

**D-Y Band Parents Meeting**

**September 13, 2011**

**Minute**

**Meeting called to order at 6:17**

**Present:** Pauline Bartley    Alex Pendleton    Kate Ingram    Lisa M. New    L. Thomas  
Bob Harrison    Deb Richardson    Barb Hennigan    Andrew Garulay  
Karen Ryan    Janet Collette    Janet Garulay    Eric Johnson

Introductions and welcome by Pauline B.

**Secretaries Report:** Donna Griswold

A thank you note was received by Nancy Moyer.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the minutes from the August meeting.

**Treasurers Report:** Barb Hennigan

A motion was made and seconded to accept the August, 2011 Treasurers report distributed to all members present.

**Bingo Treasurers Report:**

Bingo profit for the month of August: \$3,613.46

A motion was made and seconded to accept the August Operating statement.

**Bingo Report:**

It was announced that Pauline Bartley will be the acting Bingo president until a replacement for Eric can be found. Eric Journet will still order bingo supplies such as sheets and charity tickets.

Pauline B. distributed the following documents: Bingo Supply List, Student Responsibilities List, Guidelines from the state, and MIC Responsibility list.

A new Bingo Schedule has been posted. New parent volunteers have been recruited to fill vacant positions. Thank you to all the parent volunteers!

It was decided that students should wear DY logo shirts when volunteering at Bingo.

Bingo Workshop will be held on September 25<sup>th</sup> at the Senior Center. Instructors should report at 12:00 p.m.

Parents may arrive at 1:00.

**Directors Report:** Alex Pendleton

The band will wear a costume uniform for competitions this year. They will consist of a black Anvil mock turtle neck and black hoods. They will also wear face make up. The new name for our show will be "Sinister".

Competitions start next week.

Parents are welcome to travel with the band on the bus to any competition.

Parents should also send money with students for food.

Show Sheets will be posted on the website. Hard copies will be available in the band room.

Home Football games: Students should arrive by 6:00 p.m. for a 7:00 p.m. game.

Alex always stays after school straight through until game time. Students are welcome to stay after school in the band room until the game if they wish to do so.

There is a change in the band schedule. We have dropped out of the DeMoulin Challenge competition on October 22<sup>nd</sup>. There is no comp that day. We will now be competing in Southington CT. on October 29<sup>th</sup>.

For the first time since 1984, we will be allowed to spend \$6,500.00 of district money towards transportation for the upcoming 2011 band season. Donna G. will send a thank you to Ken Jenks

Fund Raising: Calendar Raffle ticket sales due by September 27<sup>th</sup>.

We will be raffling Patriots tickets again this year. Thank you to the Garulay's for securing the tickets. The tickets will be sold for \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00. Barb Hennigan will have them printed.

Yarmouth Seaside Festival: We will have a tent set up at the fair on Saturday and Sunday. Students will work in shifts. They will play their instruments and also sell Patriot Raffle Tickets. Adult chaperones are also needed.

Alex proposed a new Cash Raffle idea. The proceeds will go towards funding the Winter Percussion program. More details will be discussed at the October meeting.

It was noted by all, that Band Camp was much easier and very successful on campus.

**Meeting Adjourned at 7:38 p.m.**

**Next meeting October 11, 2011**

