

GPHS Band Board Boosters

October 8, 2024

In Person GP Band Room

- **Call to Order and Attendance:** 7:02pm
 - (Jason Grant, Michelle Grant, Tadd Morris, Brian Marston, Daniel Leger, Sarah McKinney, Heidi Ellerbeck, Andrew Yeeles, Ethel & Fatih Vural, and Elizabeth Woodcook)
- **Review and approve prior meeting minutes:** Brian M makes motion to approve. Michelle G seconds, passes unanimously
 - September Booster meeting was the “All-Parent” meeting
 - Approval of minutes
- **Band Director’s Report:** Tadd Morris
 - Payment to coaches – recommendation to increase
 - currently \$50/hr, proposal \$60/hr, for various private lessons
 - **Action: Treasurer check budget allocation**
 - Robert Spittal commission – studio musicians, final payment
 - 4 musicians at \$250 each - \$1000 total
 - Jerry - \$500/month for 10 months for \$5000 total
 - Jazz Hang - November 23rd, 2 groups divided with Valley View
 - Disney Trip 2025 - neither final cost yet confirmed nor 1st day activities, first \$200 non-refundable deposit due on 11/1/24, website updated with all available information
 - ASB funds will be used to transport from GPHS to SeaTac
- **President’s Report:** Daniel Leger & Jason Grant
 - PTO Informational Meeting
 - Jason and Dave attended. Individual Fundraising Accounts - we need to be careful about the correct procedure. 75% of students' fundraising can be allocated to various band expenses. After graduation, funds can be gifted to a sibling or absorbed into GP Booster Club. This is noted on the online forms on the website.
 - **Action: Jason - email recording of the meeting**
 - Request for financial assistance was approved and in place
 - Recommendation for editing the document. **Action: Daniel Leger or Andrew Yeeles**
 - Website updates
 - more efficient on how updates can be posted
 - Meeting Minutes
 - easier to manage moving forward
- **Fundraising & VP Report:** David Shevitz
 - Fall Stadium Flowers Fundraiser
 - ready to rollout
 - was included in the Band Happenings
 - **Action: email (Brian or Heidi) and social media (Michelle)**
 - Deadline to order is November 6th. Delivery by November 22nd.
- **Co-Treasurer’s Report:** Tyra Ohman & Andrew Yeeles
 - Tyra will be posting the budget to Slack.com

- considering switching banks (preferably before the Swing Dance and DrumLine Festival)
- **Co-Secretary's Report:** Brian Marston & Heidi Ellerbeck
 - CutTime updates to allow text and emails to parents/students
 - WhatsApp is a possible communication strategy moving forward, possibly for Disney
- **Coordinator Updates:**
 - Uniform
 - Concert Dresses were distributed on 10/7 **Action: Brian or Heidi watch for emails about concerns**
 - Polos should be delivered by October 15th.
 - A few sample dresses need to be replaced - size 0 and 4
 - Jason motions to allow treasurers to approve uniform coordinator to replace two dresses. Daniel seconds. Passes unanimously.
 - **Action: Sarah and Michelle -determine how many hangers need to be replaced**
 - **Action: Sarah and Michelle -determine how many pairs of pants need to be ordered**
 - white are \$55, discount if 10 or more are ordered
 - Grants would be very helpful
 - Disney 2025
 - see Band Director's Report
 - Spirit Wear sales
 - orders picked up weekly and delivered to the band room
 - Streamline Digital Imaging - a check will be cut for 10% of the sales
 - Social Media
 - Michelle and Lizelle will be posting updates on FB, Instagram and YouTube for upcoming events
 - Cheer Gear
 - **Action: Booth needs to be worked on October 25th.** Jenni is not available.
- **New & Unfinished Business for June 2024 Meeting**
 - Email addresses @grizzlyband.org
 - **Action: Jason - Sarah M. would like emails forwarded to her from Uniform Coordinator email address**
 - Percussion marching wraps
 - Arriving on 10/9 for 30 drums
 - **Action: Work Party needs to be planned - possibly conference week - October 22nd?**
 - All-parent meeting
 - good feedback
 - models for uniforms
 - **more notifications earlier before the meeting, Middle School Concert**
 - **communicate to out of district schools, Northshore Community, Jackson, Cascade District, Gateway Middle**
 - **connections need to be made moving forward**
 - ~~Cut Time migration from Charms~~
 - Visible Coffee Company - open mic alternating between Marysville

Meeting Adjourned at 8:25pm

Next Meeting: November 12, 2024

Meeting dates for 2023-2024 School Year

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| July 9, 2024 | October 8, 2024 | January 14, 2025 | April 8, 2025 |
| August 13, 2024 | November 12, 2024 | February 11, 2025 | May 13, 202 |
| September 10, 2024 (All Parent) | December 10, 2024 | March 11, 2025 | June 10, 2025 |

All booster meetings take place in the band room from 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm (unless otherwise noted)