

Damonte Ranch High School Band

Booster Meeting Minutes – January 9, 2012

Call to Order: 6:30pm

Present: Michele Merritt-Gardner, Sharon Owens, Jennifer Bagatta, Kim Sperling, Dawn Saathoff, Luz Harrison, Melinda McConnell-Kelly, Michelle Hritz, Tamara Salivar, Karen Cruz, Kathi and Jim Wills and Steve Schifferdecker.

Reading of the Minutes: November 14, 2011

Committee Reports

- Fair Share/Budget/Winter Fees
 - ✚ Current account balance is \$2900-\$3000. There is still \$6000 is outstanding fair share fee's. Currently, a working budget is being created to project what the fair share amount should be for the next season. Sharon and Steve to get together to work on this. Staff has been paid and will be paid 1st going forward.
 - ✚ Steve proposed that fair share credits do not get carried over to the next year. The year period being July to July. There was discussion on this that it may create a potential drop in participation of fundraising (Goodies Lemonade) if fees are paid for up front. Or, no payments come in up front in anticipation of getting some it from the fundraising. There are only a few currently that do have a credit. No finally decision was made as this topic needs to be discussed further.
 - ✚ Winter fees are \$300 and there are 41 members between Drumline and Guard. Please see attached fair share breakdown.
- Fundraising
 - ✚ Craft Fair -The craft fair went very well with many compliments on the kids! OUR KIDS ROCK! We collected \$1170 between the concession stand and raffle. Concession expense was only \$187. Need to find out from Heather how much was collected in booth rentals. It was roughly around \$3000. Next Craft Fair is 12/1/12. We will start making banners in July with John Bradbury.
 - ✚ Bingo Night & Spaghetti Feed – April 20th, 2012. Spaghetti dinner will be \$5.00 per person and family of 4 or more \$20.00. It will be a White Elephant prize bingo so start looking around for items to re-gift!!
- Care & Food
 - ✚ We will be playing at the next 3 home basketball games. Kids are to bring \$4 for pizza. Salad/desert will be provided. Call time is 4:30 pm with dinner being served at 5:30 pm.
- Chaperones/Contest Support
 - ✚ Drumline and Guard will perform at RHS on 2/18. It is a festival preview.
 - ✚ 2 contests in March are in California. We will need chaperones for both with there being room on the bus. These will be day trips so no lodging expense. Members will have to bring money with them for food.
 - ✚ On March 28th and 29th we will be hosting the WCSD Festival. We need to start checking into sack lunches to sell. Save Mart had the best price when we did it 2 years ago.

- Equipment & Props
 - ✚ We'll need parents' help to put together the scenery/backgrounds for the Winter Guard and Drumline performances. Winter Guard is doing "Come Fly with Me" which has a Pan Am theme. Drumline is doing "War" which has a desert destruction theme. Prop designs are moving right along!
 - ✚ Trailer – the grant paper work was filled out and sent to RGJ. Need to contact Linda to see how long it takes to get a response.

- Sponsorship/Grants
 - ✚ Sponsorship packets are still available. Sponsorships are a great way to help parents to pay for their Fair Share fees!

- Uniforms/Equipment
 - ✚ Marguerite has created a sample uniform for the guard which turned out really nice. We will not need parents to sew but will need help with cutting. Drumline will have a desert army uniform. Brown T's with army pants. Kim to check with Mitch on T's and Michelle will check with George to see if they have any surplus laying around that we can have so there is not a big expense.

Old & New Business

- ✚ PAC @ Damonte Music Festival, June 23, 2012. Sharon is to schedule a meeting with the GSR to coordinate ticket sales and catering. Bands are still being discussed.
- ✚ Band Banquet is going to be head at The Shriners on Thursday, May 31st starting at 6pm. The committee will get together first part of February to go over plans and budget.
- ✚ We will be hosting the WCSD Festival on March 28th and 29th. 2 years ago we sold sack lunches. Michele will call around to get prices. Save Mart had the best price 2 years ago.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:10 pm

Next Meeting is Monday, February 13, 2012 at 6:30 pm