



Chippewa Valley Boosters – Band and Color guard

Chippewa Valley High School
18300 19 Mile Road
Clinton Township, MI 48038

Meeting Minutes

September 9, 2021 7:00 pm

- I. Call to Order – Meeting called to order at 7:00pm by Fritz Delinski.
- II. Director's Remarks – Mr. Hoey – 2021 Marching band show is "Music of Danny Elfman".
 - a. Marching Band – there are many upcoming performances, look for emails re: call-times and/or itineraries. Emails are usually sent approx. 1 week before. Attendance for practice has been great, thanks to parents for getting your student here.
 - i. Home Game vs Romeo – Friday 9/10. Call time is 6 pm at the school. Students wear summer uniforms. Game usually finishes are 9:15-10pm depending.
 - ii. Richmond Good Ole Days Parade – Sunday 9/12. Call time is 11:00am at the school. Students wear summer uniforms. Parade step off is 1:30pm, we will finish depending on placement in parade, recommend that students call parent on way home.
 - iii. SMB at Troy Athens High School – Saturday 9/25. Performance time is still unknown, typically in late afternoon. Look for email approx. 1 week prior to show for call time and itinerary. Students stay until end of show for awards.
 - iv. Homecoming – Friday 10/1. Students will stay afterschool to perform in Homecoming parade. Students wear summer uniforms for parade. Call time for game 6pm, food will be provided for students.
 - v. SMB at CVHS – Saturday 10/9. Students will perform last, then stay for awards. Look for email with call time.
 - b. Concert Band – Students should be bringing instruments to school daily; lockers will be made available next week for students to store instruments. Upcoming performances, look for emails with call times and itineraries.
 - i. MSBOA – will be either on 10/12 or 10/13, should know date approx. 2 weeks prior.
 - ii. Collage Concert – Tuesday 10/19. Please note that this date is different that on contracts, Dakota was not available on original date so had to be adjusted.

III. Regular Business

- a. Reading of the Minutes, minutes accepted with no corrections
- b. Treasurers Report - Any questions regarding Treasurer Report please email Vicki Schembri at cvhsbandtreasurer@gmail.com
 - i. Balance as of 8/31/2021 \$48,481.34
 1. Deposits – \$22,947.59 inc. band camp, apparel orders, Band-Aid, Bubbas, Kroger, and Amazon Smile
 2. Withdrawals - \$12,390.00 inc. Marching Band instruction payroll, apparel orders, scholarships, Band camp supplies
 - ii. Student fund \$17,697.00, no activity in student account since end of school year
- c. Fundraising – Diane VerdeZoto - Always looking for new ideas, please email Diane @ cvhsbbfundraising@gmail.com. Fundraising done is for all band students, including Marching Band, Color Guard, and all three Concert Bands. There are 2 types of fundraising done, general and individual. General fundraising: all money raised goes into the general fund to benefit the program as a whole. Individual fundraising: money raised by each student will be available to them to use toward bands trips, any money not used by the end of the student's involvement in the program will be donated to the general fund, no money will ever be refunded to students.
 - i. Butterbraids – (individual fundraiser) look for email, will start selling in October and should receive orders by Thanksgiving.
 - ii. Upcoming fundraising ideas
 1. Bed Sheet Sales
 2. Cookbook collaboration- would like to have together to sell at craft show
 3. Teddy Bears/Pillows made from old marching uniforms
 4. Blake's pies/jams – Nicole Byrd to investigate
 5. Double Good Popcorn
 6. Total Sports – Jeanine Bruwier to investigate

- d. Uniforms – Jennifer Sankiewicz - Uniform position is open, if you have any interest in learning this position, please contact Jennifer Sankiewicz: sankie71@gmail.com
 - i. Apparel – Hoodies have come in and will be distributed. Show shirts were handed out, most students received them. There are extra shirts available on a 1st come 1st serve basis. Contact Jennifer.
 - ii. Concert Band dresses have been ordered and have started to ship
 - iii. Tomorrow’s home game is “Purple Out” for cancer awareness. Marching band students will be given a purple ball cap to wear for game. Students are asked to donate \$5 which is given to the Believe Foundation who support Chippewa Valley families with cancer. All MB students will be given a cap regardless if they donated or not. Volunteers are need for tomorrow’s game to help distribute caps to students. (Vickie and Lynn volunteered).
 - iv. Helmet Racks- need to be ready by 9/25 – watch for email re: upcoming meeting on 9/16 for volunteers to help organize and learn to distribute for shows and games.
 - v. Volunteers needed for upcoming SMB show at Athens on 9/25 for uniforms and helmet racks. Please email Jennifer if you can help.

IV. New Business

- a. Band-Aid – this fundraiser was very successful, in no small part due to all the students who showed up, took multiple shifts and the parents who helped chaperone, drive and count. Thank-you, because of you Band-Aid raised: \$11,563.77 our highest ever! And thank-you to Fritz Delinski, Tim Hoey, and Todd Distelrath who fought to make this fundraiser possible.
- b. Disney Trip 2022 – Lisa Curtis, Chairperson – any questions please email Lisa at cvhsbbpresident@gmail.com with “Lisa Curtis Disney Trip” in the subject line
 - i. This trip is open to all band students including Marching Band, Color Guard, and all three Concert Bands and their families.
 - ii. Approximately 80 seats left, if interested look to band website or email Lisa for instruction forms. All transactions are done online with Bennett Travel including registration, deposit, payments, and insurance. While the initial deposit can not be made with student fundraising funds, the rest can – parent will need to fill out voucher (available in band room or on school website) and return to treasurer, Vicki Schembri.
 - iii. There is no final date for registration yet.

- c. Senior Night – This is a tradition where the parents & students of the seniors in the marching band are recognized on the field during half-time of the last game of the regular season.
 - i. Chairperson needed – chairperson coordinates invitations, flowers, pictures and parents and students on field
 - ii. Please contact Vicki at cvhsbandtreasurer@gmail.com to volunteer.
 - d. SMB Show at CVHS – Thea Cooper/Mike Passmore Chairpersons
 - i. Meeting tonight prior to Booster Meeting went well, will have another meeting prior to show on 10/9.
 - ii. Look to sign-up Genius for volunteer opportunities
 - e. General Volunteerism – This program is all volunteer based, and a ton of involvement is needed from our Band Booster parents to make it a successful program. *If your student is part of the Marching Band, Color Guard or any of the 3 Concert Bands you ARE a Band Booster* and we need your help. All games, performances, parades, concerts need parent volunteers to help with coordination of students, uniforms, and instruments. If you are available for any show/performance/concert or game date please show up, there will be a place for you to help.
 - f. 9/10 Home Game v Romeo
 - i. Volunteers needed to set up stadium for Marching Band/Color Guard students. Meet at 4:30 pm in front of stadium to help.
 - ii. Tailgate – please join us for a booster tailgate prior to the game. All Band/Color Guard families are invited to join us in the East Parking lot around 5:15pm for hotdogs/hamburgers. Food donation welcome but not needed to participate in Tailgate. Hope to see you there.
- V. Next Meeting October 7th @ 7pm. Please note that this is a week earlier than typical Booster meetings.

VI. Schedule of Upcoming Events

- 9/10 (Fri) Home game vs Romeo
- 9/12 (Sun) Richmond Good Ole Days Parade
- 9/25 (Sat) SMB show @ Troy Athens HS
- 10/1 (Fri) Home game vs Stevenson HS (homecoming)
- 10/7 (Thurs) Booster Meeting 7pm
- 10/9 (Sat) SMB show @ Chippewa Valley HS
- 10/12-10/13 MSBOA Show at Chippewa Valley HS
- 10/15 (Fri) Home game vs Utica (senior night)
- 10/19 (Tues) Collage concert @ Dakota HS
- 10/23 (Sat) SMB show @ Brandon HS
- 11/11 (Thurs) Booster Meeting 7pm
- 11/13 (Sat) Craft Show
- 11/25 (Thurs) Thanksgiving Day Parade
- 12/7 (Tues) Holiday concert
- 12/9 (Thurs) Booster Meeting 7pm
- See schedule on-line – www.cvhs-bands.com

VII. Meet Adjourned – motion to adjourn was made at 8:01pm by Fritz Delinski and was accepted by Nancy Vanloon & Jennifer Sankiewicz

VIII. Attendees: Nancy Vanloon, Kari Grady, Don Cooper, Thea Cooper, Lisa McGraw, Jennifer Sankiewicz, Kelly Eldred, Sarah Johnstone, Jason Thomas, Nicole Thomas, Mike Durak, Grace Pluszczynski, Deanna Smith, Jeanine Bruwier, Ashley Barrett, Sue Clark, Nicole Byrd, Julie Havard, Jennifer Cleland, John Monsour, Stephanie McGuffey, Erik Harriman, Susan Harriman, Hillam, Mantull, Lisa Curtis, Fritz Delinski, Lynn O’Neil, Carla Knotts, Vicki Schembri, Vickie Pelkey, Diane VerdeZoto

IX. Respectfully submitted by Carla Knotts

2020/2021 Band Booster Board Members

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