

Centennial Band Boosters Meeting Minutes

January 9, 2018

Meeting Called to Order by President Elisabeth Billman at 7:05 p.m.

I. Last Meeting's Minutes – Approved.

II. Treasurer's Report – Julie Pipel

- Beginning balance of \$5346.90. Julie wrote checks for \$3904.06, and we deposited \$4106.01. There is now \$5548.85 in the account, but after outstanding checks are cashed we will have \$4582.85.
- Motion made and passed to provide \$150 each for Lowell Scott and Lewis & Clark Middle Schools to defray bus costs for the collaborative concert on January 24th.

III. Old Business

- Eric Wahlers reported that our 501(c)3 Designation is still pending, projected to be complete by March 20th.
- Chipotle Night will be Thursday, January 25th.
- Gala Update from Chairperson Shelly Hiner - We have reserved Thursday, March 22nd at the Sapphire Room.
 - Auction donation request letters are pending.
- Yard Sale and Carnival will likely be April 14th or 23rd.
 - If held at the school, we can have inflatables.
 - Proceeds go to each student's individual band fees.
 - Ms. Brings will check the availability of the Social Center.
- Band Aid will likely be during the 1st week of May.
- DIII Music Educators Meeting will be held at Centennial January 20th. The Boosters will provide a hot breakfast.

IV. Ms. Brings' Announcements

- Ms. Brings found the Chicago Music Educators Conference very valuable, and she is already implementing what she learned.
- The band purchased 40 new tuners and microphone clips with the \$1,000 Boosters Gala award. Ms. Brings encouraged the membership to send thank-you notes to the Centennial Boosters for this generous support.
- Ms. Brings showed the membership one of the new instruments purchased with the \$10,700 grant she received from the West Ada Foundation.
- We have approval to move forward on a new band storage shed, but need to move the old one after the weather warms.
- Symphonic Band Clinic is February 20th and 21st. There is no cost to participate.
- Ms. Brings has arranged bus transportation for participants in All State Band in Moscow, Idaho. Cost for transportation will be \$75.00.

- BSU Honor Band Auditions are February 9th, with rehearsals on February 22nd and 23rd, with the concert the evening of February 23rd. The cost is \$25.00.
- The Band Calendar is up to date, with the recent update that graduation will be May 26th at 3:00 p.m.
- Band Camp 2018 will begin August 1st through 3rd, then continue the 6th through 10th. School starts Wednesday August 22nd.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Next Meeting: February 6th, 2018, 7:00 p.m. in the Band Room.