North Royalton Band Boosters

May 19, 2022

Monthly Members Meeting

* Call to Order - Kevin
  + 7:00 p.m.
* Board Updates
  + President – Kevin
  + We have heard back from Air Show representative, and we will have both the plaza gate and gate 13 this coming season.
  + Vice President – Chris
    - Not present. Kevin implored for committee chairs to return their committee guide form, especially for those not returning for next year.
  + Treasurer – Julie
    - The financial statements have been passed out. If there are expenses outstanding, please try to send them in ASAP
      * The fiscal year closes June 30th, so please return outstanding expenses by June 15th.
  + Corresponding Secretary – Michelle G
    - No new updates.
  + Recording Secretary – Heidi
    - Motion to approve April Band Booster minutes.
      * First motion- Marne Piccolomini. Second- Pauline Simonek.
        + All ayes.
* Event/Committee Updates
  + Review of Past Events
    - Munching 4 Music – Augie’s Chicken Dinner – Susan & Wendy
      * The fundraiser netted a $216 profit.
      * The next fundraiser is our ice cream social on August 18th.
    - Disney Trip
      * Kevin stated he believed the trip went well.
    - Band Awards Banquet - Jen & Marija
      * The financial report is not yet available.
      * Mr. Vitale gave the unclaimed blankets to seniors.
      * Jen questioned if it is necessary for boutonnieres and corsages to be given at this banquet due to time and cost. Tammy Fulmer proposed using the money for a different kind of keepsake instead of flowers.
      * Dinner and awards were very nice, but more communication is needed between volunteers.
      * The decision was made to not have underclassmen supply drinks and food, but instead bump up the dinner price.
        + The standard going forward will be to try to get parents away from volunteering food and water etc.
      * Thank you to everyone who have helped in every way. It is very appreciated.
  + Upcoming/Active Events
    - Band-A-RAMA - 5/25
      * Wednesday 5/25. Final performance of the year at 7p.m. in the gym 1. Bandos are to wear their polo and khaki pants.
    - Commencement (Grad Band only) - 6/3 - Rick
      * Not present. Kevin stated they are all set to transport the instruments to the Commencement.
    - June Band Camp - 6/13 - 15
      * We are looking for a co-chair and volunteers to help size the students for everyone except Royalettes and Royalaires.
        + Uniforms will not be going home.
      * T-shirts and polos will be sold both nights of band camp.
    - Sr. Uniform Fittings - 6/14 - Sherry
      * 8-9 p.m.
    - Jr. Uniform Fittings - 6/15 - Sherry
      * 8-9 p.m.
    - New Parent Meeting - 6/15 - Kevin
      * This meeting is a great chance to share tips and tricks with new parents and them feel welcomed.
      * New parents are highly encouraged to attend.
    - Band Camp - 8/1 – 18
    - Picture Day - 8/10
    - Parent Preview Night - 8/18
    - First Football Game - 8/19
  + Other Committee Updates
    - 2022-23 Band Student Registration - Michelle C
      * Not present. We do not have the specific registration numbers presently, but registration is going well.
      * Royalette and Royalaire teams will be announced next Friday. Registration will open after teams are announced.
    - Alumni - Pauline
      * Diana Barrett will chair the Alumni committee next year. She is a former Royalette.
      * The senior database is almost complete.
    - Website – Mark
      * I will be updating the new committee and board chair members on the website soon.
* New Business - All
  + 2022-23 Committee Chairs
    - The following committees still need committee chairs: air show, concessions, spiritwear, and photo buttons.
  + 2022-23 Parent Mentors
    - We are looking for new parent mentors for each section of the band for the upcoming season, especially senior parents.
    - We would like to have the mentors before new parent night. Please reach out to the President or Vice president if interested.
  + Any other new business?
    - None
* Director Report - Mr. Vitale
  + Not present.
  + Kevin stated the next event is Bandarama in gym 1. This consists of the 6th grade band and 4 combined concert and jazz bands.
  + The Memorial Day parade has been canceled. We have it on our calendar to perform in 2023.
  + Google classroom will be used to give information for the 22-23 season. Please make your student is signed up.
  + Pricing and cut off dates for the Royalton Music shoe sale are posted in Google classroom now.
    - Tammy Fulmer stated it may be beneficial for outgoing seniors to send in their GOOD condition band shoes, which can be stored by the extra gloves. Sherry Fox will send out an email blast regarding the collection on gently used band shoes.
  + Students need to attend the June band camp. Attendance is very important to make sure the season starts off.
    - Check the band camp calendar for details.
  + Thank you to hospitality and the uniform committee for their hard work with the banquet and uniform return. Seniors who do not turn in their uniform will have their diploma withheld.
* Treasurer’s Report Acceptance - Julie
  + Motion to approve treasurer’s report.
    - First motion- Tammy Fulmer. Second- Susan Skuza.
      * All ayes.
* 2022-23 Executive Board Induction
  + Heidi swore in the new executive board.
* Meeting Close - Kevin
  + 7:40 p.m.