

Lakota West Upbeat Club Meeting
Approved Minutes
August 17, 2017

Director's Report

Mr Racic:

- Freshman Info meeting next Thursday evening 6:30 during Silvers
- New issue: Monetary solution to instrumentation in high school band not enough clarinet players. Pull in instructor to help transition students from other instruments to clarinet. \$1000 - \$2000 about 3 months 2x a week.

Mr. Carr

- Trips: Toledo last minute change to overnight due to early morning performance time. Trip paid for out of band budge. Tumbler fundraiser by Mr. Carr to help replenish funds.
- \$10,248 in Tumbler sales. Thank you for your help.
- Closer out tonight. New drill this weekend.
- Saturday Meals: 1.5 hour breaks free to leave campus. Exact schedule tomorrow.
- White truck back with roof fixed and will be wrapped soon
- Auditions start Monday for Winds. A few weeks for other bands.
- August 25th rehearsal at main campus 6-9 instead of Nippert game. NCAA rules is reason Nippert game was moved.
- Fall concert together with freshman at main campus. Separate concerts after marching band season.

Call To Order 7:04. Dawn DiLorenzo called the meeting to order at 7:04pm Patricia Scott motioned, Keri Rampton and Kevin Moorman second

New Executive committee Introduction

Jenny Bishop Vice President
Beth Dodson Treasurer
Dawn DiLorenzo President
Dave Daiker Freshman VP
Barb Warne Communication
Jen Daiker Secretary

Secretary: Jen Daiker presented minutes from the June meeting for approval and asked to suspend May's minutes approval until the next meeting. Carol Gandee motioned to approve minutes from June, Keri Rampton second. Minutes from May's meeting will be approved in September.

Treasurer: Beth Dodson – uniform fees have been the main money in so far this year

- Keri Rampton motion to approve. Susan Timberlin, Christy Lutz second

- All spiritwear thru upbeat club not Liberty Sportswear. Issues with last years spiritwear budget was due to parents ordering directly from Liberty and then upbeat club billed.

Thirty One:

- 20% of the top, donated gift items to raffle off at Jazz n Cakes
- Competition among grades. Seniors leading freshman. Nothing from juniors or sophmores

Tag Day: Megan Barr

- August 26. Very low on drivers. Need 100 drivers to be successful.
- 8:00 – 2:00. Biggest fundraiser of the year.
- \$15000 towards uniform fund anything above goes into discretionary fund

Pit Crew Update:

- Need volunteers, fun group, don't have to work every game
- Need to replace tire on trailers and other supplies.
- Chester Pawlowski motioned to approve \$750.00 for pit crew supplies and trailer maintenance. Keri Rampton, Shirley Wong Liong

Clarinet Instruction: Kevin Moorman motioned to approve \$2000 to bring in clarinet instructors to help transition students to clarinet from other instruments. Carol Gandee second. Motion carried.

Kroger: Sign up every April for Kroger community rewards. Page on website with links

Amazon Smiles: Attach band to your account.

Spirit wear: No online orders yet. Initial sales are good.

Mattress Sale:

- 10th year
- September 16, 10am-5pm
- Parents just need to spread the word, no cost to band.
- can be sold out of state, can be sold before sale

Uno's:

- November 19th Band takes over Uno's and works all areas.
- students need to sell 6 tickets for \$15 each
- Parents and band members work
- Looking for organizational help

Band Camp Rap Up:

- Increased volunteers to cover all three weeks.
- Looking volunteers to lead volunteers for a few days and take more of a volunteer leadership role for next year

Marching Band Uniforms

- Hemmers needed
- Fittings went smoothly
- Need XXL Shakos, 3 more would be ideal. Money already in budget.

Concert Band Uniforms:

- Need 2 volunteers to shadow this year to take over next year.
- May have sizing issues may need more
- Winds Tuxedos 10 years old and purchased used
- Concert band pants/bibs need to be replaced
- 6-10 Volunteers needed to sew buttons & hem - contact Patricia Scott

Taste of Music

- Gretchen Eckerle and Ruth working together
- Rusty Bucket, Chili's, Raising Canes, no dates yet.

Communications

- Debbie, Dave and Barb communication team
- Charms, Facebook, Remind, Website
- Find links on website to stay and get connected
- Calendar issues, Dave D is looking into
- Travel code for Indy trip needed

Volunteer Positions Needed: Band Camp, Bus Chaperones, Concert Uniforms, Jazz n Cakes, Solo and Ensemble, Solo and Ensemble Concessions, Split the Pot, Swing Dance co-chair, After Prom and Try-Band Co-Chair,

Football Games: Limited band volunteers admitted to games for free this year. Working with Mr. Card to settle on number. Must be on signup and have official badge to get in for free.

September 16 Chaperones needed. Bellbrook Competition.

Motion to close: Keri, Susan Timberlin second.

Submitted by: Jen Daiker

