

## **Basha Band Booster Meeting**

**April 7th, 2009**

Scott Chan called the meeting to order.

A motion to accept the February minutes as written was made, seconded and carried.

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### *Treasurers Report*

Amber Labrum reported that checking account balance as of today is \$23,000. She will go to the bank tomorrow with a \$5,700 deposit. We have \$2,000 expenses. We have \$26,000 after the deposit and expenses clear the bank account.

### *Directors Corner*

Mr. Kiesgen reported that there is a mandatory winter drum line meeting Monday (4/13) at 5pm. They will be discussing the trip to Dayton. With new airline fees it would be less expensive for student to pack their luggage on the Enterprise rental truck with the equipment. The truck will be loaded on Saturday morning. If the student chooses not to put the luggage on the truck then that student may need to pay the fee themselves.

There will be no bus transportation to and from the airport. Parents will need to arrange rides for their children.

A suggested packing list will be given to the students tomorrow. We would like to keep the luggage to one carry one sized suitcase and a small backpack.

### *Jazz Band Trip*

The Jazz band took first place in their division at the Fullerton Jazz Festival. They competed in the intermediate division. If they return next year they plan to compete in the advanced division. The band received good feedback. They were able to attend very educational clinics.

The Jazz band concert will be May 12. They will have a special guest soloist, Barb Catlin. We have contacted the Sunbird community and invited them to attend.

The drum-line has been invited to attend the Chandler district recognition night. They will be recognized for their state championship.

### *Student Leadership*

There will be a section leader meeting on May 5th from 2:30-3:30. Try outs will be May 12th and 13th. Section leaders will be chosen based on teaching and leadership ability.

Drum major workshops will be May 4th, 11th and 18th. They will work with directors to learn directing styles and leadership roles.

The audition will be May 20th at 2:30.

### *Band Banquet*

The banquet is going well.

### *Band Council*

Penny wars is off to a great start.

### *Home Show*

The home show was a great success. There was plenty of great feedback. We received \$233 in donations.

Mr. Kiesgen would like to have photos of the band. He would like to fill up the website with all of our different groups.

The Jimmy Wayne concert scheduled for May 28th will need to be postponed due to a scheduling conflict with graduation responsibilities.

Gold canyon made \$1,176. The candles should arrive very soon.

There are no other fundraisers scheduled for the remainder of the year.

There will be a turnover of Executive boards at the May meeting.

Band camp is scheduled for July 20th (Mr. Kiesgen's birthday)- July 25<sup>th</sup>. We would still like band camp to be a team-building, bonding experience although we will not be traveling. Some ideas are to camp at the school and possibly have a lock-in at the end of camp. Relay games, dance, etc.

Meeting adjourned.