

Mountain View Band Parents' Association Monthly Meeting
March 7, 2006
7:00 pm

- I. Welcome – meeting called to order @ 7:03 pm**
BOD present: Vicki Stones, Marjorie Purgason, Christie Fox, Barbara Higgins, Meshelle Harden, Mike Beuhrle, Bill and Kelly McWaters

- II. Secretary's Report**
 - A. Minutes approved from last meeting
 - B. Suggestion that Minutes be posted to website

- III. Treasurer's Report**
 - A. Final Payment for Spring Trip due next week
 - B. Working on Budget for next year – see Barbara Higgins or the McWaters with suggestions

- IV. Director of Bands Report – per Vicki Stones**
 - A. Need help with uniform distribution and parents to ride the bus for Festival on Friday - Symphonic Band 12:45 pm to 4:45 pm
 - B. Need help with uniform distribution and parents to ride the bus for Festival on Saturday – Wind Ensemble 7:45am to 11:45am
 - C. Mandatory Parents' Meeting for Spring Trip on Tues., March 14 at 7 pm
 - 1. Itinerary
 - 2. Update medical forms if necessary – Sabina has been working on these
 - 3. Final payments

- V. Committee Reports**
 - A. Membership
 - 1. Please join
 - 2. Fill out form
 - 3. Dues \$5
 - B. Fundraising
 - 1. Sweatshirts and Cat's Meow are still being sold
 - 2. Have raised \$27,000 so far this year
 - 3. Silent Auction
 - a. For Spring Concert
 - b. Suggestion was made to have each section of the band(s) put a basket together
 - c. Suggestions were made for incentives for the kids, such as movie tickets – POC Barbara Higgins
 - 4. April/May fundraiser – Bruster's – POC Laura Mazzoli
 - a. Scoopers
 - b. Car wash
 - c. Bruster's coupon booklet sales
 - d. Split profit among those kids who participate

5. Cat's Meow to be sold at Spring Concert
 6. 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
 - f. Advertise this by making a flier, adding to MV website, putting in school's newsletter
 7. Any suggestions for fundraising – see Christie Fox
- C. Performance
- a. Fitting/checking hems in March
 - i. Need parents to help check marching band uniform fittings
 - ii. March 14, 16 from 7:40 am to 10:40 am
 - b. Will not be pulling hems
- D. Travel Committee
1. Concerned because Mike was left off of agenda! (Shame on Vicki!)
 2. No news on trailer, but it is on order
 - a. Trailer wires are universal
 - b. There is a break connector
 - c. Suggested that it also needs a universal break-away switch
 3. March 21 – needs both kids and adults to help load truck for trip - will load at the end of practice that afternoon

VI. Old Business

- A. Thirty new email addresses from Freshmen night
- B. Nominating Committee has been formed for elections for next year
 1. Lori Manz
 2. Bonnie Burns
 3. Laura Mazzoli

VII. New Business

- A. Announcement of those running for offices at April meeting
- B. Budget projections at April meeting

Meeting adjourned at 7:40 pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Marjorie Purgason.