



Kiski Area Cavalier Band



KAIB General Membership Meeting Minutes* November 15, 2006

Meeting opened by Jody Meredith with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Secretary - Sandy Kline

October 18, 2006 General Membership Meeting Minutes approved as posted on website.

Winterguard - Paula Fannin

Paula presented the Winterguard Budget and Assessment Summary to the General Membership after approval by Executive Board November 8, 2006. Approved by General Membership. Budget will now be presented to Winterguard for approval. (See filed budget.)

Winterguard tryouts at Washington Elementary on November 20 and 21, 2006, 6-9 pm. Winterguard is a feeder program for Colorguard. Program starts in 7th & 8th grade (IS) and 9th-12th (HS). This is Kiski's first year to host Championships March 31, 2007. Could possibly make \$10,000 profit. Barb McCoy is the IS guard mom and Debbie Beer is Winterguard Coordinator for 2007-08. Will shadow Paula this year. There are 12 floor techs needed with an assessment of \$89 which pays for the one night Regional trip.

Financial Analyst - Sue Hilty

Thirty-six assessments paid.

Marching Band Student Income goal:	\$60,200
(By May 31, 2007)	
Year to date:	\$34,536
Marching Band General Fund Income goal:	\$35,600
Year to date:	\$28,740

Funds raised above the \$35,600 go into trip reserves. The goal of \$12,000 every year into trip reserves is given back to the students in a reduction in their assessment for cost of trip. Only \$500 went into trip reserves last year due to unforeseen trip to Pontiac Regional in 2005.

Fund raising monies due Dec. 31, 2006 to qualify for rebate/bonus for student assessment. Account must be paid in full by Jan. 15, 2007.

Financial Secretary - Kathy Yandura

Assessment: \$560

Underclassmen are awarded rebates. Rebates are deposits, therefore, they do not count towards fund raised money to qualify for rebate. Seniors receive a bonus according to their fund raised money.

Statements to go out the end of November. Continue to add to your account in December with scrips and McBucks.

Requested chairpersons turn in their student credits as soon as possible for Tambellini's, hoagies, pies, and pretzels in order to be posted for November statement.

Account balances are required to be paid by January 15, 2006 in order to qualify for any bonus/rebate.

Ways and Means - Debbie Kukieza

Student Credits year to date: \$15,159.43

General Fund year to date: \$28,864.71

Aramark not added in yet.

\$1,410 went into general fund for fudge night.

Some Christmas gift ideas:

Verizon: New activation \$20, Renewal/upgrade \$10 (general fund)

Individual Cinemark tickets on scrip form (11% student credit)

Candy bars (40% student credit)

Giant Eagle gift cards

Kidstuff books available until Christmas.

Pine Wreaths and pretzels are still available. (mass e-mail)

Window decals coming in next week.

President - Jody Meredith

50 RSVP's for Band Picnic at Northmoreland Park, 70 attended. Held the first picnic in 2005 due to short, rainy season. This year was also a success. Will continue to hold year-end picnic. Thank you to Jay Morgan for chairing this event.

Open board positions: Vice President and Ways and Means due to vacancies. Vote in April, position starts in May. Must attend two meetings before being considered for a position on board. Debbie Beer needs someone to assist her with Winterguard.

Trailer is now repaired: Trailer was due for inspection. Schreck's could not inspect the trailer, therefore, it was taken to David's Auto for inspection. (Inspection sticker was put on top of the old one.) David's informed us that the trailer needed brakes to pass inspection, so they put new brakes on. Brakes did not work properly, and got no satisfaction from Davids, so trailer was taken to Schreck's for repair (at a generously reduced cost). KAIB will pursue action against David's. We now have an alternate inspection garage.

Senior gift money receipts due from section parents for \$25 given for each senior gift.

Director - Shawn Pityk

Report given by Chad Heiny.

Report time 5:20 pm on Friday, Nov. 24, 2006 at Donghai Lumber for Christmas Parade in Vandergrift to officially end the 2006 Marching Band Season.

Reported that the administration, community and the Judging community was very impressed with this year's show, "Viva Las Vegas."

Concert season is underway with the 9th grade Band and Chorus Christmas Concert November 30, 2006.

New this year is a Percussion Ensemble with an invitation to IUP.

There will be no general membership meeting in December. Enjoy the holiday. Hope to see you for the next general membership meeting Wed., January 17, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,
Sandy Kline, Secretary

* General Membership Meeting Minutes subject to approval at the following month's KAIB General Membership Meeting.