

**Bryan Viking Band Boosters**  
**Tuesday, April 9, 2019**  
**Meeting Minutes**

**1. Call to Order 6:02 PM**

Present were Mark & Ginger Scarborough, Michael & Becky Kramr, Jennifer Moore, Susan Gandy, Sandra Chumchal, Channa Eckert, and Ken Newbold

**2. Celebrate!**

- Winter Guard - Made Prelims and Semi Finals at WGI World in Dayton.
- UIL – Bands Received 1's on stage
- BVI - 3<sup>rd</sup> in State on April 6; 6 current BHS band students were members of the inaugural group

**3. Thank You!**

- To the parents, students, and friends that volunteered time for 2019 TCGC Color Guard and Percussion Championships

**4. Encourage & Support**

- Walkie-Talkies – to be used by chaperones and directors during MAT, marching season, contests to maintain contact when we are separated by distances and need to communicate. Set of 10 for \$110 on Amazon, can add additional ear pieces. Michael Kramr made a motion to purchase the Walkie-Talkies; Channa Eckert seconded: Motion unanimous
- Griddle – purchase two propane flat top griddles from Academy, about \$400 each to allow for an additional food choice at contests for our students and families and to support more band socials.
  - Concerns – Where to store when not in use? How to haul it?Michael Kramr made a motion to purchase the two griddles; Jennifer Moore seconded the motion. Vote for the griddle purchase was unanimous.

**5. Previous meeting minutes.**

The meeting minutes from March 2019 meeting were presented. Jennifer Moore made a motion to accept the minutes; seconded by Michael Kramr. The meeting minutes were approved unanimously.

**6. Treasurer's Report**

The Treasurer's report for March 2019 was presented. Our beginning balance was \$44,963.37. Deposits for the month were \$8,486.34 and disbursements were \$4,807.69. The ending balance at the end of February was \$4,862.02. Ginger Scarborough made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report; seconded by Channa Eckert. The report was approved unanimously.

## **7. Directors Report**

- Successful UIL Contest – both bands performed well
  - Wind Symphony - Difficult music for concert; Sight reading judges seemed to be judging harder
  - Symphonic Band – Laura did a great job!
  - Middle Schools are making great strides to build a band culture as well
- Solos – optional, top students will perform in the Honors Solo Recital – May 16 at 7:00 PM in black Box Theater – all are welcome to come and enjoy.
- Spring Concert – May 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in PAC
- Audition music for concert bands is available
- Drum Major/Section Leader tryouts will be 1<sup>st</sup> week in May.
- Summer Camps – Looking at SFA Band Camp, June 9-14, \$435 tuition includes full week room and board as well as BISD transportation to and from Nacogdoches.
- Scholarship Opportunities
  - Summer camps
  - Private Lessons
  - Indoor/Winter Groups (BVI, Winter Guard)

## **8. Help Needed (Thank you in advance!)**

## **9. Project Summary**

- Mulch – update coming at a later date
- Scholarship update – recipients will be announced at banquet and BHS Scholarship Awards program

## **10. New Business**

- Officers Nominations for 2019 - 2020
  - Vice President - John Byers
  - Treasurer – Sandra Chumchal

Unopposed positions; vote was unanimous for both officer elections

## **11. Adjournment**

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM.

**Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 14, 2019**