

Tuesday September 3, 2021

Plum Music Boosters General Meeting Minutes

Respectfully submitted by Melissa Draganosky Secretary

Start time of meeting: 7:00PM

30 People were in attendance

Introduction/ Opening remarks Given by Ruth Ann Pivik and Mrs. Loy and Mr. DeLuce.

Mrs. Loy had a good report and reported that the students are working hard and coming along. Mr. DeLuce also reported that the students are also coming along and doing well.

**Secretary Minutes** Melissa Draganosky presented the minutes from August's meeting and motion to approve the minutes was from Ami Bendani. Second by Mark Pivik. Minutes will be posted on the PMB website and app.

**Treasurer's Report:**

Heather presented the treasurer's report see attached report at end of the minutes on the last page.

**General discussion about the following topics:**

**Ways and Means Joan Cocca:**

Joan will be sending out information and order forms for the first fundraiser to school tomorrow. We will be selling Peppi's Hoagies. They will be delivered October 13th. Orders will be due September 30. The hoagies cost \$4.75 and we will sell them for \$5.50. This will give each student. 75 profit for each Hoagie sold.

We will also do poinsettias and Sarris Candy for Christmas. We will do Perogies before Easter and Sarris for Easter. Possible Pies for Thanksgiving.

**Chaperones:**

RuthAnn oversees chaperones. You must have your clearances uploaded to the Plum School District and must have an account made with the school information for clearances can be found here:  
<https://www.pbsd.net/VolunteerClearance.aspx>

**Membership:**

Melissa Draganosky is membership chair. There are currently 61 families as Music Boosters members that include spouses. 102 Members total.

**Scholarship Committee:** Nothing to report and no payouts for the scholarship at this time.

**Website and Communication:** Amy Benianti said everything is being updated through the app. Encourage and use the app. We push out all notifications on the app. So please check it regularly.

**Social Media-** Nichole Henchir is posting on Facebook she asked if anyone had pictures they can share as well but will monitor the web site. She has been posting pictures of the band and suggests if any other music groups have any other pictures such as concerts and chorus events she can post them. Also we can use facebook to list upcoming events and concerts.

**Equipment-** Nothing to report at this time.

## General Fundraising

Jess Marks reported that there will be a food truck rally on September 25th It will take place from 1-6pm. There will be 10 different food trucks with live music. If any other band members or sections can perform. The fundraising committee is accepting basket raffle donations. They will have a basket raffle and sell 50/50 tickets. We will not have a car cruise at this event but the fundraising committee is suggesting having one in the spring.

Jess reported that we made \$296 dollars on the Lelulo's Pizza Fundraiser restaurant night. The fundraising committee will have a food restaurant night once a month. The next restaurant night will be the Moe's Taco boxes. It will take place on Tuesday September 28th. Plum Music Boosters will make 25% on Moe's Sales.

The committee also would like to have a pasta shape fundraiser where we can make 40% profit.

We will also do a PrestoGeorge Coffee Fundraiser . Students will sell coffee and teas from PrestoGeorge coffee roasters located in the strip. The music boosters will make 50% profit in all teas and coffees sold.

Caryn (Band Major) would like to organize with the help of the music boosters a bingo fundraiser that is student run. She would like to have a bingo night where the students help and run a bingo. There are a lot of students who expressed interest in helping with this event. At the event we could have a basket raffle as well as other different bingo games. Boosters will support this and will help organize this event. The students also expressed having a Spaghetti Dinner fundraiser as well. The boosters suggest having the bingo and spaghetti dinner, two different events.

## OLD BUSINESS:

- The Merchandise store closed and we made \$316 in profit. The music boosters are considering opening up the store again later in the fall. The Board Decided to remove the Nike Shirt from the online store and is considering a long sleeve shirt. The Merchandise will be in this week and we will be selling gear at the home football games.
- We are still selling slides and they are \$29 each pair if we sell 50 then we will make \$10 profit on each pair sold. The band students had a slide design contest and Alic Glese won with his design. We are going to sell them again but the design will just be Plum instead of Plum

## New Business

- We need volunteers to run the Merchandise table at Football games. There was a sign up sheet at the meeting and many voiced that they would help. We will start this Friday. We will also have a donation box for the Chorus Masks fund (similar to the pink plume fund). We are trying to raise money to buy the chorus singing masks.
- Please sign up for communication on the Plum APP if you already have not done so. We will also be using Facebook and the Music Boosters Website for communication.
- **Check the calendar for Plum Band for performances, games, and parades.**
- We will still be taking donations of water and snack (small pieces of candy and individual bags nothing to messy to eat) These can be dropped off at the band room doors during band camp and practices.
- **Frist responder night is this Friday to honor the 1st responders. There will be refreshments for them at a table.**

## **Important Upcoming Dates:**

### **Mt. Lebanon Band Festival**

**When** Saturday, Sep 11, 2021

**Description**

4:30 Chaperones report/load truck

4:45 Report/Load Buses & Truck

5:15 Leave PHS

6:15 Arrive to unload and get seated

7:00 Event Begins

### **Pitt Band Day (optional)**

**When** Saturday, Sep 18, 2021

**Description**

This is an OPTIONAL performance.

Students are invited to perform with the University of Pittsburgh's Marching Band in a side-by-side performance. We've done this in the past and it's tons of fun! :)

Next meeting will be on Monday October 4th ,2021@ 7pm Place will be announced through the APP.

**Motion to adjourn Meeting:** Amy Beniani Second by Mark Pivik

Meeting ended at 8:05PM.

PLUM MUSIC BOOSTER  
TREASURER REPORT  
AUGUST 2021

**CHECKING ACCOUNT**

Check Book Balance as of 8/1/21 \$20,425.11

Deposits:	Deposit - Show Shirts	\$80.00	
	Deposit-Memberships	\$200.00	
	Deposit-Shoes/Gloves	\$755.00	
	Deposit - Payment for Samples (Pivik/Benaniti)	\$45.00	
	Deposit-Leftover Kennywood	\$140.00	
	Deposit-Uniform Cleaning	\$2.00	
	Deposit-Shoes/Gloves	\$113.00	
	Deposit-Stickers	\$11.00	
	Deposit-Old Shirts	\$75.00	
	Deposit-Show Shirts	\$813.00	
	Deposit-Memberships	\$80.00	
	Deposit-Memberships	\$30.00	
	Deposit-Summer Fest Donation	\$250.00	
	Deposit Membership	\$40.00	
	Deposit Membership	\$20.00	
Expenses:	Cash for Kennywood (\$10/student)	\$1,200.00	
	Ruth Ann Pivik-Reimburse Supplies	\$33.60	
	Lisa Spisak-Reimburse Sprinkler	\$36.34	
	DeMoulin-Gloves	\$222.13	
	Ruth Ann Pivik-Reimburse Black Cable Ties	\$22.24	
	Johnstanbaugh's Music Center	\$53.17	
	Viglione Photography	\$1,961.00	
	Demoulin-Plumes	\$1,428.15	
Total Deposits:		\$2,654.00	
Total Expenses:		\$4,956.63	
			\$18,122.48
	Less Student Accounts Balance		\$8,545.62
		<b>CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE:</b>	<b>\$9,576.86</b>

**MONEY MARKET ACCOUNT**

Previous Balance		\$25,827.75	
Interest		\$0.23	
			<b>MONEY MARKET ACCOUNT BALANCE: \$25,827.98</b>

**GULA SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNT**

Previous Balance		\$2,601.40	
Deposits			
Expenses			
			\$2,601.40