



## Belton Band Booster Meeting

Monday, February 12, 2018, @6:00 PM

Prior to Meeting the minutes and reports were distributed.

I. Call to order by Vice President, Sue Beauchamp

II. The minutes of the previous meeting, January 8, 2018 were reviewed. A motion to approve was made by Sara Crosswhite - 2<sup>nd</sup> Cheryl Mortimer.

III. **Treasurer's Report** – Christie Bledsoe (not in attendance) Copy of approved budget was distributed – no discussion or questions. Motion to approve was made by Brandi Hart - 2<sup>nd</sup> Connie Olsen.

### IV. **Director's Reports**

Belton High School – Mr. Stein – Winter Guard has placed 2<sup>nd</sup> at both contests they have been to. Really proud of the girls energy level! The contests have been very organized. Last Saturday at UIL 77% of the band students came away with a medal – 127 students medaled and 57 are headed to state. State will be the last weekend in May at UT Austin and there will be between 20,000-25,000 kids there. This will be a busy time for seniors to prepare for competition.

Guard ends the first week of April. The third week of April is UIL sight reading.

Practice attendance has been at 100%. The recent musical was a huge production and was great! Beginning prep for next year – auditions coming out in about 3 weeks and summer schedule is on the website.

South Belton Middle School – Mr. Pulley – Band nights Instrument Placements will be at SBMS – Thursday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, LBMS – Tuesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>, NBMS – Thursday, March 8<sup>th</sup>. Students wanting to be in band must attend one of the meetings scheduled. Band directors from all 3 middle schools will be helping students select the instrument best suited for them.

Lake Belton Middle School – Solo and Ensemble is going on today and tomorrow – all going well.

North Belton Middle School – Dr. Kline – At Solo & Ensemble 393 kids made 1<sup>st</sup> place and 45 made 2<sup>nd</sup> place. Begin recruiting tour at Lakewood, Tarver & High Point on Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>.

TMEA Wed-Sat. Will have a social on 2/19 at Wheels. Winter guard performance will be Feb 21<sup>st</sup>. 5<sup>th</sup> grade introductions will begin March 8<sup>th</sup>. Working on finalizing UIL selections for competition in April. Looking at 280-290 students next year.

### V. **Committee Reports** –

Winter Guard Coordinator – Brandy Hart – On Feb. 21<sup>st</sup> guard will be touring at middle schools. The guard was 7/10's from getting first place in the last competition. Next competition is March 3<sup>rd</sup> and March 4<sup>th</sup> the guard is going to watch WGI. Close to having everyone paid in full – new show shirts are done and look amazing!

Hospitality Coordinator – Connie Olsen – Working on meals for winter guard (meal deal), band banquet for May and senior bags. If you have anything you would like to contribute to the senior bags, see Shauna or Sara.

Spirit Wear Coordinator – Brandy Hart – Prepping for summer – talking about boosters doing all of the purchasing in lieu of Cochran Blair & Potts. Working on on-line store and adding additional merchandise.

Volunteer Coordinator – Cheryl Mortimer – Big Red relays are on Feb 24<sup>th</sup> and boosters are running concessions. Please volunteer. There is a soccer game Feb 20<sup>th</sup> - will send out another link to sign up.

Fundraising Coordinator – Connie Olsen – Restaurant fundraisers usually make 500.00-600.00. We are looking at Rosa's on March 8<sup>th</sup> from 5-10pm and will receive 15%. Also looking at Schlotzky's in Belton which we will also receive 15 % April 18<sup>th</sup>. Nothing Bundt Cake fundraiser – we will sell little cakes week of March 2<sup>nd</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> using printed order forms. Cakes are \$3.00 each and we will sell them for \$5.00-\$6.00 each.

Uniforms - Shauna – Little maintenance at this time – washing uniforms.

VI. **New Business** – Upcoming fundraiser events: April 14<sup>th</sup> Billy Holt Concert at Schoepf's – Each section will put together a basket for silent auction at the concert. Each basket will have theme.

Bandorama Spaghetti Dinner May 11<sup>th</sup> – will be serving from 5-8. A committee is working on this – will preorder tickets.

Corporate, family & Friends sponsorship forms are on the website. They will also be available at the concert and Bandorama.

Bylaws Committee has met and will present amended bylaws at March meeting to be voted on in April.

VII. **Adjournment** – Brandi Hart/several in attendance

Next meeting will be moved to the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday in March due to Spring Break.

March 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 in the Little Theater.

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