Montpelier Music Boosters Minutes 2-25-24

Attendance: *Michelle Kannel, Alysha Sloan, Erin McGee, Monica Brigle, Stephanie Friend*

Approval of January 2024 minutes:

Motion to accept: *Monica Brigle*
2nd: *Erin McGee*
Approval: *Yes*

Correspondence: Thank you card from Locomotion Student

Congratulations:

Treasurer's Report:

Savings: *$563.61*

Checking: *$11,606.11*

Motion to accept: *Stephanie Friend*
2nd: *Alysha Sloan*
Approval: *Yes*

Other: *School Budget Findings:
Approximate amounts:
Musical- -$3900 (negative and waitings on ads and ticket sales to offset the balance)
Jazz Band- $75
Locomotion- $3800
Band- $5000
Choir- $2700
*Other Booster Purchases: *Locker magnets $214.00*

Old Business:

- Current officers-
  Pres- Michelle Kannel
  Treasurer- Erin McGee
  Secretary- Stephanie Friend
  Volunteers for Vice President?

- Fundraisers:
  - Donor Program
    - Received donations so far: *$4825 as of 2/25/24*
    - Thank you Cards sent to all
    - Updated list online so directors can include it in programs

        - Ongoing donations are welcome
        - Have forms at upcoming concerts/musical
        - Info is online and on facebook

- Varsity Letters
    - 22-23 Music Notes/Letters and pins were given to band members, but not choir, musical or locomotion students. Michelle has the items and lists of students and will divide them out
- Locker magnets - made and hung up for students - 107
    - Thanks Laurie Michael & Bill's Locker Room
        - 7-12th grade band/choir/locomotion students
        - $1.75 each

New Business

- Little Caesars Pizza Kit Fundraiser
    - Kits sold: *164*
    - Total Profit:*$984*
    - Delivery Date - March 7, 10:30am - will deliver to choir room *Steph F and Alysha will take care of the drop off from the truck (use Locomotion if needed)*
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- Purchases for Musical:
    - *Lemur Vests- $150.61*
- Locker Signs made and hung up for Musical
- Online promotional material and event created for Musical- *Steph F. sent Lori the emails for the newspapers*
- Musical Cast & Crew Party Plans
    - *Rec Center from 8:30-10:00 for kids*
    - *Parents asked to bring in items from Amazon list*
    - *Games, music, food, etc.*
- *Scholarships- Cut the Kaylene Lesnet scholarship at this point. No more funding.*
- Director Reports
    - *Rachel Krueger:*
        - New Sousaphone cover: approved purchase of this at October meeting, estimated between $25 and $45. Have not purchased yet due to not needing it for concert band
        - Wish List:
            - No report
        - Upcoming Dates:
            - March 5 - Jazz Band at Chamber Banquet
            - May 5, 2024 - Spring Concert (& Senior Banquet) -3:00pm-4:30pm

    - *Stephanie Kirkum:*
        - Wishlist:
            - Need an adult to monitor backstage for all days of musical
        - Upcoming Performances:
            - HS Musical - *Madagascar: A Musical Adventure, Jr.* - Friday & Saturday March 8 & 9 at 7pm and Sunday, March 10 at 3pm.

- **May 5, 2024:**Spring Concert (& Senior Banquet) 3:00pm-4:30pm

- *Laura Zumbaugh:*
  - Wishlist:
    - 20 Ukulele for Elementary Music and Guitar class- *discussed and Boosters feel like this is an expense the school should pick up.*
    - Possible help with parent/grandparent night performance
  - Upcoming Performances:
    - Grandparents' Day - May 2, 2024 - K-2nd grades

- Future Fundraiser Ideas:
  - Raise Right Gift Cards - Do this next Christmas
  - Marco's pizza night - get % of profits - Erin will check on this - Derrick Cheek
  - Meat Sticks - group says probably not
  - T-Shirts through Bill's Locker Room for Music Boosters
  - World's Finest Chocolate Bars - candy bars for $1.00
  - Purse Bingo

- Other Possible Future Performances:
  - Spring - Cedar Point Festival of Music?
  - Spring - Pizza Lounge with Jazz band - idea about Sauder Village 20's Speak-Easy type of setting?

- Anything else:
  - Does the sound system work for the upcoming school musicals?
    - Mrs. Thorp and Katie Corkle say they do
    - Window clings for Music Booster Donors- where to order from? *Not doing this*
    - Slideshow for beginning of Musical each night- include donor slides
      - Stephanie Friend - did you start this? Do you need help? *It is started. Donor slides are completed. Waiting to receive pics etc from Stephanie/Lori*
    - Musical Ads already "paid" for through donor program:
      - Eagles
      - Kannel Insurance
      - Civic League
      - Main Stop
      - Thompson Funeral Home

Next Meeting: *April 7th* , 2024 @ Drop Tine

Motion to Adjourn:

2nd: *Alysha Sloan*
Approval: *Monica Brigle*