

## **TTBP Meeting Minutes** September 14, 2020

**Call to order:** 7:17 p.m. via Zoom, as schools are still closed due to COVID-19

**Attendance:** (31/23 after student intros) Ben Lawson, Christina Zetterwall, Rachelle Eckman, Scott Luers, Vicki Persaud, Amy Robinson, Anna Robinson, the Rookers (2), Jennifer Johnson, the Heseltines (2), the Earleys (2), the Guptas (2), Carl Rogers, Jermias Roman, Ben Li, Hannah, Jackson Glass, Louisa Bennett, Wyatt Brogan, Madeleine S., Tyler Wyatt, Dahmani Alleyne, the Simsics (2), Therasita Long, iphone user (?), Alison Glass

### **President (Christina Zetterwall)**

Welcome, slideshow begins/introductions

#### **Mr. Lawson:**

Discussed school hours, do's and don'ts, philosophy, introductions – SLT, staff, band schedule - potential performances (pending), band pictures (tbd), rising 8th grade night and senior night (will happen in some way), senior trip (pending)

Announced TTBP board members – thanks to Ms. Simsic for making the website awesome, the TTBP president, Ms. Zetterwall, Spirit wear chair, Ms. Johson, and Mr. Rogers for all he continues to do.

Students are great – the year has been different and challenging so far, but the students have been great.

**Question from Mr. Rogers** about putting gravel under the band trailer – Riley Warren is undertaking an Eagle Scout project to make a crush-and-run driveway for the trailer.

#### **Vice President of Community Outreach (Vicky Persaud)**

Vicky discussed the food drive with the VA Peninsula Foodbank, which will take place throughout September. Collected 110 lbs to date – please spread the word. Vicky is available to pick up food via porch pickup or people can drop off food at the school.

#### **Secretary/Volunteer chair (Amy Robinson)**

Although we are not on a typical schedule/band season right now, there will be a number of opportunities when things return to a more normal schedule/season

#### **Communications Chair (Alison Glass)**

Sends communication to band to keep students and families informed

#### **Hospitality Chair (Debra Fowlkes)**

Coordinates special events -

#### **Pit Crew Chair (Carl Rogers)**

Coordinates moving equipment to and from events with parent volunteers – could not succeed without

this crew because equipment wouldn't make it to the field – thank you.



**Spirit Wear Chair (Jennifer Johnson)**

We have an e-store through Fox Screen printing – store is open now through Oct. 4. She has a number of items in stock at her house; does not have garden flags just yet, but soon.

**Yearbook (Audra Simsic)**

We will still have a yearbook, and hopefully, it will have more in it than just zoom/team meetings. There are still yearbooks available from last year and some students paid for yearbooks and they can still pick them up.

**Treasurer (Scott Luers)**

Talked budget categories, where funds will go – referred to slides in intro slideshow

Activity fees - \$50 now (by 9/18), \$50 by 11/13 and \$75 by 1/15/20 – checks are preferred, cash payment can be arranged for drop off, and we are working on payments through the website.

Motion to approve the budget – Mr. Lawson will send out a survey for the vote.

**Vice President of Fundraising (Rachelle Eckman)**

Fundraisers:

Tag day – will be virtual, all students are expected to participate, last year, band raised \$9,305

Kroger rewards – parents can link their Kroger card to THS Band to help raise \$ for band

Amazon smile

Shoe drive

That's My Brick!

In-person fundraisers: MOD pizza, Chick-Fil-a, car wash – when we are able to meet again

**President (Christina Zetterwall)**

Thank you – we look forward to working with you. If you have any questions, please email or reach out to someone. Exec board, please stick around after the meeting.

**Video from Hospitality Chair/THS Band Tiger Paw Print rep**

**Meeting adjourned:** 8:47 p.m.

Meeting minutes submitted by Amy Robinson

**The next meeting is October 12, 2020**, at 7 p.m. – we hope to see everyone there!