

Warhawk Band Boosters, Inc.  
General Meeting Minutes  
April 14, 2010

**Call to Order:** President Mitch Colegrove called the meeting to order at 7:06 PM in the GHS Band room.

**Introductions:** Mitch Colegrove welcomed all and introduced the attending Warhawk Band Booster e-board members. Also the parents of senior students were thanked for their involvement in the Band Boosters.

**Minutes:** Minutes of the previous meeting (February 10, 2010) were reviewed and approved following a motion by Pam Bechler and seconded by Bill Knapp. Motion approved by all.

**Treasurer's Report:** Anne Loberger reviewed the treasurer's report. The balance in the bank accounts is \$39,725.02. Working off a budget with a fiscal year ending June 30. Income amounts come to \$31,360.81 with expenses of \$19,611.66. Income came from Market day purchases and expenses include the purchase of a Bassoon in the amount of \$3799. Motion made by Sue Dawson to approve the budget as stands and seconded by Theresa Midlikowski. Motion approved by all.

**Fundraising Report:** Mr. Z's fundraiser is concluding and it went well. Operation Donation is underway and going well for those who have chosen to participate. The next one is the Flower Source 10% of the total goes to donation and it begins after Mother's Day.

**Old Business:** Mid Winter Meltdown went well and the student horn section was a big success and the event was very fun. Another event next year will hopefully be planned and the student section will most likely be invited to participate again.

Solo ensembles 15 events this year it was held at Cedarburg High School and 12 events are continuing on to State!

YPAF Bingo night was well attended by any people outside of the student band community and the event will be planned again for next year.

WOS tryouts 104 members made the band, with approximately 120 trying out. The theme is Spy vs. Band with music to be handed out next week and rehearsals beginning later in May. Volunteers are needed as uniform helpers. The students will be sized and fitted for their uniforms during the May 24<sup>th</sup> rehearsal. There will be a road crew assembled this year and volunteers are needed as well. The majority of the WOS expense is paid for by the WBB funds. The district pays for band directors summer school contracts, school bus transportation (standard bus only not coach bus), and camp supplies such as wall t-shirt/patch/drill and music. Bus upgrades will be discussed for longer bus competitions such as to LaCrosse and Illinois and those fees will be discussed at a later time.

Scholarships in the past few years the applicant numbers have been approximately 20 students and this year we are up to 34 students. The scholarships are given to students who want to attend the band summer camp and some also go to the leadership camp. The requirements of these students include participation in the Chili supper, fundraisers and solo ensemble. There is also a college scholarship usually given out each year from the WBB. The budget is set from the previous year of \$9000 but with the 50% increase this year, the students would receive less money. A motion was made increase this amount to \$10,000 this year made by Anne Loberger and seconded by Jon Bell. Scholarship committee was asked for and thank you to the volunteers of Chuck Albery and Theresa Midlikowski for this committee along with Anne Loberger.

End of the year band awards volunteer was asked for May 17<sup>th</sup>, thank you to Bill Knapp for volunteering to help out.

### **New Business:**

2010 Golf Committee update: the brochure was distributed and the next committee meeting will be next Tuesday, April 20, 6:30pm at Bubs Pub. The golf outing will be August 4, 2010.

NYC Trip: 153 students, chaperones and tag alongs are signed up for the trip, more information will be coming closer to departure time, suggestions are asked for ideas of shows or other places of interest in New York City.

E-Board Positions for next year: Mark Thatcher and Jon Bell were on the nominating committee for the E-Board and they chose to continue the same members, the motion was put to the floor with no opposition.

### **Band Director's Report:**

Jim Barnes presented:

- Honor recital will be tomorrow night and should be a great event.
- The next concert is scheduled for May 12.
- Awards night is May 17, a potluck supper and awards will be on the agenda.
- Tri-M has a run/walk event planned for May22 and it has been put together by Tri-M and more details are to follow.
- June 9<sup>th</sup> will be the last concert of the year and it will be in Fireman's Park.
- State Honors Band, congratulations and good luck to the two students who will be attending.

Jon Bell presented:

- A concert is scheduled for April 22.
- May 7<sup>th</sup> the Jazz Band and some choir students will go to KMS to perform.

- Freshmen will perform at graduation in June.

**Upcoming Events**

- Honors Recital 4/15
- Spring Band Concerts 4/22, 5/12
- KMS Performance 5/7
- Tri-M Run/Walk 5/22
- Band Awards Night 5/17
- GHS Graduation (Freshman Band) 6/13
- Community Band Multiple dates
- Wall Camps Multiple dates

Motion to adjourn was made by John Loberger and seconded by Pam Bechler.  
The meeting was adjourned at 7:59 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Cherie Claussen  
Secretary  
Warhawk Band Boosters, Inc.