

# YJBF General Meeting 02/13/2024

## *Minutes*

Attendance: Isaac Belcher, Ronda Melton, Kelly Erb, Sandra Cochran, Heather Carter, Keri Lesur, Linsee Wheat

★ Call to order 6:06pm

★ Minutes: January minutes - review and approve Amanda motioned, Keri 2nd

★ Directors' Reports

○ Mr. Childs -

Spring trip- Mr Copeland has come up with a new company and plan

Paperwork will be due thursday

Headcount will affect cost

Deposit is \$150 and will be due the 20th

Next years trip will be planned early- looking for a reveal at spring camp

Solo and ensemble is coming up

830 start to the day- 745 volunteers need to arrive

There will be 4 performance rooms

Hospitality will feed lunch to volunteers - est 30 people

○ Mr. Copeland

Symphonic will perform at 930 on the 26th at TSU

○ Mr. Conway

Fundraiser delivery will be next week

Trip payments are due

HJH trip is April 13th

Gilbert trip is May 11th

There will be a UIL performance during swarm Thursday and friday at HJH

○ Mrs. Lowe

○ Mr. Swisher

1st indoor comp was a first place finish

2nd movement is being added

Next show is March 9th

Shells on instruments are getting worse they will be switching to blue pearls from other campuses

New instruments were purchased at TMEA

Currently 11 students in private lessons

○ Mrs. Childs

## ★ Board Reports

- *President* -
  - Charms has removed some orders from last year causing students to show credit balances when they shouldn't. Accounts have been reviewed and a spreadsheet started to safely track accounts for the remainder of the year.
  - Start thinking about board positions for next year - message with your preferences as well as anyone you know that might be interested.
  - Committees have been formed for:
    - Band Banquet
    - Solo and Ensemble (concessions)
    - Hamburger Supper
    - Scholarships
- *Vice President* -
- *Secretary* -  
Tarleton band camp flyers are circulating. Scholarships available
- *Treasurer's Report* -  
current balance is \$90,750.41
- *Hospitality* -  
all region went great  
\$150 reimbursement  
Budget is on track for year  
Solo and ensemble help and will be facilitating TSU festival the end of February
- *Spirit* -
- *Volunteer* -
- *Membership* - Contact has been made with all trailer sponsors and checks should start coming in soon. We will open a second bank account when they do. Logos are also supposed to be on their way. A list of sponsors has been sent to Sandra for the banquet program.
- *Band Banquet* - Theme has been selected: Wild West / Rodeo Disco
  - Next committee meeting:
    - Review current budget - have \$2500 to cover cost of food and will need at least \$4500 (some of this will be recovered from attendees that have to pay). Decor budget is \$1000.
- *Percussion* - First indoor contest - 1st place! We fed lunch before students left the school and pizza in the parking lot after performance.
  - Parents are working on props and frames.

- *Jazz* -  
Jazz lunch coming soon. February 22nd
- *Media* -
- *Fundraising* - Calendar fundraiser is underway.
- *Color Guard / Winter Guard* -
- *HJH* -  
HJH and Gilbert fundraiser brought in \$11,000
- *Gilbert* -

★ **Old Business**

- Private Lessons - it was mentioned that we should consider covering the full cost of private lessons instead of just half. Discussion?

★ **New Business**

- Spring trip - discuss updates. A contract has not been signed, so all information is tentative.
  - Commitment forms have been given to students. There is more interest in the trip since it has been changed. Forms are due back this Thursday and there will be a better idea of how many plan to go at that time.
  - 65 or fewer students attending will only need one charter bus.
  - Cost of a charter bus for the entire trip is ~\$4200.
  - Deposit amount is \$150 and will be due next Tuesday (4/20).
- Scholarship applications will be brought to the school in March. Scholarships are announced at the Spring Concert on 4/30. Encourage all seniors to complete an application.

★ **Motion to adjourn- Sandra motioned, Heather 2nd**

**Future meeting date: February 13, 2024**

**Important dates:**

February 17: Winterguard Contest @ Naaman Forrest HS

February 24: Solo & Ensemble @ SHS

February 26-27: TSU Invitational Wind Festival

March 2: Winterguard Contest @ Waxahachie

March 8: UTA Jazz Festival Working on getting into TCU festival

March 9: Indoor Percussion Contest @ South Grand Prairie

March 21: Pre UIL Concert and Hamburger Supper

March 23: Indoor Percussion Contest @ Forney HS; Winterguard Championship @ Flower Mound HS

March 27-28: UIL Concert and Sight Reading @ SHS

April 8: Indoor Percussion Family and Friends Showcase @ HJH

April 13: Indoor Percussion Championship @ Burleson Centennial HS

April 15, 22, 29: Jacket Jam Practice 4-5

April 20: Band Banquet

April 30: Spring Concert

May 6: Jacket Jam Dress Rehearsal 4 - 6:30

May 9: Jacket Jam

**Committee Volunteers:**

**Band Banquet Committee**

Ronda, Linsee, Lindsey, Krista, Sandra, Kelly, Jamie, Heather, Keri, Loretta, Aleida, Julie

**Solo & Ensemble (Concessions) Committee**

Lindsey, Krista, Kelly, Keri, Julie

**Hamburger Supper Committee**

Linsee, Lindsey, Krista, Kelly, Jamie, Heather, Keri, Julie

**Scholarship Committee**

Krista?, Linsee, Lindsey