Cherokee Band Boosters

General Meeting Minutes

September 16, 2019

**Call to order 7:30 pm**

**Recording Secretary** – Review and approve meeting minutes from August 14th general meeting

Motion to waive reading of the minutes: Linda Zeranski

Seconded: Lisa Riordan

All in favor, motion passed.

**Treasurer** - financial update: 2018-19 financial wrap-up, current year to date – up $7200 in $67,000 in bank right now, $7100 in fundraising so far this year (car washes, roadside clean up, merch, sponsorships)

$2800 back from USbands for not hosting show

$500 for Gateway comp tix; potential to earn for each competition in pre-sales of tickets

$1300 made on merchandise at the first home game

**President’s report/discussion items**

1. Fundraisers:
   1. Program ads -Oct 7 deadline – banquet book and programs, senior pages encouraged, senior blurbs will be included
   2. Fall Super 50/50 waiting on final paperwork from legal, drawing at winter concert (Renae Block)
   3. Superfan – online store will run 10/7-28, catalogues in 10/1 (Lisa Shapiro)
   4. Food Coupon Books - $10, we make $6 on everyone we sell, on sale until mid-November (Kim Goffin)
2. Competition Tickets – we keep $$ on pre-sale tix
3. Volunteer opportunities need a shadow for president and c olorguard, shadow for roadside and car washes
4. Bylaws Review and approval of changes – Linda Z. has some changes will send redlines; should be giving a month’s notice before voting on bylaws; will vote at next meeting; Judeth Yeany will be voted on for treasurer elect at next meeting pending passage of by-laws
5. Gateway comp – one bus left with all drivers and the rest were locked, kids couldn’t get to belongings during break; Anton from Gateway helped out with food; Bob Morrissey paid cash for the food (reimbursed by CHSBB), waiting for a bill to send to LRHSD; can write letter to principal and transportation company
6. Treasurer-elect and President-elect
7. Review of Upcoming events:

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| **SEPTEMBER**   * 9/16 - Practice 5:30-8:30pm * 9/18 - Practice 5:30-8:30pm * 9/20 – Practice and Football at Winslow Twp. * 9/21 – Competition at Clearview HS * 9/23 - Practice 5:30-8:30pm * 9/25 - Practice 5:30-8:30pm * 9/27 - Practice til 4:30 pm * 9/28 – Competition at Pitman HS | **OCTOBER**   * 10/1 (Tuesday) - Practice 5:30-8:30pm * 10/3 (Thursday) - Practice 5:30-8:30pm * 10/4 – Practice and Football home vs. Millville * 10/5 – Competition @ Shawnee HS * 10/7 - Practice 5:30-8:30pm * 10/10 (Thursday) - Practice 5:30-8:30pm * 10/11 – Practice and Football home vs. Williamstown * 10/14 - Practice 5:30-8:30pm **and General Booster Meeting at 7:30 PM**   Visit the website calendar page for rest of season info. |

1. Winter/Spring Events (as of 9/9/19):

* December 5 – Winter Instrumental Concert
* December 18 – Holiday Jazz Concert with Alumni and Middle Schools
* January 5 – All-South Jersey Orchestra Concert
* January 12 – All-South Jersey Bands Concert
* February 11 – Cherokee Orchestra Concert (with select winds/percussion)
* **April 9 – Cherokee Jazz Festival** **(Booster fundraiser event)**
* March 2 – Wind Ensemble concert with South Jersey Area Wind Ensemble @CHS
* March 3 or 4 – Rowan University – SJBODA Wind Band Festival
* **March 19 – Cherokee Wind Band Festival** **(Booster fundraiser event)**
* April 29 – JP Stevens Wind Band Festival
* April 30 – Cherokee Spring Instrumental Concert
* May 7 – Chamber Ensembles Concert

Next general meeting set for **Monday, October 14, 2019 at 7:30 PM**, North Recital Hall

October 16 smash burger dine out 4-8, flyers will be sent (Lisa Riordan announced)

Meeting Adjourned at 8 pm