



Kiski Area Cavalier Band



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Meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Secretary-Sandy Kline

September General Membership Meeting Minutes approved and filed.

Financial Analyst-Sue Hilty

119 members and 2 managers; 47 students paid, \$40,440. General Fund Income goal \$66,920. General Fund Operating Expenses \$33,300. \$9,453 raised, not including the Kiski Competition or the Car Cruise.

\$6,000 Florida trip deposit sent to Super Holiday Tours. 92 yes, 12 undecided, 2 no, 15 not heard from. Do not have to put any more money down until January. Need firm numbers by then.

Kidstuff Coupon Book orders due the end of October in order for Sue to report the student credits for November. Can still sell books, credits will go toward Florida trip. Coupon books expire December, 2008. If you are not selling the books, you must give book back to Sue.

Treasurer-Kevin Neely

No report.

Financial Secretary-Kathy Yandura

47 students paid for fall assessment. Deadline for fund raised monies is Nov. 1; chairpersons need to report their credits asap. Statements will go out after Nov. 1. Outstanding balances need to be paid by Nov. 15. If there is another practice before a play off game, the statement will be given out then. November hoagie credits will be applied to Florida assessment.

Florida assessment: Deadline for fund raised monies is April 15; paid in full by April 30. All assessments need satisfied by April 30.

Ways and Means-Colleen Blackham

September income \$2,272, for a total of \$9,453. Please check with friends/relatives for any ideas for fund raisers.

Car Cruise prelim income \$9,800 with some outstanding expenses. 25% will be taken out for American Cancer Society, Apollo Relay for Life in memory of Stephanie Nicholas. Heard a lot of positive comments from spectators and at the workplace. Special thanks to Ron and Cookie for their efforts. An article will be forthcoming in the newspaper thanking everyone and informing the public how much we gave to American Cancer Society.

Since there is a football game Thursday night, please try to pick up your hoagies and Tambellini's as early as possible. Fruit and Pie Sale fund raiser forms will be distributed tonight. November: Nut Rolls.

Winterguard-Rita Aber

36 seats filled for the parent bus to Towson; room for 14 more. Partial refunds will be given out. Itineraries available.

Band Banquet: 44 students, 61 parents, 3 staff and 1 guest so far. Due date is Oct. 25 for reservations. Payment due at time of reservation. Maximum 350.

Winterguard budget in progress. Two Regionals (Norwin and 2 nights @ Dayton). Goal was to keep the Winterguard assessment as low as possible due to the Florida trip. Approx. assessments: High School Winterguard \$300, Intermediate School \$200. Staff salaries not finalized yet. Please keep fundraising to keep the general fund growing. Will use the same uniforms as the fall band season, with some changes. Upcoming fundraiser: Greens. Open to band members to sell, however, the general fund credits will go to Winterguard. There will possibly be other fundraisers open to band members; i.e., Sarris Easter Candy.

Vice President-Gina Scheller

Thank you for your cooperation and help with the Car Cruise.

If your gloves are not clean for Towson and you need new ones, please see Gina. Students also need to shine their shoes. Jolesch Photos are now on-line from Youngstown (Bands of America Website).

President-Rick McWilliams

Thank you for your help Saturday after practice and Sunday for the Car Cruise. These large fund raisers build the general fund to lower band assessments.

If anyone is not getting KAIB mass e-mails, please let Rick know so he can add you on.

Upcoming Events:

Thursday, Oct. 18, Woodland Hills televised game
Saturday, Oct. 20, BOA Regional @ Towson, Maryland
Friday, Oct. 26, Gateway Football game, away
Saturday, Oct. 27, PIMBA Championships @ Elizabeth Forward (23 bands)
Friday, Nov. 2, Tentative Football game
Saturday, Nov. 3, Band Banquet @ Lamplighter

Old Business:

Tax Exempt status renewed until November, 2011.

New Business:

Please note change in General Membership Meeting next month to Wed., Nov. 14 @ 7:30 pm due to Thanksgiving Holiday.

Dave Meredith reported a missing radio from Youngstown at a cost of \$100 (there are now 8 left).

Dave also suggested a gift for Ron & Cookie Laufer to show our appreciation for the work they did for the Car Cruise. They have also been invited to the band banquet.

Walls are decorated for Towson; if you have not seen them, please take a look.

Bus driver brought back our missing garbage can from Fox Chapel.

Meeting adjourned.

Fire Dept. will not be asked to come welcome our band back from Towson due to the fact of the hour in which we return (4:30 a.m.). Jackie Milheim and Diane Paul to line the parent cars around the parking lot, facing out, so they can flash lights and honk their horns as the student buses pass through the parking lot.

Respectfully submitted,
Sandy Kline, Secretary

Next General Membership Meeting, Wednesday, Nov. 14, 2007, 7:30 pm in the band room.