

Meeting Minutes		October 19, 2021	
Present	Title: Name	Present	Title: Name
x	President: Rob Vendramin	x	Vice President: Josephine Sze
x	Treasurer: Jen Slagle / Roy Slagle	x	Concessions Treasurer: Josephine Sze
X	Communications: Nadine Myers	x	Secretary/Social Media: Kelly McMullen
	Website load/Social Media: Jen Slagle		Fundraising Chair:
	Concessions Beverages:		Concessions Coordinators:

Additional Attendees Present: Cathy Canady, Kristen Black

The August 2021 Liberty Music Boosters virtual meeting was called to order by Rob Vendramin at 7:03 pm.

## Administrative Updates

- Previous meeting minutes review/approve -Kelly sent via email on Monday before meeting • Minutes approved and no corrections provided.
- Treasurer's Report Roy and Jen-not present, Jen sent report
  - Board and Brush night set for November 17 @6:30pm, on FB with link to sign up, needs to be added to Patriot Parent email
  - Buckeye Bank chose LMBA as their food truck fundraiser and gave \$234.24
  - Link added to website to view meeting minutes, as discussed from last meeting
  - Friends of Liberty campaign, mailer to request for donations, went out and so far \$1900 has been donated
  - Yard sign orders coming in, need to send reminder that deadline is approaching
  - Pie sale is Oct 24-Nov 7 and will be open on square later this week, needs to be on the Patriot Parent; Kristen provided additional information and said that details still need to be identified: pick up is Monday, Nov 22nd, need to decide where pick up will be, drivers and helpers will be needed for picking up the pies/distribution, prices of pies were raised by Der Dutchman, a link is needed for purchase and information will be posted on newsletters, FB and website
  - Kroger and Amazon Smile info needs to be posted, Rob will send that info out
- Communications Report Nadine
- Upcoming performances and yard sign info have been put in the extracurricular / Patriot Parent
- New ideas for communication to be added into the newsletter emails/website to help parents be engaged
  - Musician of the week is an idea that was brought up
  - Information for new parents learning about Music boosters and all areas: Marching Band/Choir/Orchestra, board members/volunteers, spotlight on directors
  - Things to do section for seniors: traditions, awards, highlight seniors, senior collage boards



## Music Director Updates

• Band: Travis Hicks

 $\circ~$  Marching season is going well and they just finished 3rd competition. Keeping kids focused as there is a lot going on this year with home/away games and competition, as opposed to last year.

 $\circ$  Apple picking was delayed, due to chance of rain, hope to reschedule.

• This Friday is Senior Night and band notes went out with information. Last competition is this Saturday in Lancaster, tickets/programs will be all online, and there will be 7 AA bands. State will be at Hilliard Bradley on the 30th, time is pending and will be in the evening. OMEA is an Ohio competition. No ranking, just receive rating, Superior is the top rating.

oLondon would like a recording for their New Year's parade, but not sure of details.

• Choir: Doug O'Neal

oFall concert was last week and that went well

oACAPOP concert moved from October 28 to November 11, due to theater conflict

oHave 85 travelers scheduled for the NY trip planned in April.

•Varsity Chorale & Choraliers have a virtual video project with a song performed together. They record themselves at home and then share it to the whole country, they also did this last year. Permission is in place to be allowed to be shared.

• Orchestra: Jill Bixler

 $\circ$  Orchestra is going well since back in the classroom. Freshman excited, building up groups again since prior to pandemic.

°Service work has started again for playing in nursing homes again

•Going to NY, but after school ends, excited since secured tickets to attend Carnegie Hall, will have a fundraiser prior to Thanksgiving and after the holidays

•Concerts coming up, Nov 3 with Sinfonia and Chamber, Nov 8 with Prelude and Concert, Dec 15 the Orchestra Concert will have a festival piece staggered together, depending on any restrictions •Have ordered orchestra clothes and kids excited about dressing, things are coming back together

-Rob said he would like to send an email out to the parents reminding them of all the things that music boosters do for each of the programs. Rob requested from all directors a bullet list of some of the things music boosters have helped with over the years.

## Unfinished Business

- Concession price increases for 2022. Josephine provided some field research when attending other schools. Hot chocolate will be added when it is cold.
- Legacy pavers: information is still needed to decide on scheduling the fundraiser and when bricks installed.
- Plan to buy a replacement truck for the band. Still on the to do list.

## New Business

- Band Parent FB page Kristen Black will create, Kristen said this will be interactive, an opportunity for band parents to ask questions, just another way to get information
- Question raised to have the marching band competition show posted, Travis said yes and will try to look at posting on a private link
- Concession for Playoff games are on Sign-up Genius



- Question raised about treat bags/posters for Band going to State, Jolene may be leading this to have posters for outside school. Discussion about the past with parents getting together and making posters for sections and then displayed in music wing. Not sure if Jolene is setting up the treat bag/poster making night. Treat bags and parents will clap out kids before boarding bus for State.
- Information was also brought up about senior night dinner, seniors will have collages displayed, have corsages and there will be a clap out for seniors

Rob made a move to adjourn the meeting, Nadine motioned to adjourn and Josephine 2nd the motion at 8:17pm. Next meeting will be in person on November 16th at 7pm.