

2022 Band Booster Parent Meeting - August

Date: August 16, 2022

Time: 5:30pm

Location: HRHS Band Room

Attendees: Marianne Margheim, Darby Petitt, Megan Harper, Samantha Sanders, Reenie Rausch, Narayan Roopam, Ashley Keppel, Jeff Micksch, Marina, McCreight, Tonia Hopkins, Trevor Corr, Natalie Guessas, Gail Howard, Amy Baum, Sarah Fason, Chris Rigolini

Agenda Items:

- Marching Band Updates
 - Upcoming Events
 - Fundraisers
 - Treasurer Update
 - Open Q&A
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Marching Band Updates

- Show shirts ordered for students and staff. Preview sent out in the August Newsletter. Amy setting up order form and payment option via Square for families to purchase all the Band Attire for the whole family. Show shirt, spirit shirt, pullover and zipper
- Shirts and vests are ordered, colors are by sections. Hoping to have them here by first football game show
- Students are to purchase their own chino/khaki pants. Off white, tan, light brown colors only. Mr. Rigolini will be sending email shortly, wait to purchase till you see the email for specific details
- Props building on Sat at 9am at HRHS
- Competitions days are long, lots of fun. Encouraging parents to sign up and join in on this time, it goes by too fast and next thing you know you're sending them off to college
- Competitions are all local, farthest is State down in Colorado Springs
- Homecoming Week is busy, Weds – Sat. Douglas County Showcase, Bonfire, Parade, Football game and Dance
- Douglas County Showcase is where all Douglas County Schools get to perform their shows for each other without any actual competition judging
- Board would like to purchase fancy tablecloths with our logo on them to use for school events to promote the Band Program. Orchestra would be willing to split the cost. Amy will purchase, should be about \$250

Upcoming Events

- Thurs Aug 18th – Concessions 6pm
- Sat Aug 20th – Concessions 4pm
- Tues Aug 23rd – Dairy Queen Fundraiser. Time TBD
- Sat Aug 27th – Rehearsal at Half Time Help Stadium 8am

- Sat Sept 2 – Concessions 6pm
- Sat Sept 2 – First Performance 7pm@Half Time Help Stadium
- Sat Sept 10 – Concessions 6pm
- Weds Sept 14 – Douglas County Showcase no judged performance
- Thurs Sept 15 – Homecoming Parade
- Fri Sept 16 - Performance 7pm@Half Time Help Stadium
- Tues Sept 20 – Concessions 3pm
- Sat Sept 24 - Rehearsal at Half Time Help Stadium 8am
- Tues Sept 27 – Beau Jo’s Fundraiser. Time TBD

Fundraisers

- Tues Aug 23rd – Dairy Queen. Time TBD
- Tues Sept 27th – Beau Jo’s. Time TBD
- Tues Oct 11th – Freddy’s. Time TBD
- Tues Nov 15th – Mici’s. Time TBD
- December Crumbl Cookie
- Thoughts on possible Little Caesars meal package of pizza and cookies. \$6/kit sold. Each student would be asked to sell 2 at \$24 each to raise \$600 for the band. Parent feedback seemed split 50/50. Natalie will send info to Scott to dig in for more details

Treasurer Update

- Spent almost \$6K, transfer to new uniform acct, equipment, and snacks
- Received \$2500 from chocolate, jerky, King Soopers, Parrys Pizza, Lone Tree July 4th, Scrips gift cards and other company donations
- \$21K in the bank, \$11K in liabilities, available to spend about \$11K
- Still waiting on Peddling for Parkinson fundraiser. Scott will reach out for an update
- Other ways to help raise money, King Soopers, Scrips, Smile Amazon and Facebook. Instructions on how to join these are on the hrhsbands.com website
- SUG coming to sell chocolate and jerky in front of Highlands Ranch Wine Seller. We need to sell \$1600 to break even on what we spent to purchase. Good time for students to earn their volunteer hours. Fri, Sat and Sun for the next 2 weeks or until we sell out 4-6pm and 6-8pm just 1hr shifts. The front office is planning to purchase about 15 boxes to give out for staff birthdays
- Concessions need a manager plus 2 volunteers for non-Football games. Football games need 16 total volunteers. The band will raise \$75 - \$300 just to cleanup plus a percentage of the food/drink sales

Open Q&A

- Is Regionals all day? Yes, they will practice in morning, pack the truck and then head to competition. Regionals determines our place at State
- Can we get cowboy hats to add to the uniform? Directors are reviewing current budget to see how much money is left to spend on uniforms. Boosters will fill in for any budget deficit as needed. Parent volunteer to call Cabela’s, Murdoch’s, Sheplers, Boot Barn, Spirit Halloween,

need 30 brown and 22 black, different sizes. Free advertising for whatever company donates or supports. Darby volunteered to make calls, Thank you!

- Is Disney registration still open? There are a limited number of spots left, capped at 100. Airfare being booked Sept 1st

Thank you to all the parents who attended tonight. We appreciate your support.