

EAST LAKE HIGH SCHOOL

Band Booster General Meeting Minutes

March 1, 2022 7:00pm

Welcome and Introduction/Announcements: President Amy Thacker

President - Amy Thacker

Vice President - Emily Sikes

Accounts Receivable Treasurer - Amanda Marshall

Accounts Payable Treasurer - Lisa Mondok

Secretary - Sydeana Davis

Communications - Danette Rush

Concessions Chair - Natasha Gallaty

Attendance: 15 Boosters in person; several more online via Zoom

Treasurer Report:

1. Fair Share and Budget Update - Amanda M. shared that we are still collecting Fair Shares/Guard invoices.

Committee Reports:

1. Fundraising

- A. Car Washes at Fifth Third Bank (near Boot Ranch Target) - See Sign Up Genius on the band's website (next to the calendar). We did really well with the first two car washes. We made \$846 profit on the last car wash. The next car wash is March 5th. Also, if you have a rising 9th grader (current 8th grader), he or she can join us at the car washes. The car wash is divided into two shifts: 12-3 and 3-5:30pm. Students are welcome to stay for both shifts. We do seem to need more students to fill in the 3-5:30pm shift.
- B. Tag Day at Brooker Creek Publix scheduled for Saturday, April 9th. We will need four students and two parent volunteers per shift. Each shift is two hours. At least one parent volunteer needs to be a Level 2 to handle money. Please wear a band or ELHS shirt. Students will set up a table outside Publix, greet customers, and collect donations.
- C. We do need a fundraising chairperson (for now and next school year) to help organize fundraisers. He or she would not need to attend all the fundraisers. Please contact a board member if you can help out the band in this capacity.

2. Concessions - Two weeks ago, students and parent volunteers met at the concession stand and removed everything, cleaned, and then organized and placed everything back inside. We have several microwaves, a roaster, and a deep fryer we no longer need if anyone is interested.

3. The Classic Update - The biggest fundraiser of the year is The Classic and is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, October 15th. There are several positions available. Please contact Danette Rush (project manager) or any board member. There will be a Classic kick off meeting on Tuesday, March 29th, 6:45-7:45pm at the East Lake Community Library. Please join us in planning for the next Classic.

Old Business:

1. Spring Trip - While the last day for checks is March 4th, we must purchase Disney tickets on Wednesday, March 2nd to make sure we are able to obtain park reservations. If your student has not paid, please contact the accounting department immediately. We will not be buying any "extra" tickets as we do not have the funds. The plan is to leave the school Friday, April 1st at 4pm. We will be staying at Comfort Suites in Orlando. Friday night is pizza and game night. Saturday, April 2nd, the band will perform at 1:25pm and 2:30pm at The Contemporary Hotel. Then, we will head to Hollywood Studios for a park day and awards ceremony (6pm; Beauty and the Beast Theater). Sunday, April 3rd is a park day at Magic Kingdom. We will depart at 6:30pm to head home.
2. R.E. Olds Day will be March 26th. Our band will be marching in the parade. Call time will be 10am, parade start will be at 11am, and students will be done around noon-12:30pm. We will need parent volunteers to haul the wagon with water. Look for a Sign Up Genius soon.

New Business:

1. MPA - March 9th at Boca Ciega High School - Students will get TDE to be excused from 6th and 7th periods. We will leave at 1:30pm. The Concert band performs at 3:30pm and the Wind Ensemble performs at 7:30pm. We will be taking buses, but will also need two to three parent volunteers to drive, and they must be Level 2.
2. 9th grade course selection night will be Tuesday, March 8th, 6-8pm.
3. Ice Breaker event is scheduled for Wednesday, April 27th.
4. Next Band Booster meeting will be April 5, 2022 at 7pm.

Adjournment: 7:38pm