

TTBP Monthly Meeting Minutes July 16, 2018

Call to order: 7:04pm by Chris Elliot (President)

Attendance (22): Ben Lawson, Chris Olivo, Carrie Freeman, Jennifer Williams, Steve Tackett, Jessica Gonzalez, Noel Gonzalez, Rekha Gupta, Amanda Topping, Dione Ross, Shawanda Howell, Amy Robinson, Monica Chandler, Audra Simsic, Jared Simsic, Vicki Neace, Scherrhawn Brinkley, Shem Shaffer, Chris Shaffer, Stacy Nyikos, Mark Hilburger, Timothy Cross

Approval of June Minutes: Carrie Freeman and Katy Sturch

President (Chris Elliott)

Welcome speech and introduction of Board members

Ben Lawson

Band room going under renovation. Carpet will be ripped out and a new linoleum floor installed. The band room is currently in the auditorium on the stage.

Treasurer (Steve Tackett)

\$7,031.59 General fund balance

\$23,447.72 Money market fund (for future uniform purchase)

Ben Lawson

Future uniform purchase happens every 10-15 years. School pays half and Band pays half.

Updated 2018-2019 Budget approved by the Executive Board and will be posted on the web site. Any questions contact Steve Tackett. General Membership will vote on it at the August 6th Parent Information and Registration Night.

Vice President – Fundraisers (Carrie Freeman)

\$424.16 received from Kroger last quarter.

\$1,520.00 Ford Drives Fundraiser. Option to make \$6000, so we were short.

Secretary (Jennifer Williams)

TTBP Minutes are always posted on the web site.

Please sign in so we can track attendance at our TTBP Meetings.

Registration packets are being put together. They will be handed out at Registration Night and posted on the web.

Student Accounts (Faith Roberts not in attendance)

Ben Lawson

ByLaws are being revised. A proposed revision is posted on the web site. A second proposed revision will be posted by the end of the week. The General Membership will vote on it at the August meeting. Any questions, comments or concerns, please contact Mr. Lawson or a Board member.

August 6th at 7pm Parent Information and Registration Night. Doors open at 6pm. TTBP will have tables set up with information for registration, uniforms, pit crew, photography, chaperone sign-up, etc.

Registration fees (\$175band or \$200guard) will be collected so bring your check book. Tuxedo shirts, gloves, shoes, black socks will be available for purchase or to order. \$5 for gloves and socks. Mr. Lawson recommends you buy two pairs of gloves and two pairs of socks.

At the meeting you will hear about the entire year. President will talk. Budget will be presented. Information about uniforms, spring trip, performance opportunities, will be shared. Meeting similar to “welcome back to school night”.

Contact Mr. Lawson to add your email for information distribution.

Web site will be updated before August 6th.

Google Drive on website is very important for the students.

New this year is that daily announcements will be posted on the google drive.

Also, all resources that concert, symphonic, and jazz band get will be posted here.

Google Calendar on web site.

Band Calendar starts on August 6th with our TTBP meeting. Check it out.

August 8 & 9 Competitive Band camp starts 4-8pm for rookies, guard, percussion

August 10 Competitive Band 4-8pm

August 13-17 All competitive Band 8-4pm. Mr. Lawson here at 7am for early drop-offs.

August 20-21 Competitive Band 8-4pm

August 22, 23, 24 Competitive Band 4-9pm

August 27, 28, 29, 30 All Band 4-9pm

August 30 End of Band Camp Picnic with performance

Lunch during band camp. Students will be allowed to drive to local food establishments or bring their lunch. Working on local organizations to provide lunches.

August 28 Uniform fittings begin at 4pm. Need volunteers, please contact Jessica Gonzalez.

August 29 Individual Picture Day

Sept 14 Make-up pictures and Group photo

5 Football games and 5 Competitions

Sept 25 Senior Night

Oct 6 Homecoming weekend – no competition scheduled, SAT offered that day

Oct 19 Yorktown Day Parade

Oct 19 8th Grade Night

If missing uniform fittings(Aug 28) please contact Mr. Lawson and Jessica Gonzalez.

All contact information of the TTBP Board and Committee Chairs are on the web site.

Reminder to return 12 concert dresses if taken home for washing.

Any questions email Mr. Lawson blawson@ycsd.york.va.us
or tabbtigerband@gmail.com

Looking for a volunteer to chair our new committee for **Corporate Sponsorship**. The community contact list is made and the introduction letter written. This person will go out into the community, deliver the letter, and ask for donations monetarily or for food and/or products. Mr. Lawson will then follow up with those organizations willing to help.

Spring trip will be cheaper this year and more local. In 2020 the band will be returning to Disney World (about \$800).

CNU Band Day Sept 1, so will not be attending this year.
VT Band Day date to be announced (individuals sign up).
UVA Band Day date to be announced (individuals sign up).

Honor Band information will be coming out.

Guard (Katy Sturch)

DCI weekend camp opportunity in December about \$250. Any student interested in Drum Corp International (DCI), described as professional marching band for brass, percussion and guard. This audition Camp, offered by Carolina Crownin North Carolina, is a great opportunity to try it out without the commitment. Contact Katy Sturch for further information.

Upcoming Fundraisers (Carrie Freeman)

August 11 Car Wash 9-3 (two shifts) Student account fundraiser.

Sept 15 TAG Day 9-1 Need many host families for this day.

This is our biggest fundraiser of the year. Students go door to door asking for donations to the band program. This year we will have door tag hangers. Will call soon to book a spot in front of Kroger or Walmart.

Kroger re-enrollment begins in August.

Presentation by **Mr. Cross** on possible water bottle fundraiser, decorated with name, graduation year, and musical notation. His cost is about \$15.

Meeting adjourned: 7:59

Meeting minutes respectfully submitted by Jennifer Williams (TTBP Secretary)

Next TTBP meeting on **August 6, 2018**

Parent information and Registration Night in the Tabb High School Auditorium at 7pm.
Doors open at 6pm