

## TTBP General Membership Meeting Minutes

September 13, 2021    Tabb High School Band Room

**Executive Board In-Attendance:** Christina Zetterwall(President), Scott Luers (Treasurer), Ben Lawson (Director); Absent: Liz Coffey, Nicole Tetrault and Jennifer Johnson

**General Membership Attendance:** Rachelle Eckman, Karla Covington, Thomas Sweet, Emily Cooke, Charles Yuhas and Deborah Martin

### Christina Zetterwall

Call to Order at 7:07pm

\*For Liz Coffey (VP Outreach)

-Looking into quarterly outreach programs: Care packages for deployed military and animal rescue organizations

\*For Nicole Tetrault (VP Fundraising)

-Tag Day huge success

-\$7028 raised from neighborhoods; approx. \$2330 raised from Go Fund Me page

-Almost \$10,000!!

-Thank you volunteers! Students were amazing!

-100% of money raised goes back to the band students NOT Mr. Lawson or instructors (per Ben Lawson)

\*For Jennifer Johnson (Secretary)

-Reminder to submit registration forms to Mr. Lawson

-Pink Medical Forms are MOST important! (per Ben Lawson)

-Reminder of Tiger Paw orders (per Scott Luers)

### Scott Luers

\*Reminder that treasurer reports are on the Google Share Drive

\*Amount in accounts as of the end of August:

-\$32,715 in checking

-\$30,866 in money market

\*funds in money market account used for purchase of new uniforms (in next two years) as well as toward the installation of a garage door in the band room (where the windows are) to help with getting instruments from the classroom to the parking lot for practices and loading buses.

\*look for an email in the coming days to remind parents to send in payments for marching shoes and gloves

### **Christina Zetterwall**

\*Thank you to all who submitted their volunteer hours; please continue to submit monthly to Steve Tackett, Volunteer Coordinator.

\*8<sup>th</sup> Grade Night will be October 29

-8<sup>th</sup> graders will rehearse, play in stands and possibly on field with THS Band during half-time

-Need volunteer to help put together goody bags for approx. 40 8<sup>th</sup> graders

\*TTBP will award the students with a pizza party for a job well done on Tag Day

-Friday, November 4; after school, before call time/loading buses to game

-Pizza will be from Costco

\*Fox E-Store (spirit wear) closed on September 12.

-Orders will be delivered to the school for distribution within two weeks (per Rachelle Eckman, Spirit Wear Chair)

\*Still in need of Hospitality Chair for 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Night (Goody Bags) and End of Year Banquet/Awards Night

-Charles Yuhas and Emily Cooke graciously volunteered as Hospitality Co-Chairs!

-\$1000 budget, per Scott Luers, for EOY Banquet/Awards Night (May22)

### **Ben Lawson**

\*Marching Shoes: Ordered 67 pairs on Uniform Fitting Day; Received 21 pairs to date

-Recommend to Seniors to use the shoes for both marching and concert seasons and then sell to underclassmen

\*Program T-Shirts have been ordered, will be delivered on Wednesday, September 15

\*Spring Trip

-Possibly be allowed to begin planning in January 2022, however it is likely the band will NOT be going to Florida in the spring

-Hopes to still have a fun "outing" as a band; Busch Gardens or Kings Dominion

**\*Calendar:**

- Next football game is Saturday, September 25 at 1:00pm; Call time 10:00am
- First Competition will be Saturday, October 16 at Virginia Beach Sportsplex
- Beginning mid-October, students have 6 gigs in 3 weeks; they will be busy!

**\*Winter Concert**

- Thursday, December 9 @ Tabb Middle School, 7:00pm
- Due to COVID, band will not be performing with THS Choirs; will be a performance with the TMS bands

**\*COVID Mitigations**

- YCSD will be providing music masks and bell covers (for brass)
- Students are seated 6 feet apart until music masks arrive; then 3 ft apart
- Doing his best to keep students and himself safe by enforcing mask and social distancing policies; students have been very cooperative

**Christina Zetterwall**

\*For Rekha Gupta (FB & Publicity Chair): Please invite friends and family to “like” the TTBP Facebook Page

Meeting Adjourned at 7:52pm

**Next Meeting:** Monday, October 11, THS Band Room

Meeting Minutes Submitted by Jennifer Johnson 9/23/21