

Galena Band Meeting
November 5, 2012

Attending: Steve Cohen, Judy Crosse, Leslie Lyles, Amy Willow, Colleen Worlton, Julie Swenson, Brad Swenson, Cathy Mauer, Sheryl Cohen, Kevin Sady.

Discussion:

* Spring Trip - Heritage Festival in San Francisco, March 22-24. Anticipate 3 days. Discussion of what to do for fun. Discussion of options. Not sure that we should do the amusement parks (limited rides, Pier 39, Alcatraz, etc.). Goal; to get free tickets to aquarium. Thinking drive Friday for festival, Saturday go to Monterrey, Sunday Fisherman's Wharf/Alcatraz and home. Estimate \$200-\$250/kid - details to follow. Email ideas to Kevin. Deposit before winter break.

* Treasurer's Report:

- 1) Booster Account: \$18007.64
- 2) Band Fee: \$6094.41. Kevin noted that some fees have not yet been paid (approximately \$4,800). He will start sending home notes to the students to remind them.

Goal to try to keep more money in this account to try to help defray costs of a larger trip in the future.

Winter Concert: December 18th at the Atlantis at 7 p.m. Still needs some volunteers to help out.

Question: We have received feedback from other parents. Why does Galena not perform in their uniforms during football games. Some rude comments from football parents because they see kids in uniform at other games. Discussion: If kids are in uniform they cannot eat/drink during game and are required to come early/stay late. How to manage:

- * Consider uniforms for one game next year
- * Uniforms for last game of year (full show)
- * Uniforms for Homecoming
- * Jerseys for the band to look more uniform

Discussion: Agreement to discuss next year at the beginning of the year. Need to figure out in May so we are prepared for fall.

Next meeting: December 3rd

Kevin needs help (one parent during enrichment - Tuesday, Thursday, Friday from 12:15 - 12:45 for fitting of tuxedos and dresses. (Volunteers: Cathy, Rose) - STEVE: to send out email to ask for volunteers. We may need to purchase additional tuxes/dresses for next year.

Meeting adjourned at 7:13 p.m.