

Ames High School Band Boosters

April 8, 2021

7:00 Meeting Ames High Band Room

Called to order by Tasha Hauber at 7:00.

Present: Tasha Hauber, Jeanne Paskach, Scott Walker, Jeanette Greene, Stephanie Haila, Mr. Ewan, Shari Gundminson, Scott Johnson (via Zoom.)

Welcome: Tasha welcomed everyone.

Secretary's Report: All is good. October minutes submitted.

Treasurer's Report: Lynne was thanked for her services and we are looking into a replacement for her. We welcome Stephanie Haila. Copy of report submitted.

Band Director's Report: Mr. Ewan:

*The virtual pieces were completed and made it out online.

*Jazz is meeting in person . Professional recordings were made and are being shared.

*Happy to say there will be an in-person band concert May 6th in the AHS gym. Two tickets per student will be distributed and will also be live streamed.

*Ensemble pieces were distributed to other band directors for judging and feedback.

*Jazz Band will also perform live and be live streamed May 11th at 7:00pm.

*Opportunities arose during the new covid rules to explore other activities besides play instruments that may be continued in the upcoming years.

*Working on figuring out if Marching Band can perform during "Promcoming" in any way. Planning on marching in the parade and drumline performing at the soccer game.

*Who will perform at the seniors graduation?? Stay tuned.

*The application for Disney has been submitted. We should hear back by the beginning of June but a deposit for those interested in going will need to be collected before then. Look for an email to the parents on how to do this.

*Ideas for how to say goodbye to our Seniors? Mr. Ewan will speak with the Leadership committee.

*Remote school will be an option for 2021-2022 school year though Band may need to insist that if these students would like to participate in band they will need to come to school and participate in person.

Membership: Christy: Nothing to report.

Volunteers: sigh

Committee Reports:

Photography: Danielle is asking for parents to submit pictures to Shutterfly (loyalty2021)

Uniforms: Will assess and come up with a plan to update everyone's uniforms at the June 3rd meeting.

Publicity: Nothing to report.

Facebook: Thank you for your submissions!!! Always happy to receive ideas for new posts.

Spirit ware: Nothing to report.

Upcoming Events:

*Above said concerts.

New Business:

*Band directors will put their heads together to come up with possible people to replace Membership, Publicity/Yard Signs, President Elect and Secretary.

Next Meeting:

* June 3, 2021 7:00pm band room.

Adjourn 7:31pm