

Prairie Central Music Boosters Minutes

October 20, 2009

Members present: Directors: David Baird Parents: Teri Wenger, Beth Russell, Susan Slagel, Joel & Julie Smith, Jeanette Diller

Minutes from the September meeting were read and approved.

Financial report :

T-shirt sales profit about \$200

Mum sales profit - \$1500

Director's Comments

Brenda Underwood –

- JH – 6 students selected to the IMEA all-district choir
- Westview – 3rd grade program – Oct 26th – 7 pm – “ Assignment Earth”
- 4th grade program – Nov 2nd – 7pm – “Give Thanks America”

David Baird –

- Pep band is underway
- Combined pep band performance and Halloween Party on Oct. 29th
- Band council members have been chosen to help plan band events – they are meeting next week to get organized
- 3 members selected to IMEA all – district band
- JH Band will perform at the Chatsworth Halloween Parade

Melissa Nagel – no report

Lesa Kline –

- Depending on the number of illness on Saturday may need to cancel attendance at the Mahomet Band Competition

Jason Strough – no report

Planned Activities

- Cookies Sales at Christmas Concert – December 13th – Alisa Ricketts has volunteered to organize

- Decorate for Christmas concert – December 12th
- Swing Dance Classes – 7 couples and 5-6 individuals are registered to attend – classes begin Oct. 22nd – fundraiser for Boosters

- Jazz Show- Margie Yoder no longer has a catering business – Teri will check with her to see if she is still willing to cater the Jazz Show

Teaching Tower

- Waiting to hear from Ernie Leman on revised plans
- Don Slagel also looking at some options

Nut Sales

- Orders have been turned in and are being tabulated
- Next month we will sort and distribute nuts

New Business

A thank you will be sent to Keith Coleman for making the stakes for the band note signs and for the use of his stapler

New Fundraising Ideas - Beth Russell

- Yearlong Raffle – like a 50/50 – Lesa is getting info from Dwight
- Scrip cards – pre-sell gift cards to various businesses – band will get a % back as profit – glscrip.com
- We would need to distribute orders
- Need a volunteer to organize
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Carport –

An e-mail vote was conducted to ok the purchase of two carports for use at the marching band competitions. Use of funds was okayed by Lesa. They were used to keep the uniforms out of the weather. These are available for use for any music department activities.