



Chippewa Valley Boosters – Band and Color Guard

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

Meeting Minutes for November 8, 2023 7:00 pm

- I. Call to Order – Meeting called to order at 7:02 by Jeremy Suydam
- II. Director’s Remarks – Mr. Hoey
 - a. Chippewa Valley Football game on Friday, 11/10 will only be a pep band since many students are involved in the high school musical and craft show volunteers. They will play from the stands with section leaders performing the national anthem.
 - b. Marching band practice to prepare for Detroit Thanksgiving parade will be Tuesday, Thursday, and following Tuesday from 3:00 – 4:30 pm. WDIV will be out to record and interview MB students for their special airing on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving.
 - c. Lisa Passmore: Establishing a \$500 College Marching Band Reimbursement Scholarship
 - i. Marching band in high school & college is a large part of Passmore family; they want to recognize the importance of responsibility, teamwork, and discipline that extends far beyond the football field or parade route.
 - ii. To encourage members to continue their marching experience while attending college.
 - iii. Designed to reimburse and offset costs of some of extra expenses associated with first year-shoes, gloves, uniform parts and more.
 - iv. To apply, submit essay explaining how being involved in high school marching band impacted H.S. experience and how it would impact college experience & future.
- III. Regular Business
 - a. Reading of the Minutes – October Minutes Accepted
 - b. Treasurers Report for October– Vicki Schembri
 - i. Beginning Balance as of 9/30/23 is \$27, 867.65.
 1. Deductions of \$14,031.15 include SMB entry fees, NY trip payments (student accounts), Crafter refunds, MSBOA & HoCo Band Dinner, Tax prep filing fee, MB hoodies, jackets, bags, SMB Program printing, WG dues & competition fees, Dep. Item returned 2x, SMB expenses, Bleacher covers, craft show expenses, CVHS

shortfall between MB instructional camp dues collected, misc cups, water bottles & MB snacks

2. Deposits of \$20, 397.81 include Vertical Raise Fundraiser, Net SMB receipts, SMB Ad Sales, "Purple Out" Donations, Net MSBOA tickets sold,

3. Ending Balance as of 10/31/23 is \$34, 234.31

ii. Motion accepted for Treasurer Report.

iii. Any questions regarding Treasurer Report/Student accounts please email Vicki Schembri at cvhsbandtreasurer@gmail.com.

c. Uniforms – Jennifer Sankiewicz- absent, no update

IV. Old Business

a. SMB: Weather was raining but still had a decent turnout for event.

b. Winter Guard: Jeremy will be going to CV9 for a winter guard parent meeting this evening to answer any questions.

c. Business Office: It was approved to increase Mr. Hoey's equipment funds to \$10,000 to replace necessary band equipment.

d. Parent Meet & Greet 11/17: 3 Blind Mice at 8:00 pm to meet parents and listen to music.

V. New Business

a. Fundraising Update:

i. Sheet Sale due Friday 11/10/23. Please send orders into school and have student put into red box in band room. Projected pickup will be a week after Thanksgiving on Wednesday and also before Holiday band Concert.

ii. There will not be a calendar fundraiser this year.

iii. Butter braids fundraiser will start around Thanksgiving with a pickup before Christmas.

iv. SMB program ad sale, sheets sale and Butter braids sale will be good to apply towards NT student trip.

b. Craft Show: Please bring friends/family to volunteer for Friday night setup. Pizza will be for volunteers around 5:30 pm.

c. Thanksgiving Day Parade: Approximated call time 8:00 am subject to change.

- d. MB Holiday Party: December 8th from 6:00-9:00 pm in CVHS cafeteria. Invites will be sent out soon. Students who have been in Marching Band for 2 years receive a letter, 4 years receive a plaque. There will be food, music and awards.
- e. Scholarship Fundraiser: Event to be early next year February or March, 2024. Will need basket raffle donations, volunteers. Emails will be sent out first of the year.

VI. Schedule of Upcoming Events

- a. 11/11 Holiday Craft Show
- b. 11/23 Thanksgiving Day Parade
- c. 12/5 Holiday Band Concert
- d. 12/8 Marching Band Holiday Party
- e. 12/14 Band Booster Meeting 7:00 pm
- f. See schedule on-line – www.cvhs-bands.com

VII. Meet Adjourned – motion to adjourn was made at 7:40 pm and was accepted

Attendees: Lisa McGraw, Vickie Pelkey, Jeanine Bruwier, Jeremy Suydam, Stephen Jorgensen, Amy Garisi, Dianne Akabli, Vicki Schembri, Stephanie McGuffey, Stephanie Jorgensen, Lisa Holte, Aimee Poole, Kim Suydam, Susan & Erik Harriman, Donald Aldea, Kelly Eldred, Sanaa Tobia, Caroline Litsair, Peter C. Gaudet, Jennifer Cleland

Respectfully submitted by Victoria Pelkey

2023/2024 Band Booster Board Members

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