

# MSHS Music Boosters Meeting

October 10, 2013 @ Boxley's 6-8pm

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Topic	Details	Action/Follow-up
Minutes	Minutes from the last two minutes were motioned to be approved by Ray and seconded by Matt. Unanimously approved.	none
Budget	Ray presented the budget as written. Very few changes since the last meeting. The tux order was over budget by \$28.77.	none
Photography	Bob Wachtendonk presented his plan for photo day on Oct. 30. Whole day will be needed. Hoping to do 2 individual shots for each band student plus the group shot. Hoping to increase the percentage of family orders from 40%. Need to promote the fundraiser via website, Matt in the classroom, hard copies home, emails, etc. Kids are to wear their uniforms to school that day. We will start with the individual poses and then do the group shot.	<b>Cathy</b> – put the information on the website <b>Karen</b> – Prepare the emails to go out – starting 2wks in advance. <b>Matt</b> – Promote to the kids. Show them the 2 poses and have them practice ahead of time in front of the mirror.
Tux Shirts & Jazz I tuxes	Kristin Zanas spearheaded the tux shirt fittings. All went very smoothly so this will be done again next year for the freshmen and any other band members who need a new shirt. Shirts will arrive on Oct. 21 <sup>st</sup> – before Homecoming.  Carol and Karen worked on fitting the tuxes for Jazz I. All the boys are fitted. Carol is finishing this up.	Shirts will need to be distributed once they arrive.
Pep Band	Every kid has a jacket now. There are still 20 kids that haven't paid. These fees are going to be marked as fines and kids won't be able to get grades, etc. until the payment is made. We need to order tshirts for the pepband for the basketball games. The jackets will be too warm to wear in the gym. There will be 2 bands (Scarlet and Grey) for the games so only half the pepband needs to attend at each game. There are 12 games total so each kid	<b>Carol</b> – check with DECA about cost of shirts  <b>Matt</b> – ask kids to start designing shirts

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	<p>will attend 6 games. A platform needs to be built for the drumset. The drumline is too loud for the gym. Replicator Graphics quoted ~\$9 per kids for a shirt. DECA may be able to get a deal for ~\$4/shirt.</p> <p><b>Ray motioned that we allocate money from the surplus in the SVYMB account (\$800) to be used for the tshirts.</b> Holly seconded. All approved.</p> <p>Design for the shirts will be done by a contest among the students.</p>	
Spokane Trip	<p>Ray looked into the Ramada Inn in Spokane. We can book 14 rooms @\$76 each. This includes 10 rooms with quad occupancy, 2 rooms with double occ. for chaperones and 2 singles for the directors. The cost for the 2 nights should be about \$60 per student. Chaperones will not have to pay for their rooms.</p>	<b>Ray</b> – book the rooms
Eastshore Jazz Festival	<p>Nov. 7/13. 7am-4pm. We are hosting this event. There will be 18 bands performing. We will need several volunteers for the day – check in table, monitors, stage managers, etc. Good signage is very important. There will be 4 judges and we will have 1 warm up room, 1 performance room and 2 clinic rooms.</p>	
Jazz at the Club	<p>This year will be different. We will be having appetizers in the foyer and a cash bar. Once in the banquet room, the tables will be set up in such a way that everyone will have a view of the stage. Tables will be groups of 10 with a table head at each. We are hoping to encourage more people than just band parents at the event. There will be a dessert dash with each table competing for the highest dollar amount raised to get first dibs at the desserts. Aiming for a night club feel instead of a concert feel.</p>	
Nov. 13 Wind Ensemble	<p>Wind Ensemble has been invited to Bellevue HS to play with the Bellevue College Symphonic Band on Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>. Currently checking with students and parents to see if there are any conflicts. It's</p>	<b>Matt:</b> Check with the kids for conflicts.

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	currently set on the same day as the next Boosters meeting and one the Ellington rehearsals. We will cancel the Boosters meeting for Nov. if the event is a go.	
Holiday Bazaar	PTSA approached us and asked if we would like to have a table at the Holiday Bazaar on Nov. 9. Since several of us will be out of town, we won't have enough people available to staff a table.	
Jazz I movie night	Movie night set for this Friday is now cancelled.	
Football Games	Parent volunteers are still needed for the games. We need help getting the water out to the stands and the velvet ropes put up between the band and the student sections. The ropes are kept in the auditorium storage room. There is a red cart to take them out to the stadium. We will need about 3 parents to help check for items left behind and carry stuff back to the band room.	
Jazz Payments	The school/district is going to pay ~\$2000 towards the Jazz II/III instructor. They are calling it an Instructional Aid position. So far 18 kids have paid the jazz fee. We are awaiting payments from another 12 kids.	