

**FLOYD CENTRAL BAND BOOSTER  
MEETING MINUTES  
July 11, 2017**

Michael Sobieski, Kimberly Broughton-Miller, Becky Warren, Perry Warren, Trish Jones, Becky Nottke, Tom Payne, Julia Derloshon, Judy Pyles, Sue Launder-Becker, Brandy Gibson, Wendy Moody, Sharla Carter, Luanne Didelot, Kevin Spencer, Diana Spencer, Sharon Wavle, Jeni Roution, Dave Coulson, Amanda Litch, Tracy Tabor, Jamy Coulson, Sean Tabor.

**CALLED TO ORDER:** Sean Tabor

**MINUTES APPROVED BY:** Tom Payne 2<sup>nd</sup>: Mike Sobieski

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** checking account balance \$ [REDACTED]  
savings account balance \$ [REDACTED]

Approved by: Mike Sobieski 2<sup>nd</sup>: Brandy Gibson

**OLD/UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

●**Non-profit status update** – Making appointment for next week as accountant is on vacation. Will file paperwork for 501(c)(3) as recommended. Process should take approximately three months.

●**Fundraising for new uniforms** – Over 100 corporate donation flyers/commitment forms mailed out. We've received in-kind donations for the graphic artist, copying, and stamps for mailing. \$10,000 in donations so far, including \$1700 from discount cards and \$1000 from upcoming jazz band performance.

July 13 - Drive-In event to raise awareness, sell band bands and discount cards

July 14 - Email to section leaders to send a kickoff email for the Adopt-A-Uniform campaign to parents. This will also be sent through MMO.

July 18 - Presentation to all band and guard members during lunch at band camp. We will ask them to share the form on social media, email, and give the form to their parents. Moving Forward will also be coming to band camp this day to do a piece on the uniform fundraising campaign.

July 21 - Family Picnic – we will be giving an update on progress, recognizing families who have already committed to the campaign so far, and ask for on the spot pledges.

July 22 - Jazz Band performance to secure the \$1000 donation to Huber's

They will continue to make follow-up visits to primary targets in the corporate campaign. They are working with Angela Bowman to post materials on the FC Alumni Facebook page. The Horseshoe Foundation grant proposal is in progress and will be ready to turn in well before deadline.

●**My Music Office and Communications Efforts** – Correction to band schedule. "No scheduled band events through October 5" not October 6. Frequent, short emails through "MMO" is our goal. To sync with the calendar on the band website, the gmail account is [FloydCentralBandBoosters.com@gmail.com](mailto:FloydCentralBandBoosters.com@gmail.com). Detailed competition information will be sent via email in MMO and posted on the band website calendar.

●**Committees** – Good response to request for committee sign up. We need more pit crew volunteers. Could possibly rotate if there are enough pit crew. Thank you Tracy Noles for volunteering to be Band Camp Coordinator for cold treats.

●**Invitational** – Looking for title sponsor first. Requesting a quote for trained parking attendants if we don't have enough volunteers. Twenty radios with repeaters will be donated. Need to ask school if Internet block could be dropped during the Invitational. Volunteer spots are 29% full. Mike would like to eventually have the current year's invitational support the following year's band program.

●**Yard Sale** – August 12 at Republic Bank at Highlander Point. Discussed having a car wash at the same time but determined it would be too tight. We cannot block the ATM. No need to pre-price items before they are dropped off. Will be asking for donations. Kids will sell food, load and unload cars. Sending out Sign Up Genius so volunteers may sign up. Clarksville Goodwill to pick up whatever does not sell.

●**Band Family Picnic** – Friday, July 21, 2017 from 7 – 9:30 pm at FCHS cafeteria. Check out Sign Up Genius for items needed.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

●**Fundraiser at Drive-In** – Sarah Jordan from 102.3 THE MAX and the FC Pep Band to appear at the Georgetown Drive-In. Pep band members to arrive at school by 5:45 pm to help load music stands, drum set, etc. Mike Sobieski volunteered to drive FC bus from school to drive-in for those who are not staying for the movie. Those staying for the movie must pay. Park in spaces closest to screen one. Sarah Jordan and the pep band will set-up in front of screen one by the swing set. Press releases were sent to local newspapers and local media. Flyer was posted on various community boards at local businesses.

●**New Decals** – New decals have been proposed by Michele Noel. Green FC logo with gold trim. Small - \$10 and large - \$15. Printed at 323ink, a local company in Jeffersonville, Indiana.

Approved by: Mike Sobieski                      2nd: Perry Warren

●**Oral Hydration System** – Drip Drop Hydration Drink has been donated to students for band camp. Add the powder to water. Three times the electrolytes and less sugar than Gatorade. Hydrates longer and absorbs faster than sports drinks. Comparable to I.V. therapy. Check it out at DripDrop.com. May be purchased on Drip Drop website, Amazon or at Walgreens.

#### **DIRECTOR'S REPORT:**

Be on time for band camp! No driving on practice field; road between band room and tennis courts will be closed to traffic until November. Need to keep our kids safe. Bring plenty of food, big jug of water, sunscreen and hat. Wear sections shorts and white shirt. Spend more time marching in the morning and move inside around 1 or 2 pm. First two movements last four minutes.

Uniform drawings have been finalized. Fred J. Miller, Inc. and Stanbury Uniforms will each be sending a sample. The Uniform Committee will examine each uniform. The lead field commander will wear the new uniform during the 2017 marching season. Still working on show shirt design. Perry Warren (welder) will be helping Mr. Jump from the Theater Dept. build props. Kevin Knottke will create the new medallion for Field Commander stand.

A new Administrative Assistant has been hired for the Performing Arts Department. "Assistant Band Director" will be Ben Gutman. Continue emailing Dr. Willman to advocate hiring a new teacher to be Assistant Director.

**MEETING ADJOURNED:**                      Mike Sobieski                      2<sup>nd</sup>: Perry Warren

#### **IMPORTANT DATES:**

Band Camp:    July 17 - 21 – 8:30 am to 6:00 pm; July 24 and 25 – 5:00 pm to 9 pm

Band Booster meeting: Tuesday, August 8, 2017 at 7:00 pm