



North Paulding Band Booster's Inc. Meeting Minutes March 13, 2018

The monthly meeting for the North Paulding High School Boosters, Inc. was held on Tuesday, March 13, 2018 in the NPHS Band Room. It began at 7:11pm and was presided over by President Stacey Gilbert.

Stacey began by welcoming parents and thanking them for coming.

Tracey Fulmer, Treasurer

- Tracey deferred to Mr. Bearden before presenting the budget. Mr. Bearden reported that on Tuesday, March 6th Tracey Fulmer noticed that there were fraudulent charges on the booster bank account. Tracey followed up with the bank where she was made aware that there were 5 checks and electronic debts made. A police report has been filed with Paulding County. Mr. Bearden met with Dr. Crowe to inform him of the situation who passed the information on to Susan Browning and Dr. Otott at the district office. Some of the funds have already been refunded to our account. Tracey will continue to work with our bank to make sure we get the remaining amount.
- Tracey then presented the monthly budget and pointed out that she added a line item for "General Fund Fraud". Last month's budget was posted on the website and was voted on and approved.

Brooke Blanton, Secretary

- Last month's minutes were posted on the band website and were voted on and approved.

Fundraisers

- Robin Dutra reported that an order form for spring hanging baskets will go home with all students on March 14th.
- Robin has yard sale drop off days on March 20th and 27th. April 10th, 16th, 17th, 23rd, and 24th. The yard sale will be Saturday April 28th, 2018.
- Huey Luey nights will be April 9th and May 14th at the Hiram and Acworth locations.
- Connie Atkinson reported that the Coca Cola fundraiser will begin at the April 17th meeting.
- Sweet Basil Farms Baskets-this is an ongoing fundraiser. You can have local fresh produce delivered to the school or home. You can still sign up at www.sweetbasilfarms.com.
- Allison Durant reported that she is continuing to liquidate spirit wear to make room for new items. At the April 17th meeting she will have new items for pre-sale only.
- The Cleopatra screens are available for purchase. Contact Allison or Ward Durant if you are interested.

Officers for 2018-2019

- The positions of President and Secretary will be open for next school year. If you are interested in helping out in any way please see a board member.
- The following committee seats are also open:

Water-this committee person is responsible for the group of parents that provide water for band camp, Saturday camps, and who stock coolers for away and home games.

Chaperones-this committee person is responsible for overseeing the chaperones for away and home games.

Marketing and Social Media-the board needs someone who can post all events and fundraisers on all social media.

Corporate Sponsorship-this is the most underutilized committee. We need someone to solicit to local companies to make a donation to the band.

Paulding County Honor Band will be March 22-23 on the North Campus. Julie Robinson is looking for help feeding the kids on Friday evening and help stocking the hospitality room for the directors during the day.

Georgia Indoor Percussion Association

North will host an indoor percussion competition on Saturday March 17th.

There will be 10 bands performing. Bands will perform from 12:00-5:15.

Doors will open at 8am.

Awards will begin at 6pm.

Wrist bands are \$10. If you plan on watching the bands you must purchase a wrist band even if you are volunteering.

Visiting bands have been assigned a warm up area in the parking lots. Everyone is asked to park in the main student/teacher parking area. There will be no parking in the bus loop or the parking lot outside the band room.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:48pm.