

**Desert Mountain Band Boosters  
General and Executive Committee Meeting Minutes  
January 18, 2018**

**Executive Committee Members Present:**

- Heidi Block, Patty Barnhart, Kathy Gottlieb, Sylvia Hom, Michelle Irvin, Dawn Marchant

**Members at Large Present:**

- Lisa Barnhart, Lisa Bertolet

**The meeting was called** to order at 6:05 PM.

**Approval of Minutes:** Sylvia motioned for unanimous approval of the Minutes from the General and Executive Board Meeting on November 14, 2017.

**Newsletter Editor:** Welcome to Lisa Bertolet who is the new DMBB Newsletter Editor.

**Program Recaps:**

- **Marching Band Recognition Event 12/5/17:** The event went very well in the cafeteria. There was a lack of volunteers to assist with cleanup. A suggestion was made that Mrs Irvin call for volunteers from the podium at the conclusion of the event to augment the cleanup crew.
- **ABODA All-State Jazz Auditions 1/13/18:** The event went well even though the number of parent volunteers was minimal. Tri-M students filled many of the volunteer positions. The location of Registration right next to the Tabulation room worked well. Hospitality could have used additional volunteers to replenish refreshments throughout the day. A suggestion was made to provide written instructions for procedures at each station to assist volunteers in answering questions and addressing issues that arise. Signs for locations of the various activities would have also been helpful.

**Treasurer's Report:**

- Bank balance is \$43,828.54 as of December 31, 2017.
- The Marching Band Yearbooks have been distributed.
- Expenses for both Winter Guard and Winter Drumline, including music, drills and a canvas for Winter Guard, are now reflected in the current P&L.

**Fundraising Report:**

- Kathy will contact Hillary Mackowski to coordinate Graduation Water Sales.

**Program Updates:**

- **ABODA Area Concert Festival – 2/27-2/28/17:** Lisa Barnhart reviewed the volunteer stations, time slots and the number of volunteers needed for each station. Parent volunteers along with Tri-M students will comprise the staffing. Lunch will be provided for all-day volunteers. Lisa will check on the availability of a coffee truck that she has contacts with, and she will make arrangements for the truck provided SUSD requirements are met.
- Due to the lack of volunteer sign-ups at recent events, Lisa Barnhart suggested that Mrs Irvin stress to all music students to ask parents for volunteer time. Suggestions were also solicited to involve Orchestra parents more in volunteer opportunities.

**New Business:**

- Ron and Lisa Blum have resigned from their respective positions of Media and Volunteer Co-Coordinator. Lisa Barnhart will remain Volunteer Coordinator and manage Sign-Up Genius.
- It is time to solicit chaperones for Band Camp who need to be identified by Spring Break.

**Events:**

- February 10 – Parada del Sol
- February 27 & 28 – ABODA Area Concert Festival at DMHS

**The meeting was adjourned at 7:31 PM.**

**Next meeting: February 13, 2018**