

**Souderton Area High School - Big Red Band Boosters**  
**General Membership Meeting Minutes**  
**February 3,2020**

**The meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm in the band room.**

A motion to approve the minutes from the January 6, 2020 General Assembly meeting was made by Clarke Goshow. It was seconded by Denise Nase. A vote was cast and the minutes were approved.

**Director's Report:** None Given

**President's Report** (Kelly Taylor): Student representation at tonight's meeting; Sarah E.

- Reminder that the next D.C. Trip payment is due Feb.15, 2020.

- An Indoor Show kick off meeting will be held Feb 11, 2020 at 7:00 pm, location TBD. Kelly will confirm the location with Laura Kline. Please consider volunteering for the event. Students that are not involved with Indoor can volunteer as well.

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President's Report** (Kelly Taylor): Bingo is in the works. Becki Jellen to report later in the meeting.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President's Report** (Denise Nase): Denise will report during committee reports.

**Secretary's Report** (Becky Eells): Becky mailed a sympathy card to Rep. Brian Fitzpatrick upon the death of his brother on behalf of the Band.

**Treasurer's Report** (Michelle Martin): Michelle received the check from Chick Fil A. She was not sure of the exact amount. Restaurant Nights will be reported next month.

**Director At Large** (Clarke Goshow): Nothing to report.

**Committee Reports**

- **Band Store Report** (Jenn Miller): Nothing to report

- **Bingo** ( Becki Jellen ): Becki is working on getting donations. She is looking for volunteers. Special appeal to the Freshman and Sophomore parents. Marianna would like to utilize Facebook to call for volunteerism. A discussion then broke out regarding lack of volunteerism among the BRBB. It was suggested by Amy and Marianna that we hold a mandatory Parent meeting. It was agreed upon by most in attendance. There was discussion that if we do not get volunteers to help, we may need to look into another pay model, for example; a \$1000 participation fee with no fundraising. Mary Goshow suggested holding a social activity for parents. It was also suggested to have a freshman/JR parent buddy system. 2018 we had 306 volunteer opportunities and 296 spots were filled. In 2019 we had 458 volunteer opportunities and 413 were filled. It was decided to table discussion and we will discuss at another meeting. The call for 2 mandatory meetings a year was almost unanimous among the assembly present. Bingo was brought back into the discussion with ways we could promote ticket sales. Walmart, Henning's and Landis were mentioned as possible places to sell tickets. Sarah will contact section leaders to encourage their sections to attend as a group. It was suggested that students sell tickets during lunches.

**SCRIP** (Marianna Clark): Everything is good

**Uniforms Committee** (Tracey Bean): Nothing to report

**Concessions**( Denise Nase ): Nothing to report

**Flower Sale**: Sales will start next month. The sale will continue through April.

**Concert Sundaes**( Denise Nase ): Our date is July 26,2020. We need to give \$500 to IVEF. Money needs to be given to them March.

**Indoor Show** ( Laura Kline): There are some mini-tasks that need ownership. The Feb 11 meeting will be held in the choir room. Parking, Concessions and Candy Grams are done. We still need Unit Check In, Awards, Ticket Sales, etc. Laura wants to add more positions on CHARMS and will contact Amy. She is asking for more student volunteers. NHS approved volunteers. She is looking for a shadow for next year.

**Jazz Home Show** (Christine Brush and Denise) Everything is going great. They need a shadow. Denise will contact Mr. Tucker to appeal to underclassman parents to shadow position. Jazz show prep starts in August. Mr. Tucker decides the date and Chairperson does the rest.

**Quartermaster Report** (Joe Longazel): Props are done for the 1st show. Trucks are full. Forte still needs some props. Kelly thanked all the parents that helped and stated they looked amazing.

**Website/CHARMS** (Tracey Bean, Marianna Clark, Steve Basile, Amy McCouch): It was suggested we look into a different program. There are still too many errors in CHARMS. Tracey backs it up in Excel.

A motion was made by Clark Goshow for the meeting to be adjourned.. It was seconded by Sarah Eells. Motion passed and the meeting was adjourned at 7:54 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Becky Eells  
BRBB Secretary