

Band Booster Meeting

May 4, 2015

call to order 7:03 pm

Attending: Kevin, Celine Kirchman, Diane Lancaster, Steve and Sheryl Cohen, Steve Wischer, Kathy Braband, Jenni Amundsen

Treasurer Report:

Student Fee: \$ 1730

Booster Acct: \$ 8318

Trip Acct: \$300

- Next year's field show, head start on buying music and drill – Kevin is going to contract it out for \$1800. So plus music will be on top of the \$1800...theme is "I Believe"

Spanish Springs show Oct 30, UNR Oct 31 – 2nd weekend of fall break

Kevin will send out a letter with fall dates to all band parents

Kevin will be meeting with Pine kids to stimulate interest in guard

Business:

- budget changes for next year: if Kevin has to take a day off for Elko or Jazz festival, etc, the sub fee will come out of the band acct (\$85 / day) typically is gone 7 days a year
- Kevin also has to pay 10% of instrument cost for maintenance for each student; approx \$4 or \$5 a year
- students who borrow a school instrument will now pay a rental fee each year – one fee per student (no matter how many instruments they play); rental fee will be approx \$40 - \$50 a year

Fundraising ideas:

- because we don't do door-knocker in gated communities – maybe a member of those HOA communities could possibly arrange a free concert at their club houses and take contributions
- bowl-a-thon down at the bowling stadium

- still going to look into a bingo night....

Next year: t-shirts? sweatshirts? costs associated with that? **Kevin will** try and increase the band fee (probably can't increase it till 2016-17) to cover sweatshirts; would then be mandatory for kids to wear at football games, etc.

Senior's / Spring Concert:

- Celine taking care of boutonnieres for seniors
- Steve and Celine will take a couple of kids and help set up the day of
- they will film concert with 2 cameras; Steve will put on website
- **Kevin will** be doing awards at the concert; and ordering plaques and letters

Next year's number look like 78 kids in band

Band camp 7 days....July 30th – Aug 7th

Drum line auditions are May 27th

Next meeting will be in July – for the board – Celine will let people know

Meeting adjourned at 7:52pm