

MHS Tiger Band Boosters
Meeting Minutes from October 8, 2024 Booster Meeting

The purpose of this organization shall be to promote the entire band program of Mansfield High School by assisting the Band Directors and school authorities in the development of an outstanding band program.

The meeting was held at the MHS Band Hall beginning at ~7:06 pm. Board members present included:

2nd Vice President Volunteers: Kerrie Jones
4th Vice President Events: Christina Wiegand
Secretary - Uvonna Alexander
Treasurer - Shannon Wood
Parliamentarian- Joe Salinas
Member at Large - Briana Griffith
Member at Large - Kristie Butler

Meeting Minutes from the September 10, 2024 General Association meeting were presented for review by Uvonna Alexander. The minutes are available for review on the MHSTBB website. A motion to accept the minutes was made by Alan Horton and seconded by Briana Griffith.

Financial Report

Shannon Wood presented the Financial Report.

POC is not finalized. For example, there were bands that registered before the event, and the district will refund the Boosters for the security. We also do not have the numbers from concessions yet. We are to make 40% of the gross sales from concessions.

This year we should net ~40K-45K, and last year we made ~25K. There was an increase in the number of bands which equals more students. The TCU band also brought in more spectators as well as a rise in ticket prices this year.

Next year the district will not cover security, and we will have to pay the custodians, police and those required to work the Evolve System. We also will not be able to run our own concession just like this year. We paid 2 custodians for all day even though they struggled in the evening to keep up. We may have to help with gathering trash next year.

- See year-to-date numbers on handout as compared to the budget.
- See financial report.
- A motion to accept the financial report was made by Alan Horton and seconded by Briana Griffith.
- Please email Shannon with any questions.

Fundraising

Butter braids will come soon.

Shawn Johnson updated us on spirit nights. Don't forget to say you are with the "Mansfield Tiger Band"!!

Chilis ~\$310

Andys still waiting for check \$58

Crave is tomorrow. They have veggie items and even items for your dog. 5-9pm

Oct 29 Sweet Panda is all day. They have vegan, fruits and gluten free toppings.

Nov 6 Getcha Sum Ice Cream Parlor at both locations. 310 broad and 1103 Alexis Court. The one on Broad has shakes too.

Nov 19 Big Fellas Ice House Cannon Dr

Dec 4 Tea Latte

Dec 10 Blue Mint Thai
Jan 7 CFA on Debbie Lane 5-7pm

Volunteers

Kerri Jones

Thank you so much for your time, donations etc. for POC!!!

Thank you...thank you....thank you!

Thank you for your help with the contest last week!!!

We do have a game this Thursday and a competition in Birdville on Saturday. More games to come as well. UIL Region 5 Oct please help sign up for MHS spots. Please do not sign up when our students perform if you are frontline or props.

President's Report/Upcoming Events (mhstbbpresident@gmail.com)

Thank you!

Calendar of events highlights before our next meeting are as follows:

10/10 football game vs Crowley at Newsom
10/12 Birdville Marching Contest 10am call time
10/15 stadium rehearsal at Newsom 4-7pm
10/18 football game vs Legacy (We are visitors at Newsom.)
10/22 UIL Region
10/25 Bye week

Band trip update: NYC Apr 30-May 4

\$1990 quad for adults or kids to room, \$150 deposit due 10-15-24

Make payments online.

Chaperones need to volunteer with the band throughout the year in order to chaperone the trip.

Band Director's Report

Please pay your deposit for the NYC trip by 10-15-24 so that flights can be confirmed.

There are 150 seats reserved as of now. The band travels on a larger trip every other year. IF the band goes on a trip next year, it will be a trip within ~800 miles via bus not plane.

NYC requires a lot of walking. Please read the information sent out. It is undecided if T-shirts will be made for the trip. Band fees must be paid in full before you can go. Some students want to be with their parents on the trip and others do not. Chaperones will most likely have 4-5 students with them at all times. Airport families may be different than groups in the city.

Thank you to everyone for their help from the POC to props to football games etc. Thursday night's game is middle school night.

After the marching season, band will become less time consuming, but the students will be going in many different directions for events. The band will do the Pickel Parade March 22.

Any questions, please email WilliamLudlow@misdmail.org.

Meeting Wrap Up

Motion to adjourn by Alan Horton and seconded Brianna Griffith.

Meeting Adjourned at ~7:39 p.m.

Respectfully submitted – Uvonna Alexander, Secretary

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