

EAST LAKE HIGH SCHOOL
Band Booster General Meeting Minutes
May 7, 2024; 7pm

Welcome and Announcements President Carolina Jantac

Attendance There were 14 members present and 3 more online for a total of 17 members.

Treasurer Report Budget Update - Our budget is posted online.

Committee Reports

1. Fundraising Update - Our next Spirit Night will be on Tuesday, May 21st at The Lake 85. We have two First Fridays in Tarpon scheduled for summer. The dates are June 7th and July 5th; 6-10pm. We are looking for parent and student volunteers. Parents are needed to chaperone and assist students. Students may earn Bright Future hours by volunteering.
2. The Classic Update - Saturday, October 5, 2024 - Please mark that date on your calendar. We will need all hands on deck for our biggest fundraiser of the year.
3. Winter Guard Update - We need to continue to recruit Color Guard and Winter Guard members. Whitney and members have cleaned out the guard closet and are attempting to sell some of the old equipment like flags, props, etc from past shows.

Mr. Black Announcements

1. We had a very successful Jazz Band concert in downtown Dunedin this past Friday night.
2. Our Percussion group is going to join our Concert and Wind Ensemble for the Spring Concert on May 17th, 7pm at ELHS.
3. If your student needs a summer rental instrument, please see Mrs. Bert on May 29th or May 30th at the ELHS bandroom.

New Business

1. Band Banquet - Saturday, May 18th at Ruth Eckerd Hall 1111 McMullen Booth Rd. Parents are invited to attend. The cost of each ticket (student or parent) is \$45. The Seniors will have their ticket covered by the Boosters; however, any parent/sibling of a Senior will need to purchase their own ticket if they wish to attend. Once you have paid for your ticket, you can pick up your required wristband at the Spring Concert. There will be a table/tent located out front of the theater.
2. Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities:
 - a. May 17th Spring Concert
 - b. June 2nd Tag Day at Brooker Creek Publix
 - c. June 7th and July 5th; First Fridays in Tarpon Springs
 - d. 4 Weekends in July Car Wash - invite incoming Freshmen so they can get to know other band members
4. We held our May Elections for the new Booster Board to take over in June. All positions were open to any members who wanted to run. Mr. Black typed the names on the overhead projector; Irene Claudio

served as our announcer. Danette Rush abstained from voting and helped Mrs. Bert count the votes.

We voted by secret ballot. Our Booster Board for 2024/25 will be: President Carolina Jantac, Vice-President Amy Thacker, AP Treasurer Kristin Baillargeon, Secretary Sydeana Davis, and Communications Angie Swary. No one present at the meeting volunteered to run for AR Treasurer. However, after the meeting was concluded, Jennifer Lynch contacted the Board and agreed to be

our

AR Treasurer.

5. Our next Booster meeting will be July 2nd in the band room at 7pm.

Adjournment 7:45pm

Reminder: The band's website has been recently updated and has valuable information on events, important dates, and volunteer opportunities. The band's calendar is updated regularly and the Sign Up Genius can also be accessed there. All communications are sent out via the parent/guardian's email on file AND on the Band App. Remember that students can earn Bright Futures hours for volunteer work. Please visit www.eastlakeband.com.