



MINUTES

General Membership Meeting

Tuesday, March 9, 2021 | 6:30pm | Zoom video conference

Call to Order/Approval of Minutes

- Note: This meeting was held via Zoom video conference due to the COVID-19/coronavirus pandemic. There were approximately 28 participants in the conference which included band booster officers, directors along with students and band family members.
- President Ida Musgrove called the meeting to order at 6:34pm.
- Review and approval of prior general membership meeting minutes was done electronically. All meeting minutes and agendas are available for review on our website www.johnsonbands.com. Clover Clamons, Shelly Allen and Monica Mugan volunteered to review meeting minutes for this meeting.
- The presentation from tonight's meeting will be shared on our website.
- The treasurer's report was provided and the previous balance was \$56,828.75. Since that time, total income is \$1,455.03, total expenses are \$2,515.82 with an ending balance of \$56,925.13. Contact Mattia directly with any questions regarding financial updates.

Discussion/Committee Reports

- **Spirit Night Announcements**
 - Join us tomorrow at Chipotle in Southpark Meadows from 4-8pm for our next spirit night. Upcoming events include Freddy's in April and Mod Pizza in May. Check the website and Charms calendar for dates and times.
- **Planning for 2021-2022 Presentation**
 - Ida reviewed details of the upcoming 2021-2022 **fall marching season** for planning purposes. The schedule for summer band practices and marching competitions are on the Band Calendar in Charms and on our website. This will help you with planning summer vacations etc as it is essential for band students to be at every rehearsal. The presentation can be found on our website at <https://www.johnsonbands.com/documents> which is under 4U, Documents.
 - **Elections and Band Booster Committees** - Elections for Booster board officers will be held for our May 11 meeting. We are seeking anyone interested in learning more about these roles to contact a current board member (contact information can be found on our website under <https://www.johnsonbands.com/boosters>). We are currently looking for a member to fill the **position of Treasurer** and our current treasurer will assist throughout the year.
 - Committees will be formed this spring for our critical fall activities including the following:
 - Sponsorship

- Football Program Ads
- Jaguar Jog
- Spirit Gear
- Pit Crew
- Current committee chairs and members should respond if they are planning to be active in their same capacity for next year. Sign ups to get involved in these committees will be coming soon!
- **Rookie Nights:** ALL incoming 9th grade band students are invited to join our upcoming Rookie Nights from 5-7:20pm on Tuesdays 3/23, 4/6 and 4/20. This will introduce them to fundamentals, allow them to meet and work with our SLT and Directors and have FUN learning what high school band is about. The last 20 minutes is dedicated to a fun activity/treat, etc. Parents will also have the opportunity to meet with band parents, Booster members and ask questions, etc.
- **By-Law Review:** Our annual review of our Band Booster by-laws needs to be completed. We are looking for 3 members to review our current by-laws and make any recommendations of needed changes/if any. Clover Clamons volunteered but 2 more are needed. Please contact Shannon Cameron at secretary@johnsonbands.com to help.

Directors Report – Mr. Joey Lucita

- **Snap Fundraiser:** Our Snap fundraiser is set to begin tomorrow. There are concerns as only 5 students have taken all necessary steps for this fundraiser by creating profiles and adding 20 email addresses. This is a crowdfunding campaign and the emails are critical for our success as students are not asked to sell anything, etc. Band Directors are working to determine if we should push back the start a few weeks to ensure all steps are completed.
- Busy **schedule** ahead with pre-UIL, UIL competition (students should wear concert dress/all black), SLT applications and Band Placement auditions coming up. Keep an eye on the newsletter and calendar for all dates and details.
- **Color Guard:** Their first competition is this Saturday 3/13 and a send off will be scheduled at 1:30pm to JHS. Don't forget that the JAGuard is a part of the Jaguar Band and we want to fully support them with send offs like we do during marching season.
- **Hawaii Trip** registration is still on-going with 144 confirmed travelers to date.

Wrap Up/Announcements/Upcoming Dates

- Upcoming Spirit Nights:
 - **TOMORROW:** Chipotle Southpark Meadows - 3/10 from 4-8pm
 - Wednesday, **April 14th**, 4-9pm @ Freddy's Buda
 - Thursday, **May 13th**, 10:30am-10pm at Mod Pizza Kyle
- Rookie Days, 3/23, 4/6, 4/20

- Join us for our next Johnson Band Boosters General Membership Meeting - Tuesday, **May 11th** at 6:30pm

Meeting adjourned at 7:36pm.