



**Band Fans Parent Organization
Horizon High School**

**Band Fans Meeting Minutes
Monday, September 19, 2011
HHS Band Room**

Call to Order: 6:30 pm

President's Report – Amy Spinti (for Ed Tankersley)

- Tony Huffman has taken the position of VP of Fundraising for the remainder of the year. Welcome and introductions.
- Venus Villamagna has taken the position of Secretary for the remainder of the year. Welcome and introductions. (**out of order...Venus arrived after guest speaker)

Committee Reports

Treasurer – Melissa Kennedy

- Unexpected income from Honeywell Employee Contribution Match - \$760
- Balance looks high right now, thanks to extra dollars coming in from the summer movie fundraiser, employee contribution and match, and last year's golf-a-thon; but we can expect 10-12K to go back out next month when we pay for big ticket expenses like techs and trucks.
- Volleyball concessions are going well

GUEST SPEAKER

Julie from Butter Braids will introduce and explain fundraiser.

- Price increase this year Each Butter Braid will cost \$12 of which we will get \$5 for student's personal account.
- Order forms go home today and are due back on Oct. 6
- Checks payable to Band Fans, due at time of order
- Butter Braids will be delivered at the next Parent Meeting, Tuesday, October 17

Committee Reports (resume)

Fundraising – Tony Huffman

- In addition to Butter Braids, we will have another personal Fundraising opportunity with Mickman's (holiday wreaths and greens)
- Schoolwide Yard Sale on Sat. October 15. We need: Volunteers (3-4 people for each 2 hour shift); Shade Canopies; Racks; Hangers; Tables. If you are donating items to be sold, please price them ahead of time so volunteers won't have to guess.
- Party of Gold fundraiser. We should have the party before the holidays as an incentive for people to sell for holiday cash. Date and venue TBD.
- Wine Tasting fundraiser. Tony will find the website and send to the board. We did not know whether the venue would accommodate everyone or if wine tasting appointments were sold individually.
- We are signing up to do NASCAR concessions in February.

Special Events – Tammy Reimche

- Band Practice on Halloween, Monday, October 31. We need volunteers to set up outside the band room, donations of candy, Gatorade, cookies, cupcakes Sign ups will take place at next parent meeting, Monday, October 17.

PAWS – Susan Liming

- PAWS stands for Parent Association Working for our Schools. We handle things like liability insurance and tax returns for Horizon's sports teams and clubs.
- School Cents – P.V. Mall promotion – All parents should bring receipts from anywhere in the mall or PV Costco to the Concierge desk and have them add to Horizon totals. Top totals earn money for the school.
- PAWS CAWS – Susan will find out if we can pass the bucket at games to help the district's homeless student population.
- The JCC (Jewish Community Center) on Scottsdale Rd. will rebate a portion of your registration fees to PAWS. Coach Tyree will give an additional 20% his fees for any student who signs up for his training camps at the JCC.
- We will be collecting donations for the band at the next concert, Tuesday, October 4 at 7pm.

Volunteer Coordinator – Amy Spinti

- Thanks to everyone who has volunteered so far, and please check our sign up sheets for future events.
- We especially need volunteers for our competitions. Next one is on October 1 in Gilbert. We will provide food for volunteers and students.
- Backdrops are done and we need 6 volunteers to push those in addition to 8 volunteers to push the pit at games and competitions.

New Business

- Someone brought up running a 50/50 ticket sale at the games, as they did at Deer Valley High. Susan said this raises gambling issues.
- Angie talked about making a picture disc to sell, but problems could arise with permission for photographing students (ie. Even though it would only be sold to band members' family and friends, if someone uses one of the pictures on Facebook, it could be a second-hand problem)

***Jason Harrison was not able to make it in from the field in time to give the Director's report this month.

Adjourn at 7:34 p.m.