

**MVBPA Monthly Meeting Minutes**  
**November 1, 2005 7:30 pm**

- I. Welcome – meeting called to order @ 7:32 pm**  
BOD present: Vicki Stones, Marjorie Purgason, Christie Fox, Barbara Higgins, Meshelle Harden, Mike Buehrle, Doug Armstrong
- II. Secretary’s Report**  
A. Minutes from last meeting read  
B. Minutes approved
- III. Treasurer’s Report**  
A. Collection of Money  
1. Thirteen parents still need to pay  
2. Concert attire money due today  
3. First deposit on spring trip due Nov. 15  
B. Students’ Accounts  
1. Will be posted on cork board by office  
2. Fill out form to use money in student account for spring trip  
3. If/how much student will get in account for working concessions will be determined later  
4. Can money be used for letter jackets, etc.?  
5. Questions about accounts? Email them.
- IV. Director of Bands Report**  
A. Tag Day  
1. Kids did great  
2. Only covered 2/3 of neighborhoods  
B. VBODA – proud of how kids did at Festival  
C. Fredericksburg Christmas Parade – Dec. 3 - 3 rehearsals, Nov. 15,19,30  
D. Tutoring times for upcoming Auditions – see website calendar  
1. All County Audition – Dec. 5 – no cost  
2. All District Audition – Dec. 10 - \$3.50  
3. Sign up ahead of time for both  
4. These are requirements for Wind Ensemble  
E. Winter Concert – Dec. 12  
F. Thanks to Meshelle for all the time and effort she has put into for measuring for concert attire  
G. AG Wright concert at MV – Dec. 13 – will need volunteers  
H. Spring trip possibly end of March  
I. Use concert tuxedo for prom? Will decide later  
J. Letters earned from other schools – school administration will decide on school-wide policy.

## **V. Committee Reports**

### **A. Membership**

1. Please join
2. Fill out form
3. Dues \$5

### **B. Fundraising**

1. Tag Day
  - a. Very successful
  - b. The kids raised about \$9,500 with more coming in
  - c. A positive experience for the kids
2. Pie Pickup
  - a. Tues., Nov. 15 @ 5pm
  - b. Need volunteers to show up about 3pm that day
3. Cat's Meow
  - a. Preorder with order form - \$20
  - b. Students will receive \$5 in their accounts for each sold
4. Silent Auction
  - a. Need volunteers to make baskets for Winter Concert
  - b. List what is in basket
  - c. Sign up on clipboard
5. Recycling Cartridges – Toner, Ink Jet, Ink
  - a. Can get a flyer or a box
  - b. Will turn in cartridges for money
  - c. Will also take cell phones, almost anything electronic
  - d. Yearlong fundraiser
  - e. Send cartridges in zipped in a zip lock bag
6. Hoodie order hopefully in by Friday – email if you want to be included in the next order (not Friday's)
7. Concessions
  - a. Sign up for JV game - only one left
  - b. Help this Friday night
  - c. Help clean up stadium after this Friday night's game

### **C. Uniforms**

- a. Sent to cleaners before VBODA
- b. Will be sent after parade and after spring trip
- c. Will need help hemming concert attire – will be pressed for time

### **D. Pit Crew**

- a. Thanks to all who help
- b. Researching trailer information – trailer not needed now until fall

### **E. Colorguard – in good shape**

## **VI. New Business**

- A. Next monthly MVBPA meeting will be on Dec. 6 @ 7:30 pm – open to ALL

**Meeting adjourned at 8:11 pm.**

