

North Paulding Band Boosters, Inc.

Meeting Minutes October 5, 2021 Band Room

Pres. Angela Rolnick called the meeting to order at 7:00pm The following was discussed:

Executive Board Report

- Minutes from 9/14/21 were unanimously approved as published.
- Treasurer's report and budgets are posted on the website. Financial statements will be sent out soon.

Director's Report

- Kids are working hard to overcome drill and weather challenges combined with late nights. Guard uniforms will be delayed but should arrive prior 10/16 competition.
- Fall concerts will be held 10/21 with information going home late next week. Terri has fittings complete for Wind Symphony. Boys should wear black socks (long) and black shoes with black soles. Girls in black dresses should wear black flats but no socks. Other band uniforms are long black tops, black pants, black socks (long), black shoes with black soles. Concerts will start at 7pm and students will stay for all performances. The event will also be live streamed.
- October 15th is 8th grade night and competition on Saturday. Paulding County Exhibition is Tuesday, 12th at Hiram HS. Homecoming game is Friday, October, 22nd and the last competition is Saturday, November 6th.

Committee Reports

- Concessions—Largest fundraiser for the band budget. What was supposed to be our best game sales with South Paulding was squashed due to the rain. Tents will be utilized at the stadium to try spread concession sale lines. Looking ahead we would like to split 1st half/2nd half but currently there are not enough volunteers to do this. Additional assistance needed November 5th for Senior night to relieve Senior parents to enjoy the game with their Seniors. Candy is now stocked for Friday's game.
- Uniforms—Uniforms are back from the cleaners. They will be put together before Friday's game. Kids should have laundered their gloves using bleach and drying them in the dryer. Please hem the concert attire but DO NOT CUT the material! Legs should not show when the students sit. Bags were provided. Please keep the attire clean and wrinkle free. At the end of the season return the attire dry cleaned and in the bag.
- Volunteers—Please sign up to work the minimum requirement of 2 events to help support the band.
- **Pit Crew**—Guard screens will be in tomorrow and help is needed on Thursday to attach to the media to the frames.
- Spirit wear—Last weekend's pop-up sale brought in about \$1,000 in sales. Pre-sales should go out soon for hoodies/sweatshirts. They will only be available via pre-sale. Setting up a tent for the 8th grade night outside of the band room. October 23rd we have a booth at the Seven Hills Festival 12p-3p. Game/prize for kids to play at each booth. Looking at November for another pop-up sale. Spirit wear will also be available for sale at the fall concert. Support Crew bundles are in Thursday and will be distributed on Friday.
- Chaperones—Sign-up's are still needed for the competitions. Thank you for the snack donations. The kids enjoy the salty and the sweet snacks for the bus rides.
- Fundraising—Poinsettia's currently on sale with a due date of 11/1/21. It is a 50/50 split on profits. Please make sure your students are asking teachers and admin as many have asked how to get them in the past when they have arrived at the school. Honey Baked Ham sales online with another 50/50 split on profits. Moe's taco night—preorders for next Thursday pick-up. Sheet sales have finished and should be in early November. Golf tournament is moving along with a few sponsors secured for the event. Looking into a committee to help with the event. Registration is currently underway.
- Water tent/First Aid—Kids are taking care of putting up the tent, chairs and water. A parent is needed to man the tent to assist with First Aid from 4p-6p. If you are coming up to the school, please consider stopping by to help while you wait for practice to be completed.
- Old Business Corporate sponsorship committee chair is needed.
- New Business— Formation of Spring committees to assist with the golf tournament, band banquet, exhibition 2022 (NPHS will host) and Paulding Meadows. Open executive board positions for treasurer and secretary. Open committee chair for concessions.

Comments, Announcements, and other Business
Competition schedule: October 9, 16 and November 6.
Next booster meeting is November 9th.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:01pm by Angela.