



Meeting Minutes for November 9, 2017 meeting

- President's Report
 - FLAMB representation at concerts – Attended Big Sing and Hauntcert
 - Spoke about the Boosters and help needed
 - Talked about Mattress Sale
 - Partnering with Jr Hi Music Teachers
- Vice President's Report
 - Holiday Gigs – Mr Livermore will have about 7 dates to share with Holly by the end of the week
 - Quartets and small groups go to play at restaurants for tips
 - Need parents to call local restaurants to set up the gigs
 - Need parents to supervise dates
 - Facebook page – Created a FL Boosters Facebook page - FL Music Boosters-FLAMB
 - Will post information regarding concerts and fundraisers
- Secretary's Report –
 - Web site updated with October meeting minutes and fundraising opportunities
 - Mr Livermore requested to send Mattress Sale information to schools for daily announcements
 - Laura requested to add link about the Music apparel sales from Forest Lake Apparel
 - Research safe options and costs for next meeting
- Treasurer's Report
 - Have made all but recent deposits for Nashville trip – approx \$19K
 - Candy bar money deposited – approximately \$6200 – other deposits still to be made
 - Use of Quickbook – May have to look at a more deluxe version
 - Report on safe – still being looked into – One bigger one for the HS and possibly another smaller one for the Jr Highs (soon to be consolidated)
- Fundraising Report
 - Election of Fundraising Chair – In need of a chair
 - Becky Mcelhone volunteered
 - Julie Pryzbilla – motioned to approve
 - Motioned approved
 - Current Fundraisers: Candy bars – sales going really well – more just ordered
 - \$60 per box - \$28.50 goes into the student account - \$2 per bar
 - Upcoming fundraisers: Butter Braids and Coffee -- kickoff next week – Tuesday
 - Butter Braids – Holly will take the orders from the students, Kari Carlson will input
 - Will need a parent to help hand out when the orders come in
 - Dueling Pianos fundraising event - Friday, 1/19 at FL American Legion from 7-10
 - Becky and Holly talked to Vicky at the American Legion
 - Reserved the bigger room – no charge
 - Can decorate however we would like – Maroon and Gold
 - Would like to have a silent auction or a 50/50 raffle
 - Silent auction would require more work
 - Will require more discussion
 - Can get a keg of beer – tickets \$3 / \$1 goes to FLAMB
 - Can hire a bartender - \$100
 - Food – Spaghetti or Taco buffet - \$5 - \$7 per ticket
 - If food is offered – all set up/clean up done by Music students/parents
 - Popcorn Machine – sell bowls/bags
 - Laura asked that we decide what are we raising funds for?
 - New music trailer or Nashville costs?
 - Charlie O – cost \$1200, but donates all tips to FLAMB
 - Tickets - \$20 per person

- Will need parent volunteers to help with planning and night of event
- Mattress sale -- Sunday, November 12, at Stella's
 - Keep spreading the word!
 - Sign up on Sign Up Genius to work the event
 - Motion made to take \$25 from funds raised to go into the account for those that work the sale.
 - Julie Pryzbilla motioned to approve
 - Motion passed
- Rootbeer Floats
 - Sign Up Genius full thru March – openings in April and May
 - Big Sing was a huge success
- Lakes Apparel donates a portion of all music merchandise sales to FLAMB
 - Orders can be placed from now until 1/1 through the Lakes Apparel web site
- Todd Proulx offered up another fundraising opportunity
 - Anoka County Credit Union has an annual Walk in May – FL students could participate
 - Every penny raised goes back to the group it was pledged to
- Old Business
 - Nashville trip update
 - Second payment was due on 11/1
 - Mr Livermore provided updated list of registered students to Treasurer, Julie Corcoran
 - Funding requests follow-up from Oct. – Julie C has requests and will pay them
 - Trailer update – Music trailer to be looked at to be repaired or replaced
 - Russ Janke, Central Trailer Sales, will look at the trailer and will provide an estimate of what it will cost to repair or replace the trailer
 - Coordinating drop off of trailer at CTS with school administration
 - “Team” photos – Todd Proulx – TLC Digital
 - Does all of the local sports pictures
 - Don't normally do fundraisers, but we could do a poster
 - Never done music group photos, but could do on concert nights
 - All photos are available to the web site and school
 - Would put out a backdrop – single or group photos
 - Would provide the order forms
 - Doing Monday's 9th grade concert
 - Will submit all orders at once and they will all come back at once
 - Scholarship committee members – Rachael Gould is heading this up
 - Laura Livermore advised that Stephanie Ward is a good contact to get more info on scholarship funds
 - Parent Liason with JH music teachers –
 - Need parent volunteers to help with move when the two schools combine and other items
 - TriM may be able to help with this
- New Business
 - Funding requests – Upcoming request to potentially help to pay for busses for Jr High field trip to Orchestra Hall

James Pottry motioned to adjourn @7:40

- Rachael Gould seconded

Next meeting dates: All parents of Forest Lake Area Schools music students are members of FLAMB. They are invited and encouraged to attend monthly meetings on the second Thursday of each month at 6:30 in the music department at FLHS.

Contact the directors for any information or questions regarding the trip:

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