

## North Royalton Band Boosters

August 11, 2025 Called to order: 7:01

### Monthly Members Meeting

- Call to Order - Tammy
- Board Updates
  - o President – Tammy
    - Introduction of the board
    - Mr Laub visited for the meeting; reviewed city-led instrument purchases, probably similar to prior years; some bus drivers have been trained to drive the new truck and trailer!, lighting in PAC was redone this summer, new seats coming soon; special attention should be paid to the late-August district wide communication about state of Ohio budget and the critical nature of the potential budget cuts, \$17.5m in NoRo's school budget is at risk
  - o Vice President - Scott
  - o Treasurer - Carrie
  - o Corresponding Secretary – Crystal
  - o Recording Secretary – Adrienne
  - Review of Past Events
  - o Registration – Michelle
    - Band registration, 229 students registered—80 FRESHMAN
    - Need to try to get people signed up before camp starts
  - o Uniform Distribution
    - Jackets ordered, six month lead time, October delivery date; hopeful to debut new uniforms at Disney
    - Old uniforms—Banding Together can create pillows and bags out of the old uniform jackets
  - Musicians – Michelle & Monica
    - Thank you for helping with uniform distribution!
    - Beneficial to do sophomores first, consider that change going forward

- On Fridays, goal to be here 4:30-4:45 on Fridays,
- Band Front – Sarah & Sue
- Everyone got their uniforms

o Summer Spirit Wear Store – Sarah & Kristina

- Thank you for participating
- Closes tonight 8/11/25
- Targeting for two weeks for arrival

o Yard Sign Sale – Tammy

- Sale closed yesterday
- Will be distributed before and after a 6-9 when they are available

• Active Events

o Picture Day 8/13

- Details coming through in tonight's email and on socials tomorrow

▪ Photo Buttons – Kristina

- Buy the photo buttons from the Band Boosters (not the photography company, please)
- Ready for pick up at first home game, and available at second game as well

▪ Whole Band, Sectional & Individual pictures- Cavanaugh

▪ Fall Sports Program – Julie

- Try to get the kids' names in the program this year
- Mr Vitale will share his technique for keeping kids and their names straight

▪ Senior Sectionals – Tammy

- Pictures in the PAC this year, senior pics for the programs and website

▪ Senior Banners – Fast Signs

- Senior, contest banners and yard signs all through Fast Signs

o Parent Preview Night- 8/14

- Thursday August 14

▪ Ice Cream Social – Heather

- Fewer people ordering but sold more cups!
- Chipotle Day coming in September 16 in North Royalton

o Band Boosters Membership – Gretchen & Maren

- Membership will be ready to start on Parent Preview Night, store opens on preview night

▪ Contest Hoodie Store

- Coming soon! Plan for delivery before first contest

o Third Quarter Concession Cards – Tammy & Carrie

- Information going out in tonight's email, card sales start tonight, ends 8/25/25
- Pass out 8/27/25
- \$60 chick fil a
- \$42 pizza

• Upcoming Events

o Home Days Parade - 8/23

- Reminder, this date was moved from Sunday to Saturday
- 2:00 start
- Ice Cream Truck after the parade for students at no cost; parents can participate AFTER students have received their treats (parents purchase ice cream)
- Check Google Classroom for drop off details, etc

o Home Football Games - 9/5, 9/12, 9/26(Homecoming), 10/3(Band Senior Night), 10/24

▪ Concessions – Donna & Jeremy

- Some new items added to concessions this year, including cinnamon pretzels!

▪ 50/50 - Fred & Crystal

▪ Pit Crew – Rick & Mark K.

- Sign Up Genius for all the games and contests is available

- Covered for Wednesday, Thursday still needs some help filling open slots around 1:00pm (trailer has to be taken and weighed, this activity is loading and unloading the trailer)
- Pit Crew still needs volunteers!!!

▪ Visiting Bands – David O

▪ Pictures & Video – Scott, David, Tammy, Carrie

- North Royalton Band Boosters has a You Tube channel now, trying to merge all old performances to NRBB channel

o Away Football Games – 8/22, 8/29, 9/19, 10/10, 10/16(Thursday)

▪ Chaperones – Christine & Todd

- Still need a few volunteers but mostly covered; must be Band Booster member to chaperone
- 8 busses in total

▪ Pit Crew – Rick & Mark K.

o Air Show – 8/30 – 9/1 – Kelly

- Increase in pay for this year
- Ticketing gates only, no parking lot
- Still need volunteers
- Choir boosters get \$ when they support us on this event

o Fruit Sale - 9/6- Sarah

- September 6
- Partner and location sign ups soon! If they don't sign up quickly, they will be randomly assigned
- Delivery first weekend in December

o September Boosters General Membership Meeting -

o Band Fest - 9/13 - Sarah & Rebecca

- There will not be a meeting between now and band fest
- Look for info via email
- Check Sign Up Genius—usher spots still open

o Band Contests - 9/20, 10/4, 10/18, 10/25 (States preferred) or 11/1 (States back up)

o Band Senior Night – 10/3 - Anna & Nicole

- Still need volunteers

• Other Committee Updates

o Alumni - Adrienne

o Website – Mark & Anjali

- Need refreshes from committee chairs
- It is the chair person's responsibility to get a committee's information on the website; send to website admin; allow adequate time for posting

▪ Band Booster website is [www.nrbandboosters.org](http://www.nrbandboosters.org) NOT .com

• Director Updates - Mr. Vitale

- Thank you for being here and part of the boosters
- Picture Day is Aug 13
- READ GOOGLE CLASSROOM! And band website (Performance section), look for InfoSheet
- Parent Preview 8/14/25—free and open to the public
- Home Days Parade—check Google Classroom for details
- Twinsburg game is changed to Thursday 10/16/25
- Disney holds alllll the cards, and will not divulge any info. But we have been accepted to perform
- Students should go to Freshman Orientation; Friday morning—no access to front parking lot (seniors painting parking spots); time set for Friday, Saturday and Sunday
- Please follow the parking rules; do not park in fire lane or along the sidewalk; it is dangerous for kids walking from the building to the parking lot

• Other Business - All

• Treasurer's Report Acceptance – Carrie

- Treasurer's report accepted!

• Meeting Close – Tammy Meeting adjourned 8:28pm