

## **New Bremen Cardinal Music Boosters Regular Meeting Minutes– August 27, 2012**

**The August meeting** of the New Bremen Cardinal Music Boosters was held on Monday, August 27, 2012 in the community Room of the New Bremen High School. Presidents Tina Travis and Carla Bertke called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

**Present at the meeting:** Tina Travis & Carla Bertke, Co-Presidents; Chris Bowers, Vice President; Teresa Heitkamp, Secretary; Shelley Dicke, Treasurer; Ryan Yahl, Director of Bands; Patty Ruckman, Director of Choirs; Pam Schulze; Tina Maurer; Cheryl Dawson; Teresa Schroer; Howard Overman ; Pam Kaiser; Cassy & Dave Irick; Rene Paul; Diane Koenig and Tim Bertke .

Howard Overman, Superintendent of New Bremen Schools spoke about the importance of the boosters and parents being involved.

**Secretaries Report:**

**Approval of Minutes:**

**Treasurers Report:** Shelley Dicke presented the monthly financial report and bills to be paid.

Shelley is authorized to pay bills as they are presented.

Motion by, Tina Maurer, second by Pam Schulze to approve the financial report. Motion carried.

Motion by, Teresa Schroer, second by Diane Koenig to pay bills presented. Motion carried.

### **29<sup>th</sup> Annual Cardinal Marching Band Invite**

13 bands signed to perform.

Ryan gave a brief rundown of what the invite is.

Starts at 6. Should be done by 11:30 or 12.

Fundraiser for boosters. Hope to make a profit this year.

- Concessions-Carla Bertke
- Tabulation-Richter's will do, possible Feltz's
- Ryan will take of videoing
- Parking-Tim Bertke, Roger Rutschilling and Mike Flaute needs 6 helpers
- Bleacher control-Pam Kaiser will head
- Band gates-Tim Bertke will also do
- Judges meal-Teresa Heitkamp & Tina Travis will head
- Finance-Shelley Dicke
- Program sales-
- Ticket booth/stampers- Chris Bowers
- Signs and advertizing-Shelley Dicke
- Runner-Nita McKinney?, Cassy Irick

Discussion about what food to serve at concessions.

**Old Business:**

### **Spirit Committee**

- Diane Koenig spoke about what the committee does.
- Locker decorations get food together for kids to eat before contests.
- Need more people to help.
- Maybe get 2 committees, one band and one choir to make it easier to accomplish.
- Lisa Davidson is co-chairing.
- Always need people to help make cookies and get bags together.

## **Uniforms**

Wendy called and said need help with choir uniforms.

## **Baseball Concessions**

- Thanks to Pam Schulze and Chris Bowers for all their hard work.
- Made a profit this year.

## **New Business:**

### **Choir Director Report:**

- Henry Linniman selected to all state choir. Henry will perform with 200 plus high school students at the Ohio Music education's Association Professional Conference which will be held in Columbus, February 7-9, 2013.
- Henry Linniman also performed at the anthem at the opening ceremonies at Bremenfest.
- Fall Musical Review Sunday October 27<sup>th</sup> "Broadway and Beyond" at 7:30pm. Featuring music from Rock of Ages, Lion King, Newsies, Mama Mia, Footloose, and more.
- 115 students in 2 high school choirs
- Students will be fitted for uniforms starting Wednesday, August 29<sup>th</sup>.
- Choir officers: Caleb Ball- president, Alex Feltz-vice-president; Patrick Keyes-secretary; Jill McClurg-treasurer,
- Choir notes for students are still being worked on.
- Officers will be willing to help with spirit committee.

### **Band Director Report:**

- Leadership met on July 16 and 17.
- On July 17<sup>th</sup> freshman were brought in and other new members. This was a very good thing. Started to work very well together.
- First rehearsal was July 17.
- On July 31, 23 students went to the DCI show in Dublin, OH. It was a great time and the students enjoyed seeing show bands.
- August 6-10 was band camp week. Once again the weather cooperated. The students worked hard and a lot was accomplished. Thank you to the Boosters and parents for providing lunch again on the last day.
- Bremenfest Parade was our first outing and everything went well.
- Parent Preview night went well. The crowd was great.
- First football game was not exactly what we wanted. But was dealt with and the students were able to have their break during half-time.
- First home football game will be this Friday. With it being the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of New Bremen Football there will be a tailgate and the band will perform at this. Discussion was held and it was decided to have pizza for the band members starting at 4:30.
- Homecoming is September 14, trying to get an Alumni Band together to perform.
- BGSU Stroh show will be September 29 or November 17.
- Middle school band started to play today. There are 27 members in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade, 36 in the 7<sup>th</sup> grade, 50 in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade and 35 in the 5<sup>th</sup> grade.
- Thanks for getting marching band uniforms together

**Motion to adjourn by Shelley Dicke seconded Cassy Irick. Meeting adjourned at 8:20.**

### **Next meeting:**

September 24, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. in the New Bremen High School Community Room.

Respectfully submitted, Teresa Heitkamp secretary.