

**MSSH Band Boosters Meeting  
Mount Si HS Commons  
Tuesday, March 29, 2016**

**Meeting Called to Order: 6:35pm  
Meeting Adjourned: 8:11pm**

**Members Present:** Carol Reitz, Sue Carlson, Cathy Templin, Andrea Myrvold

**Others Present:** Maria Henriksen, JoAnna Blomquist, Teri Crandell

**Minutes – Andrea**

Approved as presented

**Financials – Sue**

Lots of money came in this month. Only 1 outstanding payment for Disney at this point. Night at the Club made \$7,100. Hot Java tickets – all sold except 5. Hoping to get the check from Starbucks around the middle of April. Miscellaneous donations were from MSFT matching and donations from those who couldn't attend the night at the club.

We have about \$10,000 to pay for the Disney trip for the meals.

**Night at the Club – Carol**

**\*\*Positive**

Made a lot of money  
Desserts were awesome  
Decorations were great  
Menu & venue  
Non jazz stuff \*\*testimonials  
Even more fun than last year  
Nice not having a guest artist  
New, unfamiliar faces attending  
Didn't have to sell as many tickets

**\*\*Suggestions for next year**

Could have made more money  
More bid time  
Tough to move around  
Raise the paddle/pass the hat  
Other items for silent auction besides desserts  
Sell the combo for events  
Need an earlier ticket count for the menu items so the restaurant can prepare.

How do we get more parents involved?

Change event time – needs to be after Xmas so kids are ready to play – Mid to late February?

Other fundraiser events in the Fall? Brown Bear? Jersey Mike's?

Ticket tracking was difficult – brown paper tickets was a better setup.

Tiered levels for ticketing?

### **Jersey Mike's fundraiser – Carol**

We will get 500 flyers. We get \$3 per order for the whole week. Monday, April 18 – Sunday April 24<sup>th</sup>.

We will give one flyer to each of the teachers at MSHS. Danna McCall at Living Snoqualmie to promote via her blog. Betsy Evansen can help with promoting to the other school groups, all the band kids will promote. Carmichael's, Rotary Club, Email campaign, Facebook and the Band website will be great sources for advertising.

### **Disney – Carol/Maria**

Maria is working on the food logistics. Park Hopper tickets have been arranged. The scheduling for the trip is being finalized now. Saturday will be spent entirely in the park until the awards ceremony at 9pm on Saturday night – coinciding with the fireworks show. The flight down has a connection in San Jose. Direct flight on the way back. Buca di Beppo is the dinner on the first night. Medieval Times will be dinner the next night.

### **Ellington**

\$19,000 Boosters contribution – comprised of:

\$12,000 Hot Java

\$2,000 JALC scholarship

\$2,000 extra from Night at the Club

\$3,000 extra donations

\$8,598 received from the SVSD – Matt wrote letters to John and Joel requesting money for the trip.

### **Uniforms – JoAnna**

She made iron-on labels for all the uniforms and they will be put on as soon as they are returned in the Spring. She will remove the names from the Pep Band jackets that are extras and they will be able to be reused. The letters have been written for the return of the Seniors' uniforms.

Need to look at the timing of the first home game in the Fall so we can figure out when to do the sizing for the freshman jackets.

Ideas for merchandise to sell for a band fundraiser or through the website?

-scarves, hoodies, ties, etc.

**ACTION ITEM**

**\*\*Carol** – Follow up with Danny to see if a recording was made at Night at the Club

**Grant Request - Carol**

\$28,000 was requested to the Garneau-Nicon Foundation for a contra bass clarinet. The grant was submitted yesterday.

Need to apply for the SVSF and PTSA grants in the Fall.