



The Grandview Heights Band Parents Association Minutes December 2022

Present: Dot Keil, Molly Schmied, Jay Carini, Julie Rutter, Jennifer Olis, Scott Heath

Dot called the meeting to order

GHHS Director Report

- Kings Island for 7/8 band and orchestra; May 6 (Scott Heath)
 - Needs the BPA to collect the money - bus, tickets, judges
 - Write a check for the buses, tickets and judges
 - BPA offered to help fund the adjudication meeting
 - BPA offered to help communicate about the event
- OSU Winter Celebration concert went well - Ms. Olis suggests alternating who attends the concert each year so that they experience a different type of concert each year
- Promusica for 7-12 orchestra (funding request)
 - Need to get final quote from Thomas Stanley
 - **Molly made motion to spend up to \$1K on this event, Dot 2nd**
- GHHS updates (Jenn Olis)
 - Jennifer Olis is expecting her 2nd child in March!!!
 - Long-term sub to fill in until the end of the year

Secretary's Report (Molly Schmied, Secretary)

- Review and approve minutes from November 13 2022, meeting
 - **Julie made motion to approve minutes, Jay 2nd**

Treasurer's Report (Jay Carini, Treasurer)

- Treasurer's report – Jay emailed the report to BPA officers.
 - Concessions are finalized - our profit was \$10,500
 - Budget reflects expenses for the OSU Winter Celebrations (buses and tickets)

President's Report (Dot Keil, President)

- December school board meeting
 - ThisWeek News discontinuation
 - Pepsi contract was up for renewal - same terms as before, vote for renewal passed
- Scholarships

- Agreed to keep the following scholarship as they are:
 - Band/Orchestra scholarship - what you did why you were here
 - Gaskalla - some who will be involved in music in some way in the future
- Form will be digital this year
- We discussed the criteria of how we rate the applicants - Dot to review the application and make edits
- The band director will be added to the selection committee to provide context and rank (does not have veto power)
- Application to be rolled out in January
- Dot to contact Jane O'Shaughnessey about when she needs the recipient names
- for BPA scholarships.
 - Update from Dot: Recipient names are due to Jane O. by March 17 with an in-person award ceremony planned for April 13.

Committee Reports

- Concessions: Decision about indoor equipment & PTO
 - Discussed the concessions equipment in the indoor concession stand. Equipment includes popcorn machine, pretzel machine and nacho cheese machine.
 - BPA decided we would like to give these items to the PTO. After all, the profits from indoor concession sales benefit all GHHS students.
 - **Jay made motion to give all indoor concession equipment to PTO, Julie 2nd**
- Uniforms: Moving uniforms/assistance with packing
 - We need to pack up the band room
 - Jennifer to talk to Jim about crates and if the move is small then she will if students can help move some of boxes/crates
- Band Camp: proposal has been emailed from Otterbein
 - Our spot is being held but we do need to get the contract signed
 - Feel social activities should be planned by the students
- Cakewalk - to discuss next week

Old Business

- Bobcat Booster Request
- 8th grade/HS student recruitment (BPA, students)

New Business

- Volunteer Analysis (Molly) - moved to next month

Adjournment

- **Dot made motion to adjourn meeting, Jay 2nd**

NEXT MEETING: JANUARY 19, 2023; 6:30 PM, BAND ROOM - NEW HIGH SCHOOL!