

East Clinton Band Boosters
July 23, 2008

Present: Sam Minge, Jani Anderson, Sue Reynolds, Kathy Rupp, Jennifer McCarren, Kevin Brown, Sara Larrick (guard instructor)

Minutes from June are approved.

Treasurer's report

Balance of checking \$5491.59

Sue presented \$2,252.59 gross from the New Vienna Youth League concession stand. She reported that the stand netted approximately \$1,200 after purchasing supplies.

Kathy reported that one check was returned NSF. The board suggested we attempt to collect including the NSF fee by mail.

Kathy suggested we eliminate the post office box, as no valuable mail is being received there.

Mr. Minge suggested we keep it until after the Gatlinburg trip, as students may send in payments there.

Mr. Minge will ask maintenance to hang the lockbox in the band room as an alternative way for students to drop off payments.

Fundraising ideas

Kevin suggested we offer sponsorships of band room bricks for \$25 each as a fundraiser. Kevin will research plaque options and ask the school board for permission.

Jennifer suggested a mass mailing to solicit funds, with levels of sponsorship publicized on the concert programs. She will keep track of the funds on a spreadsheet for use on the programs.

Sue contacted Teresa Moore of Moore's greenhouse, who offered to sell us mums at her cost of approximately \$2.50-3.00. We could sell them for \$6.00 each. Teresa suggested we begin the sale in September, with a mid September delivery date. Kathy will call around to see when mums are traditionally delivered in stores, and boosters will begin the sale before that. More discussion is needed.

Novelty sales

Kevin asked about a budget for purchase of materials, and suggested several options for sales this year including window clings, yard signs and clappers for football games. He requested \$716 for the purchase of these items. Sue made a motion to approve the amount, Jennifer seconded. Motion passed.

Band Camp Picnic is scheduled for August 1 at 6:00 p.m.

Each class will supply a different item, to be determined by Mr. Minge.

We should plan on 100 people

Mr. Minge will make sure the grill is moved.

Kevin suggested a way to introduce new band members and parents.

Mr. Minge will make sure we have charcoal.

Submitted by Sue Reynolds, secretary

