

SHAKOPEE BAND BOOSTER MEETING MINUTES

Monday, November 2, 2020, 7:00 pm, Google Meet online meeting

Next Meeting: Monday, December 7, 2020, Google Meet

BAND BOOSTER OFFICERS:

President: Jeff Smith President-Elect: Open

Secretary: Open Treasurer: Kim Voxland

Band Directors: Eric Christenson echriste@shakopee.k12.mn.us

Ben Hoehn bhoehn@shakopee.k12.mn.us

ATTENDEES: Jeff Smith, Kyle Boeser, Catie Leisure, Kris Weber, Kim Voxland, Eric Christenson, Julie Hokanson, Jenny Smith, Donna Anderson, Ben Hoehn

BAND BOOSTER OFFICERS/DIRECTORS ABSENT: None

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: 7:02 pm

CONSENT AGENDA: Jeff motioned to approve the consent agenda. Kim seconded the motion. Voice voted and approved.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Jeff

- Elect Julie Hokanson as secretary. Kim seconded the motion. Voice voted and approved.
- Acknowledge Kris for volunteering to help as needed with Band Boosters.
- Welcome Catie and Donna as co-chairs for fruit sale.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Jeff

- Oct. Booster Meeting minutes (available on Shakopee Band Page)
- Jeff motioned for approval of Old Minutes. Seconded by Jenny. Voice voted and approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Kim

CURRENT FUND BALANCE: \$18,807.14

- No activity for Oct.
- Two band scholarships awarded to 2020 graduates: the male recipient's scholarship is ready to send to his college. The female recipient is studying in Europe. Kim asked the board for approval to send the check to female recipient's parents instead of mailing or wire transferring it and dealing with foreign exchange rates. Kim motioned to allow this. Catie seconded. Voice voted and approved.
- Jeff motioned for approval of Treasurer's Report. Seconded by Jenny. Voice voted and approved.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT: Eric

- First band concerts Nov. 9 and 10 - scheduled for in-person. Also live-streaming.
- Scott County Covid cases are increasing. Discussed possibilities of returning to distance learning.
- Hoping for second quarter bands to meet in person starting Nov. 16.
- If SHS returns to distance learning, extra curriculars (Jazz & Percussion Ensemble) will hopefully be able to continue.
- Grateful for large band room, choir room, Thrust stage during social distancing. Allows for extra spacing of students/safety measures.
- No requests.
- Asked Sonja Gorter to help with Spirit Wear.

FUNDRAISER REPORT

2020-21 BAND BOOSTER FUNDRAISER UPDATE: Jeff

- Amazon Smile - promote on band website. Eric will try to get link and instructional video on website. Kim added that Amazon Smiles works with Amazon Prime.
- Decal sales - \$5. Kim has some, as well as Eric and Ben. Jeff will put note on Facebook page.
- Corporate/Parent Sponsorships - Eric will write letter.
- Donna and Catie will co-chair fruit sales. They will set a start date and register with the fruit sales company. Information has been sent to them.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Jeff is running for school board, which also meets on the first Monday of the month. If elected, starting in January school board meetings will conflict with band booster meetings. Discussed changing meeting to second Monday of the month. Will continue discussion in Dec. meeting.
- Jenny- motion to adjourn. Kim seconded. Voice voted and approved.

MEETING ADJOURNED: 7:34 p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Julie Hokanson on November 3, 2020

2020-21 Band Boosters meeting schedule: Meetings will be listed on the [Band website](#). All meetings will be at 7:00pm via Google Meet until further notice. The link for the meeting will be provided the week prior.

UPCOMING BAND EVENTS

Nov. 9, 7 pm - Concert Band - Main Auditorium, live streamed

Nov. 9, 7:30 pm - Symphonic Band - Main Auditorium, live streamed

Nov. 10, 6 pm - Thole 9th Grade Band - Main Auditorium, live streamed