

Monday October 4, 2021

Plum Music Boosters General Meeting Minutes

Respectfully submitted by Melissa Draganosky Secretary

Start time of meeting: 7:00PM

16 People were in attendance

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

Mrs. Loy had a good report and reported that the students are working hard and coming along. They are getting ready for Side By Side Night this Friday.

Secretary Minutes Melissa Draganosky presented the minutes from September 7th's meeting and motion to approve the minutes was from Melissa Draganosky. 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. Just to clarify that money collected from Mrs. Loy by parents for show shirts, shoes and gloves, Allie Kiski shirts as well as senior parent corsages is an expense that is an in and out payment. Which means money collected by the Music Boosters for payment is sent out. The music boosters paid for the singer's masks. The PMB hopes through fundraising efforts to recoup the money for the masks.

General discussion about the following topics:

Ways and Means Joan Cocca:

Joan stated that the Peppi's hoagie pickup will be on October 13th from 4-6pm. It will be in the front of the Senior High School. The student accounts made \$1,294 with the hoagie sale. The next sale will be Pie Shop Pies that will be in time for Thanksgiving.

Joan also stated that we will do a Sarrs' candy sale for December with delivery in time for the Holidays. Then another Sarrs' candy sale around Easter time. More information will be put out onto the App about all fundraising.

Also just a reminder you have to be a member of the Plum Music Booster to Fundraise for students accounts. Students can use their accounts for things such as shoes, gloves, Senior night corsages, or trips. All money in senior student accounts can be gifted to another member in writing by June 30th of 2022. If after June 30, 2022 and you do not gift your money to another student all funds in that account will become part of the general funds.

Hospitality: Sara Henchar reported that they are getting a cookie try for the parents and families of the Junior and Elementary band students who will be coming to the Band Side By Side Night this Friday. The booster board will be on hand to answer any questions that the parents may have.

Mrs. Loy stated that no one gets into the game for free. Parents have to purchase tickets for the game. The younger band students will march into the field with the band, they do not need a ticket. The boosters will be on hand to sell tickets to anyone at Wednesday's practice. 7-8 graders will be permitted to stay in the stands and play along with the High School. Elementary will be dismissed to their parents after the pregame show.

Chaperones:

Chaperones are assigned to each game. Ruth Ann sent out a schedule to the Chaperones. IF you cannot chaperone a game just let her know ahead of time so a replacement can be made.

Membership:

Melissa Draganosky is membership chair. There are currently 72 families as Music Boosters members that include spouses.

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 Henschir 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- Mark Pivik asked if the students can put the instruments in the box so they can get it on the truck. Maybe assign a manager to put equipment in and put back the cases after getting their instruments out.

Chorus Liaison- We have a new Chorus Liaison Robin Tongel. Robin is eager to work with the boosters and would like to have more parent involvement with the chorus parents.

Orchestra Liaison- We have a new Orchestra Liaison Gretchen Kelly.

General Fundraising

Jess Marks reported that the Moes' fundraiser raised \$412.50 and recommends we do another one. 50 kits were sold.

We will also have a restaurant night on October 19-and 20th at the North Park Lounge in Murrysville. You need to present the flyer to your wait staff for the fundraiser.

Jess also reported that we are going to host a bingo fundraising on November 7th from 12pm to 4pm. Tickets will sell for \$30 and will include lunch. Tickets will be on sale on Wednesday 8pm PHS bus lot at home games at the Band Clothing Table near the concessions, and on 10/9 at the band review night. See the flyer that was sent out on the app for the Raffle basket donations. We are in need of donations if you are going to donate a whole basket please donate a minimum of \$50 dollars. We will also have other games at the bingo.

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. We will also be going to sell pasta shapes as well.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Volunteers needed to run the Merchandise table at Football games. Donation box for the Chorus Masks 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.
- PlumBand.com for performances, games and parades.
- Donations of water and snacks (small pieces of candy and individual bags). These can be dropped off at the band room doors during band camp and practices.
- First Responder Night- Refreshments were donated from the Cheerleaders and Music boosters.

New Business

- Boosters bought singers mask for Chorus
- Volunteers are needed for the Merchandise table at the home football games.
- Need water donations for the games. Small bottles.
- Candy donations for Bandoween. Treat Bags-150 Need by October 20th.
- North Park Lounge Fundraiser October 19-20th.
- Bingo fundraiser - November 7th
- Plum slides sale. We are working on getting a new sale up and running.
- Side by Side night- October 8th
- Band Performance night
 - Hot dogs
 - chips
 - drinks- water, pop, hot chocolate cups
 - full size candy bars
 - 50/50
 - Basket Raffle
 - Merchandise table
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- **Check the calendar for Plum Band for performances, games, and parades.**

All Future Meetings will be held in the High School Cafeteria. Meetings may be moved online during the winter months.

Motion to adjourn Meeting: Ruth Ann Pivik Second by Joan Cocca

Meeting ended at 8:44PM.

PLUM MUSIC BOOSTER
TREASURER REPORT
SEPTEMBER 2021

CHECKING ACCOUNT

Check Book Balance as of 9/1/21 \$18,122.48

Deposits:	Deposit - Dining Fundraiser Lelulos	\$296.00
	Deposit-Membership	\$80.00
	Deposit-Show Shirts-Parent Payment	\$126.00
	Deposit-Chorus Masks-Fundraised at First Home Game	\$24.00
	Deposit-Spiritwear-Merchandise Table	\$965.00
	Deposit-Spiritwear Profit from Online Merch Store	\$316.20
	Deposit-Alle Kiski Festival Shirts-Parent Payment	\$314.00
	Deposit-Senior Night Corsages-Parent Payment-Balance from St	\$185.50

Expenses:	Plum Creek Outfitters-Show Shirts	\$376.00
	Southeastern Performance-Chorus Singing Masks	\$1,596.98
	Suellen Wiles-Silks Gear	\$315.22
	Cash-Startup for Merchandise Table	\$100.00
	DeMoulin-Shoes/Gloves	\$1,152.91
	Creative Silkscreen-Merchandise 1/2 Pmt	\$1,355.00
	Jenny Festa-Dance Team-Masks/Capes	\$110.90
	KAIB-Band Festival Shirts-Pd for by Students	\$314.00
	Plum HS Football Boosters-Senior Night Corsages	\$256.00
	Plum HS Football Boosters-Senior Night Corsages	\$16.00
	Creative Silkscreen-Merchandise 1/2 Pmt	\$1,355.00
	Plum Masonic Hall-Rental 11/7 Bingo-Deposit	\$50.00
	Plum Masonic Hall-Rental 11/7 Bingo-Rental Fee	\$375.00

Total Deposits:		
Total Expenses:		\$2,306.70
		\$7,373.01

\$13,056.17

Less Student Accounts Balance	\$7,493.92
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CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE AS OF 9/30/21: \$5,562.25

MONEY MARKET ACCOUNT

Previous Balance	\$25,827.98
Interest	\$0.21

MONEY MARKET ACCOUNT BALANCE: \$25,828.19

GULA SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNT

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