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July 10, 2018 @ 7:00pm

**Welcome-** Each member present introduced him/herself. 26 members were present. Director Bill Kirsch was present.

**Mission Statement-** President Doreen Grap explained the purpose of our organization. The Music Boosters is a 501(C)(3), nonprofit organization. We are comprised of a group of parents, alumni, grandparents, and others who have an interest in the music programs and the students of SWHS.

Our purpose is to:

- Provide financial support through fundraising.
- Secure volunteers and provide chaperones for music department activities and events.
- Encourage active parent participation and support in all music department activities.
- Promote the value of music in our school district and community.

1. Secretary's report

- Approved minutes from May meeting. Trish Hedrick motioned and Deb Jemison seconded the approval of the minutes. Membership approved the minutes of May's general meeting's minutes.

2. Treasurer's report

- Approved treasury report from end of June... Joann Flickinger motioned and Marie Roller seconded the approval of the minutes. Membership approved the treasurer's report presented (Ending June 2018).

3. Tri-M Rep-Alexis Seidensticker, president of the Tri-M Honor Society for the 2018-2019, shared some activities that the music honor society is planning.

#### 4. 60/40 Split

- Proceeds from the profits of fundraising opportunities will be split with 60% credited to the student's trip account and 40% to the Music Boosters.
- Fundraising opportunities are listed with a 60/40 split if it is applicable.

#### 5. 2018-2019 Fundraising

- A list of scheduled fundraising opportunities and dates for the 2018-2019 school year was given to the membership.
- Currently running fundraisers are Spirit Cards, candy bar sales and McDonald cards.

#### 6. Spirit Cards

- Chair: Holly Culp ... card are available immediately. Please see Bill Kirsch for cards. Please have the word VOID on the card (example on the booster website) if posting on social media due to individuals trying to duplicate the card illegally.

#### 7. Water Donation

- We are in need of cases of water. We are requesting 35 count of 16.9oz bottles... as well as the 8oz bottles.
- Our students go through so much water during band competitions, choir performances, and rehearsals.
- All donations can be dropped off in the music suite.

#### 8. Clearances & Badges

- Please refer to the following link [http://www.swsd.k12.pa.us/SW\\_out-opp\\_volunteers.htm](http://www.swsd.k12.pa.us/SW_out-opp_volunteers.htm) on how to obtain your volunteer clearances and badge.

9. Sign up Genius

- Please refer to our website [www.swmusicboosters.org](http://www.swmusicboosters.org) and click on “Help Sign Ups” then click on “Click Here” next to Volunteers 2018-2019 committees to see all of different ways you can get involved and help support your student’s musical talents. A list was given to the membership asking for help. We are in need of many of chair/co-chair persons. Information packets of the event will assist any chairs/co-chairs of an event.

10. Legacy Club

- Please consider becoming a member of the Legacy Club. All donations go directly to back to the music department to support our kids. This Club is for current students, alumni, and businesses. Please refer to our website for more information.

## **MARCHING BAND**

11. Marching Band Show

- “Sterrennacht” which is the Dutch translation of Starry Night

12. Marching Band Fees

- Band members will be charged a flat fee of \$100 to cover all marching band required shirts for football games and competitions, show shoes, gloves, evening meals for the first week of band camp (August 6-9), and other required items needed for the marching band season.

13. Band Bash

- Thursday, August 2, 2018 from 4pm – 8pm at Kids Kingdom on Grandview Road. Robin Ballou is the Chair and is **in need of clean up help and coolers**. Please contact Robin to sign up to help!

14. Band Camp

August 6-9 & 13-14 (9am-9pm)

August 10 (9am-5pm)

August 15 &16 (5pm-9pm)

15. Band Camp Desserts  
Mon 8/6 Seniors  
Tue 8/7 Juniors  
Wed 8/8 Sophomores  
Thurs 8/9 Freshman  
Any leftover desserts will be used on 8/13 & 8/14

16. MB Picture Day                      Wednesday, August 15 (6pm)

17. Meet the Band Night/ Ice Cream Social
- Thursday, August 16<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 (Robin Ballou-Chair)

18. Showcase
- Saturday, October 13, 2018. Tom & Deb Jemison/Chairs and Neil & Sue Gross/Co-Chair.
  - A brief meeting regarding showcase was held after general booster meeting was adjourned.

Director's Comments:

- Bill Kirsch encouraged parents to get involved. Parents are encouraged to sign up for a CHARMS account, which is the program that will send the important emails (many during a week), trip accounts, fundraising balances, etc.

Tom Jemison motioned to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Keith Garrett. Meeting adjourned at 8:15pm.

**Upcoming Dates:**

Aug 2<sup>nd</sup>- Band Bash  
Aug 6<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> – Band Camp 9am-9pm  
Aug 10<sup>th</sup> – Band Camp 9am-5pm  
Aug 15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> – Band Camp 5pm-9pm  
Aug 15<sup>th</sup> – March Band Pictures 6pm  
August 16<sup>th</sup> – Meeting the Band and Ice Cream Social 6:30pm-8:30pm  
Aug 20<sup>th</sup> – First day of school K-9  
Aug 21<sup>st</sup> - School in session K-12  
Aug 24<sup>th</sup> – SW vs. Gettysburg FB (Home)  
Aug 31<sup>st</sup> – SW vs. Chambersburg FB (Away)- School Closed

Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> – Labor Day – School Closed  
Sept 4<sup>th</sup> – Music Booster Meeting 7pm

**General Meeting August 7, 2018 at 7pm**