase through the North Royalton Food Bank to donate to a family in need.
- o Other Committee Updates
 - Membership Michelle & Amy
 - Membership payments are processed using Cheddar Up.
 - There will be a QR code in student packets. The electronic packet available 8/20.
 - If you want Contest Hoodie for the top tier membership purchase, you must send in your membership payment by 9/1/21.
 - Alumni Pauline
 - Band alumni please contact me to see if your email address is in the database.
 - Alumni needs volunteers to hold up the ROYALTON signs for games and contests.
 - Hospitality Marija & Jen

- Volunteer sheet is available.
- Senior Band night is a fundraiser on 10/08/21.
- Website Mark
 - The new website will be available in month and a half.
- Director Updates Mr. Vitale will not be able to join us due to Band Camp
 - Disney Trip Registration is still open
 - Contest Dates: 9/11, 9/25, 10/9, 10/23, 10/30 (Preferred States Date)
- Other Business All
 - \circ $\,$ Motion to add volunteers at Plaza Gate 6 at the Air Show.
 - All Ayes
- Treasurer's Report Acceptance Julie
 - Motion to Approve July Profit and Loss
 - Sue Skuza and seconded by Michelle Bauer.
 - All Ayes
- Meeting Close Kevin
 - o 8:55 p.m.