

12.11.2012 WABB Meeting Minutes

Attending: Linda Strobel, Tom McKinley, Leanna Zoeller, Bo DiMuccio, Karen DiMuccio, Barb Forsythe, Nancy McGinnis, Toni Norris, Ruth Curfman, Pam Gealy, David Russell, Mr. Nickel

Call to order @ 7:02pm

MSA to accept WABB meeting minutes from 11.7.2012. Motion, Pam Gealy, 2nd Tom McKinley.

Treasurer Report-Ruth Curfman

Gaming license has been approved at cost of \$100/year.

WABB have received a few more patron ads.

Band Accounts: WABB \$14,928.52, students \$9,920.31.

Pie sale and nut/candy profits have not been added to accounts yet.

She is working on tax exempt form for Staples

MSA to accept Treasurer Report. Motion, Bo DiMuccio, 2nd David Russell

Band Director Report-Mr. Nickel

Thank you to all the parents and student who helped with band room move from fitness center to band room on Monday, 11/26/2012.

He has sent out email with Pep Band schedule. Cancelled- 1/21/2013 game. Band members must attend a minimum of 3 pep bands. If they attend all of the pep band events, they get Pep Band pin.

He met with Dr. Nicksick about new band uniforms. He gave her a letter and a picture of the proposed uniforms. They will cost ~ \$452 each, which includes coat, bibbers, hat, hat box, garment bag and plume. Approximately 100 uniforms will be needed, for a total cost of ~ \$45,000. Dr. Nicksick seemed receptive to new uniforms, possible next year. The current band uniforms are starting to look outdated-they are from 1991. Dr. Nicksick presented uniform information at pre-board meeting.

DeMoulin Uniform company has lifetime warranty on repairs. DeMoulin will send sample uniform to school to be modeled at school board meeting. They will need 4-5 month production time. DeMoulin will handle bidding process that is required by WASD. The current uniforms will be sent out to be drycleaned. They will be back by January 8, which is the Lawrence County 7th-8th All Star Concert.

2013-2014 Disney Band Trip tentative dates are May 1-5, 2014.

Dates:

5th & 6th grade concert: February 19, 2013

7th-12th grade concert: February 20, 2013

Bandarama: May 17, 2013

Lawrence County 7th-12 grade All Star Concert: January 8, 2013 @ Westminster

District Orchestra: January 10-11, 2013 @ Erie McDowell High School, in Erie, PA

Lawrence County 5th-6th grade All Star Concert: January 11, 2013 at New Castle High School

District Band: January 24-26 in Butler, PA

He has submitted bus requests for these events.

He has been very pleased with the concerts---5th & 6th grade concert, 7th-12th grade concert and the Honors Band Concert.

Committee Reports

Blankets-Toni Norris-30 blankets left. Blankets are selling for \$35.

Beef Raffle-Toni Norris- meat will be from Burns Angus. Burns will mention WABB beef raffle in their Globe advertisement. They will donate 50% of beef. Whitings will help with packaging.

MSA: if a senior sells 5 tickets, they will get blanket in lieu of money in their account. Motion, Barb Forsythe, 2nd Bo DiMuccio

MSA: WABB to contribute cap of \$1000 towards cost of beef. Motion, Bo DiMuccio, 2nd, Tom McKinley

\$5 from each \$10 ticket sold will go into the student accounts. We will try to have each student sell 10 tickets.

It will cost \$60 to print 1000 tickets. At least 200 tickets will need to be sold for WABB to break even...200 = \$2000, \$1000 of which will go to student accounts, \$1000 towards cost of beef, \$60 to printing of tickets.

Whitings and Burns Angus's names will be on tickets.

Total beef will be ~ 500 lbs, 4 winners will be drawn for approximately 125 lbs each. Drawing will be at Bandarama.

Website- Tom McKinley- website is being updated with news and events

Publicity – Leanna Zoeller – articles are being sent to Globe.

Awards – Pam Gealy – she still has to order hoodies for 3rd year band members. Jackets and blankets are in.

Nut Sale – Pam Gealy - \$456 in sales, \$150 to students.

Uniforms – will be drycleaned after Christmas concert.

Banquet – Marianna Rand

Adjourned at 8:15pm. Respectfully submitted, Leanna Zoeller, WABB Secretary