

RHAM MS / HS Music Booster Meeting Minutes

February 9, 2021

Meeting Called to order: 7:02 PM by Amy Harvill

In Attendance: Kerrie Verrastro, Eric Nunes, Brenda Bula, Amy Harvill, Ken Harvill, Tammy Stolzman, Ann Hooker, Lauren Bula, Bailey McKiernan, Lisa Seethaler, Paula King, Jenichelle Oatman

President's Comments: Welcome to all

Secretary's Report: Motion made by Amy to approve January minutes; seconded by Tammy; all in favor and motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: Highlights of Treasurer's Report were given, report on file. Motion made by Lisa to approve the Treasurer's Report; seconded by Ken; all in favor and motion passed. Thank you note from last year's scholarship winner was received as well as thank you from families who enjoyed the Winter Warmer concert.

HS Band: On March 31, visiting clinician Kevin Bard will present a song-writing workshop to high school Music Department students. This is a Booster Club funded activity.

MS Band: Visiting clinician Dylan Body provided a successful, participatory songwriting workshop to middle school students. (This event was funded by school budget.)

MS and HS Choruses: Allstate auditions will take place virtually.

Music Dept staff and Art Dept staff are considering a couple of ideas for a Spring performance; they await approval from Scott Leslie. During the next Booster meeting, the directors will be able to provide an update and a possible request for funding.

Both Band and Chorus held ensemble auditions, and students had been notified of results.

Music Technology: Our application to the "Best Community" Music Program has been received and results should be received by April.

Old Business: Brenda completed the yearbook ad research; motion made by Amy and seconded by Lisa to approve \$165 for half- page congratulations message in the Class of 2021 yearbook. All approved, motion passed.

Paula & Amy presented some enrichment activity options for students, including prices and details from Watson Adventures and Out School programs.

Fundraising: Boosters will make a plan to sell gear and magnets for Spring.

Senior Recognition committee: meets soon and will present proposal at next meeting.

Charter Review committee: will consult with previous President regarding potential to update by-laws; Amy would like to have a guidebook made describing all facets of Music Boosters procedures. Lisa reported that there is a template for taking minutes, as well as sign-up sheet. She will assure that there is a complete writeup for new Secretary for 2021-22 academic year.

New Business: None.

Next meeting is Tuesday March 9, 2021

Motion made by Lisa and seconded by Tammy to adjourn at 8:05 PM. All in favor; Motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lisa Seethaler

Secretary