

WHITE KNOLL BAND MEETING MINUTES

December 6, 2007

- I. Meeting opened with prayer by James Thompson
- II. Minutes were not available at this special meeting. Ms Mayer addressed the booster club and explained that she had no further info. re. Mr. Pace but as soon as a decision was made it would be released. Looking at what's best for students. Hoping a resolution would come relatively soon. NY trip is still on. No questions were taken.
- III. Treasurer's report was not available.
- IV. **Committee Reports:**
 - a. **Chaperone:** Sonya Ouzts said the color guard sched. is here. Starting to line up chaperones.
 - b. **Equipment:** Porter Young said nothing is going on at this time. Let him know if you want to help next year.
 - c. **Uniform:** Shermie Brown said don't cut your tux or gown to make alterations.
 - d. **USC Concessions:** Chris Davis sent board around to sign up for Obama/Oprah event Sunday. CT 9:30am gates close at 10:00am. Event 2-4pm. Expect 30,000 people. Pls. volunteer for Kenny Chesney in April at Williams Bryce.
 - e. **School Concessions:** Ray Stafford said we have a HS concession night of Christmas concert. Would like guard to help out and work that night. Thanks for help during football.
 - f. **Hospitality:** Becky Wise asked again for finger food for Christmas concert the 13th. Fewer sweets, more smokies.
 - g. **Ways and Means:** Ray Stafford reported 1042 cases of fruit sold. Tiana' Armour was the top seller. Fruit expected Dec 12th. Don't know where pick up is yet. Have preliminary numbers to know where you stand, see Ray to find out.
 - h. **Historian:** Betty Barna said she needs a frame for Lower State photo.
 - i. **Communications:** Bill Barna said Sr's turn in your pictures.
 - j. **Color Guard:** Lisa Harrington said they need seamstresses to help hem uniforms. Girls send in \$ for bags & track suits. Can order new flag bag if you want to.
- V. **Old Business:** none
- VI. **New Business:** Spoke about NY trip. Need to firm up a list. Major prep needs to be made in next week. Need everyone's email address. Info will go out but it is still preliminary. In two-three weeks should have definite agenda. It is a 12 hour drive plus a couple of stops. Leaving early that morning like 4-5am ish. Staying in East Rutherford New Jersey. Student responsible for their own breakfast at home and bring \$ for lunch and dinner that day. NO meals covered the day out. Rest of days breakfast is covered. 27th, 28th and 29th meals are covered. On way back student is responsible for lunch and dinner if we stop. Thurs. 27th is Rockefeller, Radio City, St Pat's Cath. We have a tour director. Want to go to ground zero. Fri. probably Ellis Isl. day. If want to serve on trip comm. see James Thompson. Rooming list up soon. 4 students to a room. Bus list will go up also. Sr's 1st choice. Sun. Mar 31 leave early. Broadway show is booked. Lion King. Lot of students behind in fees. Must get caught up. Carnegie Hall is Thurs. Spectators dress as you choose. Band fees must be paid before you can go. Dec 14th next trip payment is due.
- VII. **Band Directors Comments:**
 - a. Chris Bussell thanked everyone for attending.
 - b. Working on music for Carnegie Hall. Using pre-determined list.
 - c. Any questions or concerns email Mr Bussell.
 - d. It has been an honor to work with your students, they are top notch.
- VIII. Next meeting is January 14th . Meeting adjourned.

