

Leonardtwn High School Band Booster General Assembly Meeting Minutes
February 11, 2015

The meeting started at 5:30 with the reading of the minutes from the previous General Assembly meeting. These minutes were approved.

Presidents Report:

- Tax exempt form is still on hold. The President is seeking help from other club/organizations within LHS for help. Great Mills director suggested calling the IRS to see if maybe the Boosters already has a tax exempt ID before doing all the work.
- A suggestion was made to put a lock box outside of Mr. Pearson's office in the band room. This will be for students to drop off papers and/or money for the Band Boosters. This option will be further looked into.

Treasurer Report:

- The operating and fundraising budget were passed around. Please refer to the website for copies.
- A motion was made to make a line in the budget for WVU Honors Band. This motion was voted on and approved. Next year's budget will have a separate line.

Fundraising Report:

- The Comedy Show will take place on April 17, 2015. Concessions will be sold.
- Still waiting for the Claire's representative to send incentive check to the Boosters. The "pie in the face" incentive can happen anytime.

Basket Bingo:

- 10 more baskets have been sponsored.
- Letters and certificates for sponsored baskets were signed and are being delivered.

New Business:

- The Boosters is participating in a Mulch Sale with the Athletics Department. All proceeds will be used to upgrade the football field. All forms and money should be turned in by February 25, 2015. Please contact Mr. Pearson or Kim Rockey (kimrockey74@gmail.com or 301-481-2768) with any questions.
- Would like to have a lot of parent presence at the next General Assembly meeting. Plans will be finalized for the Basket Bingo and all help is appreciated.

Mr. Pearson Report:

- The 2015 Marching Band schedule is still being working out, but for now the schedule is as follows:
 - o 9-11 June 2015 Mini Camp 5:30-8:00
 - o 21-23 July 2015 Mini Camp 12:00 – 9:00 (bring your own dinner)
 - o 27-30 July 2015 Band Camp (Week 1) 12:00 – 9:00 (dinner provided)
 - o 3-7 August 2015 Band Camp (Week 2) 12:00 – 9:00 (dinner provided)
- Once a week rehearsals will start on May 19, 2015 from 5:30 – 7:30. Kids are welcome to stay after school if necessary.
- The week of August 10, 2015 will start 3 day a week practices. This will be coordinated with Sports Tryouts. More to come on the time.
- The band banquet is scheduled for May 15, 2015.

- Mr. Pearson has been contacted by the Bowl Game coordinator to see if the Marching Band would like to perform at a Bowl Game. More to come on this.
- The 2015 Marching Band schedule is being looked at now. A combination of US Bands and TOB competitions will be attended.
- Recruiting for 2015 Marching Band has started at the Middle Schools. It's slow now because Festival is taking precedence.

The meeting adjourned at 6:25.