

6/27/2022

Hoover Band Boosters

Monthly Meeting Newsletter

Hello!

Thank you in advance for reading these notes from our June meeting - there is lots of exciting and important information here.

- Great to see so many folks in attendance thank you to students and adults for helping us make great plans for the year.
- We welcomed new Hoover director Desmond Armentrout who will be leading the band at Hoover and we hope Jim Novak will receive approval through the district to be assistant director while continuing to lead the Meredith band.
- Financial update: We have \$11,647 in Savings and \$13,350 in checking.
- Vibes: we voted to purchase another set of vibes; Sharon completed this purchase on 6/30 and it will be submitted to the Hoover Boosters for their approval of sharing the cost with the Band Boosters.
- Car Wash we earned \$414 and voted to divide it equally among all students who volunteered, directly toward their Disney earnings. Mary motioned and Sharon seconded, majority voted yes.
- More research is needed about where we can securely store totals of funds earned by students - if you have questions about your student you are welcome to email SharonLFife@gmail.com and she will share your student's total with you.
- JazzFest we now have competition with another school starting a Jazz Fest on the same day. It will be important that we continue our awesome customer service experience! We voted to rename the event the Ron Battani Hoover Jazz Fest in honor

- of the event founder. We will work with the directors to determine rebranding of any materials (registration, etc.).
- Band Camp is August 1 -12, with the final event on August 13. Students will have an overnight event on the field and we are working to incorporate a fundraiser for laps marched and performing for the community on August 13. Lots of details to be worked out and communicated please email SharonLFife@gmail.com if you are able to help plan for this event, or volunteer on the night of August 12.
- Other Fundraising:
- Hoping to secure sponsors for the marching camp and to recognize in the marching band section each home game. Will ask Jake Burke about both the event and ability to seek sponsor.
- If you have connections at restaurants to schedule Band nights at their location and earn a percentage of sales, please connect with those groups and ask about availability. If they need more information about the Boosters Club, please have them email SharonLFife@gmail.com. Ideas shared were reaching out to Pizza Ranch to ask about earning tips for bussing tables, and Applebee's on Merle Hay. Amanda is also looking into selling discount cards and what we could earn.
- Any other creative ideas? Know a company that would want to sponsor us? Connect with SharonLFife@gmail.com.
- Disney the band directors will connect with Sharon to learn more about where students are at with registration and get more details about the upcoming trip.
- Next meeting July 25th at 6pm if that changes we will be in touch soon.

Thank you and have a great rest of your summer!

Band Boosters

The purpose of the Hoover High School band booster organization shall be to promote the Hoover High School and Meredith Middle School band programs by assisting the band directors and school authorities in the development of an outstanding band program.

The object of the Hoover High School Band Boosters is to act as a resource for the band directors, act as advocates for the band program, advancing related issues to the school and district administrators, the Board of Education and the community, provide supplemental financial support, and work with other booster organizations for the promotion of the band program.

It is the vision and mission of the Hoover High School and Meredith Middle School band staff to provide the best possible experience for all band students at any level. Parent volunteerism through the booster organization plays a vital role in ensuring this outstanding experience for every band student.



Hoover & Meredith Band Programs

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