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## BAND BOOSTER MEETING MINUTES

DATE: October 17, 2023

START TIME: 7:13pm

INTRODUCTION: TONI RUSSELL

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TREASURER REPORT: PAULINE TIMLEY

TRANSLATIONS PROVIDED BY: KARLA ARENAS (Co-Treasurer)

OPENING REMARKS PROVIDED BY: KEYSHA COLLIER (President)

- Thanks to all the volunteers! We could not have had a successful marching season without the help of our Logistics Team, Chaperones, Nurses, Concession Stand & Meal Prep Volunteers as well as all others who have supported the band this season.

DIRECTOR: MR. KIRTDOLL

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR: MR. JENKINS

- The band will perform the halftime show during pre-game as halftime will be used to present the homecoming court.
- The October 21<sup>st</sup> competition will have 21 bands competing.
  - There is a GoFan link for the tickets. Believe that tickets are \$12 each
  - We are performing last.
  - Everyone needs to be at the school at 9am, we will leave by 11am and return Saturday night.
    - We are going to do a uniform inspection, so please make sure that your kids have all their stuff.
    - Note that the competition time is in the Central Time zone.
    - Please have your kids eat before they come. We may end up selling Chick-fil-a biscuits.
    - If your child uses an inhaler or takes medicine, please make sure he/she brings it with them. Make sure their name is on the medicine.
- Kids will take their uniforms home on Friday night after the game.
- Kids need to wear their white M3 shirts on Friday and wear the blue shirt on Saturday. Kids should come Saturday morning in the blue shirt with their uniform pants on.
- The Magic City Classic parade kicks off at 8am central time in Birmingham.
  - We will be stopping for breakfast on the way to Birmingham. Breakfast is included in the fees paid, lunch and dinner however will be the responsibility of each student.
  - For the game, students will change into jeans with their band shirt. Be sure your child brings a change of shoes for the game.
  - Kids will be split into groups with a chaperone.
  - The Band will be sitting in the general admission section in the end zone.
  - The seniors may have the opportunity to speak with the college band directors.
  - We won't be leaving the game until after the 5th quarter (after both bands have finished)



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### **BAND BOOSTER MEETING MINUTES (continued)**

- November 10 is Skate Night at Sparkles
- November 11<sup>th</sup> is the Veteran's Day parade. This will be the last marching band event for this semester.
- December 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, & 6<sup>th</sup> are our band concerts
  - Lindley Middle School and Betty Gray Middle School will perform with us on these dates
- All State list is posted on the wall
  - Will take place the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday in December
  - 9<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> grade will need to know 8 scales
  - 11<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> grade will need to know 12 scales
  - Please encourage your child to play the scales and solo for you. These will be the same scales and solo that they will play in 12<sup>th</sup> grade for scholarships.
- November 6 is the Governor's Honors auditions
- Percussion students need a drum pad and sticks to practice on. Percussionist will be playing multiple instruments during concert band season
- Freshman will need to purchase the concert attire for the spring concerts; they don't need it for the concerts in December. More details to be shared about this later.
- There will be a concert fee for 2<sup>nd</sup> semester
  - LGPE will be during 2<sup>nd</sup> semester

**ADJOURNED @ 7:57pm**