

Fredericktown Music Boosters

November 9, 2009

Agenda

Meeting 7:15—8:30PM

1. Minutes

- a. Minutes read Kathy Thayer
- b. Minutes approved

2. Treasurer's Report

- a. Treasurer's report given Mary Miller
- Not present at the meeting

3. Old Business

a. Fundraising

*Mr. Tenney—Provided sample ornaments and other ideas. The samples are a little heavy in weight. If the ornaments are in the price range of \$8-10.00 we would be interested in selling the drum that he made and a music note. Can he engrave instead of cut? Is it possible to make a music note as a cut out with FHS and the year? If we sell them for \$10.00 and we make a 30% profit, we would make \$3.00 a sale. We would prefer to have an order form to sell the items.

*King's Island—6th and 7th graders in the spring. We would have to pay for busing. The cost is approximately \$700 for one bus. A trip for the older kids would take place next year.

*We need to plan a fundraiser for the spring—If we decide not to do Yankee candle, we need to make sure we are bringing in the same profit as the candle sale. Century Resources is who we have gone through before. However, the prices are high. What about raffling tickets to a water park, a side of beef, Longaberger basket, Huff's Jewelry, etc.? How do we raffle the prizes? Do we have a casino night, a sweetheart dinner or some sort of evening event to raffle the prizes? We would need to find out our profit from Yankee candle to make sure that we profit the same amount. Money goes towards band camp, trip for the high school students....

d. Idea for fundraiser—Mary Anne E. checked and we can raffle the OSU tickets next year.
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4. Charter bus for the band—The cost is \$900 for a bus!!! We would need 2 buses. The committee turned down the possibility. What if we bought the students dinner instead? Would a restaurant give us a discount? This would cost us \$325.00 for 65 people at \$5.00 a person. Committee agreed to spending the money on dinner for the students. Jeff will get the money from the bank in \$5.00 increments.

5. We can change the time for meetings since marching season is over. Our meetings will take place at 6:15PM

6. If there is no school on a booster meeting night, the meeting is cancelled. We need to write in the by-laws what we do in the event that the meeting is cancelled. For now, the make-up meeting is the following week.

7. Honors Band—Reserve \$200 for t-shirts and CD recording of performance.

8. Ron would like to spend \$3.00 a medal for state band pins to put on letter jackets. They will be handed out at the Spring Awards. This is a secret, please don't share this information!!!!!!!

9. What can we do to continue with our success? We need to look into performing on a national level. Look into Bands of America. We would be judged from judges across the country. The competitions are still on Saturdays. You perform during the day and then qualify to perform in the finals at night.

10. Thank you notes need to be sent to the superintendent for the pizza party and to the principal for attending the state competition.

11. We need to buy new hangers. The wooden hangers cost between .60-.70 cents apiece. This was approved by the committee. Judy will make the purchase.

12. We haven't received any response to help work in the concession stands. More people will step up closer to the actual dates. The bank wanted to work a night.

No meeting in December!!! January 11, 2010 is the next meeting.