

Band Booster Meeting September 24, 2024

Minutes

Welcome – Julie Grier

Treasure Report – Candace Robertson

- Current Available Balance - \$55,698.00
- Lots of upcoming expenses (including: Program printing, Concession stand restock, Concession stand insurance, buses for competitions)

Yard Signs – Julie Grier

- Orders are ready for pick-up
- There are a few extras if you still want to purchase one.
- \$15 each

Coolers – Julie

- Thanks to those that donated coolers.

Water donations – Julie

- The band supply of water is very low.
- Donations are needed before Saturdays competition
- Donations can be left outside the band room

Concession Stand– (Lisa Jacock) John pierce

- Thank you to Becky and John Pierce and Darren Brown for stepping up when we were shorthanded last Friday in the concession stand.
- Volunteers please try to be there around 5pm (or as soon as possible) to help get the grill and other things set up so we can get cooking and have cooked items ready to sell at 6pm.

Middle School band directors report – Mrs. Nails

- Mum/Succulent fundraiser.
 - Orders come in September 30th
 - We will announce when they arrive and a pick up time.
 - We need some volunteers to help unload and organize mums by colors.
 - Be ready to deliver your orders or have customers meet you at pick-up.
- RMS band will play at football game next Tuesday 10/1.
 - Kick-off is at 4:45pm
 - Band will only play the first half of the game
 - At half time (typically around 5:30pm) students will head back to the band room. They will be dismissed from there.
 - Mangers and marchers will want to have parents bring dinner or grab something to eat at concessions. We will have marching band practice right after the game.
- RMS District/Allstate
 - If your student is trying out for District or Allstate the registration fee is due.
 - District \$5
 - Allstate \$25

High School band directors report – Mr. McDonald

- Watching the weather for Thursday night practice. We will plan to have practice even if it rains. If it rains practice will be moved inside.
- First competition

- Saturday September 28th at Armuchee High School.
- Call time will be 11am.
- Leave school at 12:30 pm
- Band students wear show shirts
- Students will need money for concessions or merchandise
- Show time is at 7:20pm
- Admission for everyone 6 and up is \$10
- Pack the stands and cheer for the tiger band
- Students had their best run of the year Friday night.
- Next Tuesday (10/1) RMS game
 - Changing marching band practice time to 6pm -8pm
 - Students are welcome to join the RMS band during the game
- October 5th competition - Covered Bridge Festival in Oneida, AL
 - Call time will be 11am.
 - Leave school at 12:30 pm
- If you are picking up your student from competitions make sure to complete check out form before Thursday.
- Wednesday is district Jazz auditions
 - Leave at the end of school
 - LFO, Heritage, and RHS will ride together on one bus
 - Will stop to eat on the way back
 - A remind will be sent out with ETA
- The Catoosa County Band expedition will be on October 24th at Ringgold High School
 - Starts at 7pm
 - No cost for admission
 - All three county bands will play
 - Light concessions will be provided

Next Band Booster Meeting — October 8th