Central High School Music Boosters Meeting minutes

May 4, 2020

In attendance: Mary Combs, Gretchen Pein, Kim Wurl, Melinda Branch, Michael Wozniak, Joanna Wozniak, Clara Chen, Nick Schulze, Marilee Johnson, Jennifer Currey, John Currey, Anu Murphy, Margee Poole, Sujata Dey-Koontz

Minutes from last meeting were approved.

Camp Scholarships: 5 students were approved but no camps will be happening, including Smith-Walbridge.

Restaurant Fundraisers: we can't do that right now but will revisit this fall.

Choir Director Laptop: Boosters purchased Macbook Pros for both Curreys last year and Mr. Schulze would like one also, to arrange music for choir, editing audio and marching band items. Mrs. Currey has specs from last summer's purchases: \$1,999 and \$1499 for the laptops and the desktop computer was \$1999 plus an external drive. Motion to spend up to \$2000 approved.

Senior Shout-Outs: each senior will have a day on the CHS Booster facebook page, including bands they participated in and their favorite memory. Students should send the memory to the Curreys for inclusion. Only 9 seniors have sent info so far.

Exec Board: all members have agreed to return (President, VP, Secretary, Treasurer). Committees have changed slightly.

Corporate Sponsorships: will revisit this in the fall given the current world situation.

Treasurer's Report: When will we start getting marching band participation fees for fall? Can we start using PayPal? Mary will put the PayPal link on the website but people can also put a check in the mail to the school or use account credits. Regarding graduating seniors: when should Clara close those accounts and either transfer the balance to a younger sibling or donate to the Booster acct? Curreys and Mr Schulze will send list of graduating seniors to Clara for processing, and include class roster of younger siblings.

Marching Band Report: should we have a t-shirt design contest? Yes. What will the show name be? We should wait to order shirts, etc until we are sure there will be marching band season. 182 students pre-registered for marching band in Fall 2020.

Jazz Report: nothing to report as everything was cancelled. Tito will be the guest artist for next year's Jazz Fest. Mr. Schulze asked if we could reopen the apparel store for marching band & choir? Yes, and maybe add some products for fall, like a light jacket. Marilee and Melinda will get together on the details.

Director's Report: We received the bass but don't have an invoice yet. Almost everything is out of the band room. Scott Schmidt took apart the instrument storage room and is reusing materials in the church for the same. Still need to do instrument collection in the next few weeks. Folder collection went really well; missing just 3. We may need to purchase a few cellos and basses; Curreys will assess the

condition of current stock and let us know. David Frye is looking for a rack system to contain the sound system; motion to purchase something was approved, but it can't hurt to ask Mr. Williams for this purchase since it is necessary. We're still unsure about the band class schedule for this coming year.

Band Awards: will broadcast this coming Monday night at 7 pm.

Website: rebuild this summer; committee will aim to get together in July. Mary Combs, Melinda Branch, Mr. Currey, Michael Wozniak, Mr. Schulze.

Meeting adjourned at 8:08 pm.