

Galena Band Meeting
February 4, 2013

Attending: Steve Cohen, Sheryl Cohen, Leslie Lyles, Amy Willow, Judy Crosse, Rose Bilyeu, Yolanda Huffmire, Chris Wessel, Colleen Worlton, Karin Harris,

Meeting to Order 6:31 p.m.

Spring Trip-March 22-24

Friday

Leave Friday morning (no later than 7:30 a.m.) Students to arrive at school no later than 6:30 a.m.
Arrive at Festival Friday afternoon/early evening Check into hotel, dinner, etc.

Saturday

Go to Monterrey to Aquarium and then time in downtown area (Kevin called and they expect to be able to let the kids in for free) Afternoon in Paramount Great America Park (park and dance)

Sunday

Leisurely morning and then drive home.

Logistics: bus holds 56 kids; so may need to rent a suburban.

Planning:

- * breakfasts (may do Costco)
- * lunch (on your own)
- * dinner (will be provided)
- * snacks (students to bring their own)

Financials

- * Student account is being spent for school-required items; has to be spent at the end of each year
- * Booster Account: not much change - still healthy; did get check from Raley's for \$250; Steve has it on the website

Zone Concert - ACTION: Kevin to include a full-page ad in the zone concert program to create awareness

Web

Call for videos, photos, etc. to add to the website - get to Steve and he'll put it up.

Big Trip

Kevin shared that Costa Rica trip is best over spring break - still \$2,500. He feels like that may be too much to ask for and get participation. Kevin explored other options:

Boston (don't forget baggage fees!)

- * 3 days, 4 nights - thinking maybe adding one more day
- * \$1279 for hotel (downtown)
- * 2 performance opportunities

- * When: one of spring break weeks
- * Performance Opportunities: they would create opportunities for us to perform/participate in clinics
- * Itinerary: see Boston Symphony, see city and historic
- * Would start planning and students could pay starting in summer and then

NEXT STEPS: Kevin will work on finalizing a proposal with more details so he can share out with parents.

Dates we are thinking about - leave the Friday morning of spring break - return so there is more time.

Opportunity to explore rentals/help with instruments in Boston area

Next Year's Board: Nominations by next meeting

Add position to the Board (Kevin's suggestion)

- * Webmaster - Steve Cohen

Other Officers to elect for next school year

- * President -
- * Vice President -
- * Secretary -
- * Treasurer -

Marching Band season: thinking about going to another place with the kids (McQueen show?) Could we do a parade?

Topic was tabled until next meeting. Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.