TTBP General Membership Meeting Minutes

February 14, 2022 MOD Pizza, Newport News

Executive Board In-Attendance: Christina Zetterwall (President), Scott Luers (Treasurer), Jennifer Johnson (Secretary), and Ben Lawson (Director), Nicole Tetrault (VP of Fundraising)

General Membership Attendance: Steve Tackett, Charles Yuhas, Emily Cooke, Karla Covington, Ronald Long, Sarah Brogan

Christina Zetterwall

Call to Order: 7:15pm

*Request approval for January Meeting Minutes; Approved by Nicole Tetrault and Steve Tackett

Christina Zetterwall for Liz Coffey (Absent)

*Troopsters Outreach Program

- -Still in need of donations! Donations accepted until February 28
- -Please bring donations to THS **NOT** Liz Coffey's house!
- *Relay For Life May 1
 - -Volunteer opportunity for students; More info coming soon!

Nicole Tetrault

*Annual Shoe Drive begins March 1; More info coming soon!

Scott Luers

- *Checking Acct...\$29,330.34
- *Money Market Acct...\$30,842.61

Jennifer Johnson

- *Watch for info coming soon on the Percy Ironmonger Scholarship
 - -\$500 reward for any senior planning on pursuing music (in any capacity) in college
 - -Recipient will be announced at the Awards Banquet in May

Christina Zetterwall

- *Volunteer hours for the month of January were approx. 100 by 7 volunteers!
- *Asked Karla Covington about Yearbooks
 - -Still accepting photo submissions; please email any photos you'd like included in the yearbook directly to Karla Covington

Christina Zetterwall (Cont'd)

- -Link is open for placing orders for the yearbook; Price increases on March 1!
- *Open Volunteer Positions for the 2022-2023 school year
 - -Communications Chair
 - -Social Media Chair (Could be combined with Communications Chair)
 - -Photography Chair (Books/plans portrait session during band camp)
- *Spirit Wear orders are in; please contact Mr. Lawson if you have not received your order yet
- *Garage door installation process has begun!
 - -Mr. Lawson:
 - > Working with Doors & More
 - >Windows will have to be removed before garage door can be installed
 - >Will require fire and life safety codes approval

Ben Lawson

- *Pre-Assessment Rehearsals
 - -February 22, 3:30-5:30 (Symphonic Band ONLY)
 - -February 24, 3:30-5:30 (Concert Band ONLY)
 - -March 1, 3:30-5:30 (BOTH Symphonic and Concert Bands)
- *Pre-Assessment Concert
 - -March 8, 6:00 pm (Student Show Time; in concert attire); Concert Begins at 6:30
- *Assessment Concert
 - -March 25, Heritage HS (Newport News); Student Show Time TBD
 - -Concert and Symphonic Bands will perform
- *Jazz Band Assessment
 - -April 26 @ THS (during school day)
- *Rising 9th Grade Parent Meeting
 - -Thursday, February 17, 7:00 @ THS
- *IMPORTANT CHANGES FOR UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR
 - -In order to align with YCSD policy and to have the maximum number of students in band
 - -CURRENT THS STUDENTS (9, 10, 11): Marching Band will remain optional until they graduate

Ben Lawson (Cont'd)

- -RISING 9th GRADERS (Beginning with the Class of '26): Marching Band will be mandatory
- -Questions regarding the changes to band, please contact Mr. Lawson
- *Possibly be adding a Percussion Class (in addition to Concert, Symphonic & Jazz)
- *Audition info for Symphonic & Jazz bands will be coming out in late April
 - -Students will have 2 weeks to submit
- *Band Camp 2022 dates will be released after the YCSD Calendar is approved
- *After-School rehearsals will be Tuesdays & Thursdays, 3:30-6:00
- *Fall camp late September/early October
- *Tag Day TBD (once football schedule is released)

Meeting Adjourned: 8:00pm

Next Meeting: Monday, March 14, 7:00pm