

**MCQUEEN BAND PARENTS ASSOCIATION
MINUTES OF THE September 7, 2011 MEETING
McQueen High School Art Room**

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Darrell Clifton

Judy Aurand verified that a quorum was present.

Approval of the Minutes: Members received minutes from the August 10, 2011 meeting via email or in the mail.

Motion: Approve the minutes of August 10, 2011 meeting. Moved, seconded, and approved by voice vote.

Introduction of parents presents

Director's Report: Rick Moffit-We had Band Bash & BBQ recently and it went very well. He thanked everyone for coming and helping out. He showed this years band show t-shirt. He also had band show shirts for parents/family to purchase. Band Day is on Saturday, September 17, 2011 from 8:30 to noon. We need 33 to 35 parents to drive and be with kids and a few parents at school to help with uniforms and counting money at the end. Extravaganza is October 1. It is an all day event. We host several bands from Nevada and surrounding states for a marching band contest here at McQueen High School. He reviewed upcoming contest schedule. He encouraged all parents to come to the contests to support the band and see how much your band member has improved.

President's Report: Darrell Clifton-Next Extravaganza meeting is on Monday, September, 12 at 6pm in the Art Room.

Membership Chair- Debbie Lewis- She has prizes for parents that signed up already. She is taking membership applications also. You can either fill out membership form and drop in the slot in Mr. Moffit's door with your check or mail it to the BPA PO Box.

Fundraising VP Report: Christine Erickson -Contacted Amazon about fundraiser in December. She hasn't heard back from them yet. We are doing a 50/50 raffle at Extravaganza. She is working on a few other fundraisers but she isn't ready to present them to the BPA yet.

Treasurer's Report: Joe Marandola-Joe reviewed the treasurer's report. **Motion to approve the Treasurer's report September 7, 2011,moved, seconded, and approved by voice vote.**

Committee Reports – as necessary

Uniforms: Diane Wood-She has fitted the remaining students and ready for the first football game on Sept. 23

Awards-Marie Kresinske- She has Extravaganza trophies sponsorships available. Contact Marie if you would like to sponsor a trophy. Your band member can present the trophy at the award ceremony. Sponsorships are \$35

Phone Tree- Judy Aurand- She has had some parents sign up but she needs more. Please contact her if you would like to help out.

Grant Writing: Suzanne Milner- not present

Pit/Equipment: Rosen Roser/Rich Anderson-Monica reported that the synthesizer cart is almost done. Rich is waiting for the wheels to come in. One of the speaker carts has completely broken. We are looking at options. Mr. Moffit and Aaron picked out a design. We need help getting it built. Christy offered to build/weld speaker carts. Joe will talk with her about it.

Historian: Vienna McKeeman-Larry Wilke has joined her on the committee as videographer. Contact her if you have any pictures of events of the band so she can put them on the band smugmug site. All parents are welcome to view them. It is a password protected site for privacy of the band members. Contact a board member for the password.

Office Report: Cindra Marandola -Band begging day is Sept. 17. She needs chaperones for contest trips. She mentioned that her daughter will be graduating this year and asked anyone interesting in taking over for her next year to contact her.

Old Business: none

New Business: Debbie Lewis asked when does water wagon, seat cover, and finishing touches need to be here to get ready for the football game. Cindra said Finishing Touches should be here 45 minutes before call time. Water wagon and seat covers should be here 45 minutes before the beginning of the Varsity football game.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:10 pm

Minutes submitted by

Monica Anderson, Recording Secretary

Minutes accepted by

Darrell Clifton, President

Upcoming Meeting – WEDNESDAY October 5, 2011 in the Art Room. General Membership Meeting at 7:00pm