

Springs Valley Band Booster Meeting

January 10, 2011

Location: Springs Valley Band Room

Attendance:

Luke Aylsworth-Director

Danielle Crowder-President

Amanda Parsons-Treasurer

Pam Dixon-Secretary

Cindy Moss

Amy Burton

Becky Hankins

Camellia Albright

Dawn Nelson

Dave Heinz

Debby Heinz

Donna Reynolds

Donna Galloway

Call to Order: 7:00 PM by Danielle Crowder

Treasurers Report: Handout

Old Business:

Danielle reported she has been in contact with Miguel's about having Brigade night. She is waiting on them to get back with her on how to add a surcharge to check for fundraising and date to hold event. Also, we still haven't set a date for Brigade night for Chicago's Pizza.

New Business:

Dawn Nelson presented an idea for the placement of signs stating “Home of the 2010 Class D Champions—The Blackhawk Brigade” at the entrances to French Lick and West Baden. We all agreed it was a great idea and Luke will follow up with the French Lick and West Baden Town Boards.

Fundraising:

Amanda reported that Loria Eastridge stopped by the office and told Amanda her idea for a fundraising event for the band which is hosting a 5K/10K run. Since we have never done anything like this in the past we would need Loria to come and present the idea as well as our contribution to the event.

Dawn Nelson also brought a good idea to the table. Salem Jacket Company sells travel blankets that are fleece on the inside and a jacket material on the outside. We could have anything embroidered on them and sell them. She had several people ask where she got hers this past season and seemed to think they might go over well.

Amanda also presented the packet of information delivered to her from Four Sisters in Ferdinand. They make Tile Pendants which can be used as a necklace or key chain.

Luke then mentioned selling Texas Roadhouse Rolls as a fundraiser. After some discussion Danielle made the motion to sell the rolls in April before Easter. Amanda seconded the motion. Motion passed. Luke is to follow up with the owner of Texas Roadhouse in Greenwood.

Directors Report:

Luke presented a summary of the past years successes, and thanked the board for his IPAD. End of Year items are slowly coming in with the patches, souvenir book, buttons and some of the shirts have come in, with the rest to follow. There are some extra items ordered if anyone is interested in purchasing.

Disney Trip money is due February 1st. There must be at least \$550.00 in the students account by January 28th. Also the trip is still open for any interested. After January 28th the trip will close and Luke will find out the exact number going on the trip. Also \$100 deposit will be lost at this time. Luke will find out how much the final payment will be and pass along the information. The final payment will be due by March 1st. The boosters are going to give all the kids bags left over from the festival to keep their stuff in during the trip. There will be a special meeting with more information for parents and students closer to the date of the trip.

Other things on the band agenda are Winter Percussion, Color Guard Clinic for the Elementary and Junior High students as well as a spring guard camp. Concert Band will move up a level this year to grade 3 which includes sight reading. Springs Valley could possibly host a Solo and Ensemble event in April. The Brass ensemble will have the opportunity to take lessons from a college student. Also Luke said at this time he is hoping students will now take an opportunity to take private lessons. More information to

follow. Also in the works a Pop concert with Crawford County. There are 7 more home games for the pep band season.

Marching Season 2011: Theme to be announced soon. Music is completed and Luke is working on purchasing the props from another band.

Marching Season Budget: Handout

Band Room Expansion: The school is looking into expanding the band room and removing the levels.

Also the school is updating the football area as well as the concession area with this update hopefully we can look into hosting an invitational during band season.

Next Meeting Date: Not set

Meeting Adjourned: 8:05 PM