

**MCHS Band Booster Meeting
October 4, 2012**

APPROVED MINUTES

Meeting called to order by President at 6:01pm
Secretary, Kristina Rylands, presented the minutes from the September 6, 2012 meeting.

MOTION was made by Karen Helms to approve the minutes from last booster meeting. Motion was seconded and passed.

Treasurer's Report

YTD expenses were outlined.

San Diego: Paid \$27,328, over \$12,500 reimbursed to us, \$14,800 remains to be reimbursed

Income: Program income, instrument rental \$374, sales \$2,700, donations \$3,623

Bank Balance: \$3,300

Balance sheet along with Profit and Loss report was presented to the Secretary.

MOTION was made by Lori Norman to approve the Treasurer's Report. Motion was seconded and passed.

OLD BUSINESS

Report from VP of Communications

Sent 229 letters to donors thanking them for support and asking for another donation; 24 returned with donations of \$500 down to \$5. About 10% return rate from this letter appeal. Great job!

Sheila E: Need to make sure that we have complied with the conditions of her original grant.

ACTION ITEM: Karen Helms will go through her paperwork and will ask Brent & Debby Joseph about the grant reporting requirements. Dick will also check through inherited paperwork.

Outstanding New York Funds

Invoices have been sent to people involved.

TomatoFest Success!

Made \$583 profit from weekend salad sales. Thanks to all who helped.

Fresno Fair Band Review

Students did outstanding! Dr. Smith reports, "Congratulations Allie for 1st Place, Free-style Drum-Major Fresno Fair Band Review!!! And band/color-guard, first place by a LOT (10+ points) in Div. C. We were 6th overall (4 Class AA Bands &

Washington Union Class A). We had the highest score 83.2 of all class A, B, C & D bands except WU. So, we should be in good shape for our division at Selma if we keep the intensity & focus!" For more, check out Dr. Smith's emails and Facebook postings for scores, judges' comments, etc.

NEW BUSINESS

Upcoming Fundraisers

- Home & Garden Show on Oct. 6, students will volunteer to supervise bounce houses in exchange for donation
- Bette's Gold Coin dinner on Oct. 18, 5-11pm, tickets on sale \$15. Each student will get 5 tickets to sell. Take out service available. We get \$10 profit on every ticket sold.
- Mariposa Symphony Orchestra bake sale on Oct. 20. Volunteer baked goods needed.
- Castillo's & Red Fox dinner, dates TBD.

Box Tops & Pioneer Receipts

Band Boosters AND MCHS have never been officially registered. Box tops must be submitted by Nov. 1st to be included in the December check; March 1st for April check.

Pioneer receipts are coming in. This has added up to \$700-800 in funds!

ACTION ITEM: Need to go to recycling center at dump to see if we have any donations. Also need to check to see if account is still active. Anita Bothwell will check on this.

San Diego Trip

Paid up. Everything ordered. We're good to go!

Approximately \$4,500 still outstanding by some student & adult participants

Next meeting will be November 1, followed by a mandatory CHAPERONE MEETING.

OTHER

There are still some kids with uniforms that need to be fit better. Remind parents that they can launder pants and jacket, but NOT "Mariposa" sash. Boosters would like to have a dress rehearsal for Selma...

ACTION ITEM: Kristina to update the website with this info.

MOTION was made by Bonnie Bean to adjourn the meeting at 7:13pm
Motion was seconded and passed.

Respectfully submitted by
Kristina Rylands

Secretary, MCHS Band Boosters