

# MINUTES – SEMNOLE HIGH SCHOOL BAND PARENT ASSOCIATION BOARD MEETING

June 8, 2010

ATTENDING:	P.L. Malcolm	Band Director
	Andrea Newhouse	Band Director
	Cherie Heckford	President - Secretary
	Scott Smith	Vice President - President
	Kiera Guarino	Treasurer – Accounts Receivable
		Uniform Chair
	Michele Wawoe	Treasurer – Student Accounts
	David Darby	Secretary – Vice President
	Kathy Galvin	London Trip Committee Chair – 10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Rep
		Alumni Chair
	Gary Vogel	
	Joe Heckford	
	Chris Carrol	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Rep
	Shelly Coker	Accounts Receivable
	Sallie Clark	Accounts Payable
	Ron Logan	
	David Brendle	Photo Chair
	Dan Halvarsen	Equipment Chair
	Maria Caulder	Spirit wear Co-Chair
	Rich McGilvray	Spirit Wear Chair
	Yamilet Torres	Fundraising Chair
	Kevin Fletcher	Website Chair
	Penny Fletcher	Photo Chair – Photo Committee

## Pre-meeting discussions:

Budget comments:

Snow cones were a big success. 75 percent of income was profit.

Spirit Wear was considered a failure. Only 16% of income was profit.

Journey thru Jazz:

Ron Logan is interested in heading this up.

Regarding profitability, Journey Thru Jazz was not successful this year. It was suggested that we look back at the last two years and determine what was done differently to affect the number of people that attended this event.

Interaction with football team:

Ron stated that he feels that the band needs to develop close ties with the football team.

**Meeting was called to order:**

**Cherie Heckford opened the meeting at 6:33 p.m.**

Cherie's Comments:

Cherie thanked the board members for their efforts during the previous year. She also thanked all of the new band board and band chair members for volunteering and accepting a spot on the board.

May Meeting Minutes:

Scott Smith motioned to accept the May Meeting Minutes. Michele Wawoe seconded the motion. All attending agreed with the motion.

Band Director's Comments:

P.L. Malcolm thanked everyone for their help this past year and for helping during the coming year. He spoke of the school's rich history and the success of the band. Mr. Malcolm clarified that when he speaks of the band it includes the parents and volunteers. Mr. Malcolm stated that we have tremendous parents and that we are all here to make things better.

Photo Committee:

Things we need to do to support the Photo Committee:

- Schedule a day for photos and take pictures before the students get sweaty.
- Notify the students in advance so they are prepared to have there picture taken

Penny Fletcher and Dave Brendle were asked to meet with Scott Smith to organize a picture day.

### Band Banquet:

Date: 5/28

The photo booth was a huge success. The venue worked out really well. It was a step up from previous years. The students had a great time.

It should be noted that the students would like to have parents that are not chaperoning leave after dinner and awards. Secondly, students were permitted to leave the hotel. Being a school event, students should not be permitted to leave until they are going home.

CD of the Band Banquet:

Discussion arose about whether or not seniors should have to pay for CDs.

David Darby motioned to provide a CD of the Band Banquet, to each of the seniors free of charge. Dan Halvarson seconded the motion and all in attendance agreed with the motion.

### Fundraising:

Cook Books:

Kathy Galvin announced that cookbooks will be available all summer long. There are about 700 cookbooks that remain to be sold.

Winghouse Carwash:

This fundraiser will be pursued next year.

Cruise fundraiser:

This year the cruise fundraiser was not very successful. The band only sold about 550 tickets out of 2,000. It was suggested that next year we run the fundraiser during football season and give away the free cruise at the last football game.

Concession Stands:

Scott Smith informed the board that he will be attending the athletic booster meetings to sign up for concessions during the next football season.

Amway Arena:

We were turned down for the Amway Arena

Maria Calder said that she would look into why we were turned down.

Snow Cones:

Snow cone were extremely profitable this year. Thanks to all who came up with the idea of getting a snow cone machine. Cherie Heckford was among the group who came up with the idea. It was stated that we should make an effort to get every parent to take at least one shift selling snow cones.

Volunteer recognition:

Yamilet mentioned that we should look at giving recognition to volunteers.

Scott Smith added to that, saying that maybe we could have a volunteer of the week.

Band Camp:

July 29<sup>th</sup>

9AM – 1PM:

Leadership

7PM:

11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grade registration

July 30<sup>th</sup>

9AM – 1PM:

Leadership

7PM:

9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> grade registration

July 31<sup>st</sup>

9AM – 1PM:

Freshmen and Leadership

Band Camp:

August 2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>

9AM – 9PM

**WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!**

Scott Smith will lay-out spots where volunteers are needed and inform parents. Scott expressed to the board that this is a great opportunity for you to spend time with your child.

**Board transition:**

Cherie Heckford handed over the reigns to Scott Smith at 7:35PM.

Scott Smith thanked all of the volunteers from the previous year and welcomed the new members. He expressed that he is excited about the coming year.

Cherie motioned to adjourn the meeting. Dan Halvarsen seconded the motion and everyone attending agreed with the motion.