

The Grandview Heights Band Parents Association Minutes

April 19, 2018

Notes from the meeting are in blue. Present: Chris Herrmann, Lorena Caito, Elizabeth Watters, Debbie Wilson, Collin Wheeler, Elizabeth Page, Cathy Murphy, Julie Rutter, Susan Jagers, Laura Fitch, Bridget Kahle, Janna Thompson-Chordas, Krista Voltolini, Jessica Walli, Martha Field

Secretary's Report (Martha Field, Secretary)

- Review and approve minutes from March 15, 2018 Lorena moved to approve the minutes, Susan second, all approved
- Official signing of the bylaws Bylaws were signed by the members of the board.

Treasurer's Report (Collin Wheeler, Treasurer)

- Treasurer's Report Bank balance of \$45, 528.44.
- Update on concessions
- FC Columbus Soccer/ concessions This group does not want to run their concessions through BPA . We will move our stock out before they use the stand.
- Update on Scholarship Committee Scholarships were awarded to Hunter Fitch, Carolyn LaPrete, and Micah Clark Moody.

Committee Chairs

- Summer Uniforms – Elizabeth Watters She will fit 8th graders on May 9. Orders due by June 15.
- Uniforms – Linda Wheeler, Debbie Wilson, Karen Smith Linda refitted students who have grown a lot, but they decided to keep their current uniforms.
 - Cleaning Karen is in charge of cleaning. The cleaners will pick up.
- Concessions – Krista Voltolini, Pam Browning Krista reported that several new volunteers will be needed to fill spots (buyers).
- Cake Walk – Cathy Murphy, Joanne Taylor The Cake Walk was profitable. Tweaks for next year can include a “consolation table” where some cakes are reserved for sale for those who don’t win but still want to take home a cake. There was discussion about social media promotion for the professional cake donors and how best to handle this. They are recognized in concert programs and on the website. Julie will set up a Twitter account, separate from Chris’, for the purpose of recognizing these contributions.
- Senior Night – Laura Fitch, Susan Jagers Laura and Susan reported that gift items had been ordered, Mary Landrum is creating a senior video, and Julie has the certificates to print. Cake will be served in the front hallway.
- Band Camp – Bridget Kahle, Cheri Berlin Bridget is prepping the sign up genius for camp. Forms are available in the office and online. She will work on lining up a nurse.
- Decal Drive – Janna Thompson-Chordas , Jessica Walli Jessica is focusing on business donors, reaching out to former donors, targeting new possible donors. Janna and Jessica brought up the idea of including additional incentives for sponsors, including a social media thank you, an announcement during football halftime (would probably need to be handled by band announcer

right after the band marches) , and displaying a banner or sign listing sponsors at the basketball concession stand.

Director Agenda (Chris Herrmann)

Chris presented a request for reimbursement of \$10 for engraving the band awards by Village Trophy, and a request of \$395 for renewal of Charms. Lorena moved to approve these amounts, Collin second, all approved.

President's Report (Lorena Caito, President)

Board/Chair positions for 2018-19 Still a work in progress.

Communications Secretary (Julie Rutter, Communications)

Upcoming Events

- April 26 HS Band Concert
- May 8 MS Band Concert
- May 17 GHBPA meeting