

Stow Band Parents Meeting, March 5, 2012 6:30 pm - 7:10 pm

- Treasurer Report:
 - \$13,912 usable funds the in General Fund
 - \$ 13,571 in student accounts
 - The treasurer report can be viewed online at stowband.org
- Newsletter: March/April submissions due Friday, please.
- Yourschoolbucks.com: No further reply from Mr Reed. Nothing new to report.
- Reverse Raffle: April 14, 2012. \$60 for a meal and main board ticket. Second meal will cost \$40. \$20 for an extra number. Main Board payout \$2500. Tickets are now on sale. Tickets can be purchased at band concerts this month or by contacting Heather Galioto. Taking donations. Thank you to Mrs Sandman for organizing "Cookies and Calling" and to the students who made phone calls about raffle. Desserts are taken care of but help is needed at the event.
- Fruit/Coffee Sale: Successful. very helpful receiving delivery at the dock in back of school instead of stadium.
- Best4Stow: Rick Archer came and gave info. Please check out front of stadium as improvements have been made to recognize patrons who have shown support. We are half-way to goal. Looking to raise "big money" selling pillars in the stadium and request was made to band parents to buy a pillar. Cost is \$8000 and payment could be made over 2-3 years. Last band show was about 7 years ago, and funds from two shows could likely cover this cost. This is to be discussed by executive board.
- Senior Memory Pages: please get photos to Gail Davis or Margaret Thiese as soon as you can. Hard copies needed. (15-20 photos)
- Band Banquet: May 2nd. Same hall as last year (in Kent).
- Tag Day: Sat April 28. Need help - drivers, money counters. Calls will be made after Disney.
- Ice Cream Sales: Will be selling Blizzards at Lakeview, Kimpton and HS concerts. Flavors this month will be Brownie Batter, Girl Scout Thin Mint and Waffle Crisp. Blizzards sold out at Kimpton concert and made \$185 for the band. Profits from HS concert going to benefit this month. Need 4 volunteers to sell ice cream at HS and Lakeview concerts.
- Connection Cards: at the printers and hoping to pass out to parents at concert on Wed. Got a couple of new businesses on card this year.
- Nominating Committee: per bylaws the nominating committee (headed up by VP Jeff Earle) convenes in January and must present slate of nominees at April meeting and voting will take place at the May meeting. Committee is comprise of the VP and Class Reps (of the band parents/boosters) and anyone else who is interested in participating. If you are interested in holding a committee position, let Jeff Earle know.

Director's Reports:

- No directors this month as they were outside with the marching band rehearsal for Disney.

Submitted by Lisa Gopp, Secretary