Cherokee Band Boosters General Meeting Minutes July 12, 2023

Attendees: Kathy Bradley, Anthony Brancaccio, Joel Falk, Sue Fenick, Jaime Frangella, Beth Garofola, Bill Glassman, Nicole Glassman, Deborah Gruber, Lauren Hodges, Mary Hunter, Paul Lukianovich, Shannon Lukianovich, Jannifer Peelman, Erica Poinsett, Sue Schwartz, Michele Fleming Waters, Keith Weingard, Judeth Yeany

Meeting called to order at 7:40 PM

Recording Secretary

Minutes from the June 14th general meeting had been emailed to membership to review – motion to approve the minutes was made by Anthony Brancaccio and seconded by Joel Falk. All in favor. Minutes were approved.

Treasurer Report

End of year report has been generated. We ended with a "deficit" of just under \$7,000. We have reserves so we are not actually in debt, but we need more sponsors!!!

Marching Band (President)

- 1. Wednesday night Marching Band practices will be held on July 26 and August 9, 5:30-8:30 PM.
- 2. Band camp will be held August 14-17 and August 21-24, 9 AM 9 PM each day
- 3. We will be opening an Amazon store (link will be sent) where you can purchase your band needs and the band will get some money from the purchases made.

Sponsorships

We still don't have a sponsorship chair so the board is working on it as a group. An email went out to the parents with sponsorship information. If you know anyone who might be interested in sponsoring please share the information and put them in contact with us.

Fundraising

- 1. We are hosting an online Thrity-One party. The link will be provided so that you can share it with family and friends. In addition to general Thrity-One merchandise, there will be Cherokee-specific totes available.
- 2. We are holding a clothing drive. Pick-up date is September 9th. We will earn money from the company based on the total weight of the donations. We receive \$0.20 per pound with a \$100 bonus if we reach 4,000 pounds. We then earn an additional \$50 for every 1,000 pounds over the 4,000. Please visit clothingdrive4funding.com for a list of acceptable items and clean out those closets!

3. Possible additional fundraiser - Wawa hoagie coupons.

Super 50-50

We need volunteers to chair the Super 50-50 Raffle, our biggest fall fundraiser. Beth and Mike Garofola volunteered.

Upcoming events:

- 1. Dine out at Rita's on July 14th, 4-7 PM. We will need a parent volunteer to work a raffle table free raffle tickets for a gallon of water ice.
- 2. Car Wash July 29th at Laurel Oaks. Sign Up Genius will go out. Students earn service hours.
- 3. July 30th Spin Clinic for Color Guard (not a school/band-sponsored event). Cost is \$20. Drill and practice 10 AM 3 PM. located at 5 Carnegie Plaza, Cherry Hill
- 4. Car Wash August 27th at Laurel Oaks.

Next General Meeting on August 9, 2023 at 7:30 PM in the North Recital Hall

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 PM