

Brothertown Music Boosters Meeting: 9/8/18

Meeting called to order at 9:40am by Kelly Belouin

In attendance: Jessica Lotyczewski, Pat Moshetti, Kelly Belouin, Debbie Salvaggio, Sue Campion, Jamie-Lee Broedel, Meredith Leland, Kim Richmond & Bonnie Mae Padula

August meeting minutes approved: first motion by Kelly Belouin, second by Kim Richmond.

Treasurer's report: Debbie advised nothing new to report due to no recent activity.

Moola Money report: Sue Campion is updating moola records by removing the students that graduated and moving their remaining balance to a younger sibling or if they do not have one, to the general fund.

News from Mrs. Lotyczewski: The Jr. Sr. high open house was held on 9/5 and a few students with parents visited the music wing.

News from Mr. Moshetti: All new percussion instruments have been received in boxes. The delivery includes: 3 snare, 2 tenor & 5 base drums. Unfortunately, harnesses are needed for each, which can cost between \$140.00-\$200.00 each. Mr. Moshetti received funding for the instruments through the Barton Fund. Mr. Moshetti is waiting to see if the cost of the harnesses will be covered by the Barton Fund. In addition, his grant request included new marching band uniforms and a trailer used to transport the marching band equipment.

Rocco Padula will assist Mr. Moshetti with the removal of shelving from the previous marching band bus. This needs to be done this week as the bus is going to auction. The shelving may be useful in the new trailer.

Old Business:

Marching Band Trailer- As mentioned by Mr. Moshetti, the Barton Fund Board will review and consider this purchase for the Jr. Sr. high school marching band.

New Business:

Nomination and election of officers:

President: Kelly Belouin

Vice President: Jamie-Lee Broedel

Treasurer: Debbie Salvaggio

Secretary: Bonnie Mae Padula

Moola Chairperson: Kim Richmond

All in favor-

DC Trip- Bonnie is working with Aaron Mitchell with Music Celebrations. Aaron provided two itineraries (4 day 3 night & 3 day 2 night) with pricing. One representing 3 star hotel and one for 4 star hotel. Mr. Moshetti recommended 3 star hotel accommodations for a 3 day 2 night trip and using Hale transportation . The quote, not including the bus, is approximately \$469.00 for 100 travelers. Activities include: an evening walking tour of several memorials and attendance at “A Capitol Fourth” celebration on the Capitol Lawn, featuring the National Symphony concert followed by fireworks is planned.

Tour of Arlington National Cemetery, a visit to the National Archives Building (home to the Declaration of Independence) and much more. Bonnie will reach out to Hale for pricing as well as Joanna Keeler at BOCES for COSER. A show of interest survey will be sent home with the students.

Chef Pierre Pie Sale- Kim Richmond will chair this sale that begins on 9/10. All orders and payments are due by 9/25. Delivery will occur before Thanksgiving.

Mum Sale- Kelly Belouin will oversee this fundraiser that also begins on 9/10. Orders and money are due by 9/21 with a pickup date of 9/28 from 3-6pm. Sue Campion will organize the sale held at St. Elizabeth's medical center. Mums will be delivered to St. Elizabeth's by Willson's.

Open Floor: Discussed having the Chicken BBQ on 4/28/19 and utilizing a bottle (returnable) drop off from 12-2. This solution allows the boosters to still hold both events but combine into one. The Chicken BBQ tickets would be presold as before with pick up at noon.

Next meeting will be 10/3/18 at 6:30pm

**Meeting adjourned at 10:39am, 1st motion by Debbie Salvaggio,
2nd motion by Bonnie Padula.**

Meeting minutes recorded by Bonnie Mae Padula, Booster Secretary