## Edgewood Band Boosters Open Meeting EHS Bandroom November 10, 2020

**In Attendance:** Melissa McNaughton, Jesse Ruskaup, Nicole Andrews, Aimee Simpson, Buck Simpson, Mel Lawson, Nick Fields, Stacey Quincy

Call to Order: 7:00

**Treasurer's Report:** Nicole went over the summary of accounts and reported that there is very little going to & from. We received another \$20 from Rosetta Moore from masks sales. Mel reported that we had around \$3900 income for the general & instrument funds and that we have an overall net loss of around \$2600 this year.

Motion to Accept: Buck 2nd: Melissa McNaughton

**Director's Report:** Please see attached. The directors and athletic department are trying to come up with plans for high school pep band. They are not sure about tickets. We will send out info once we have it. Nick reported that they are waiting to hear if the middle school will provide instrument covers for EMS band students. The directors are still looking into options for the next Disney trip. It may be pushed back a year.

Motion to Accept: Aimee 2nd: Jesse

**Secretary's Report:** A moment was given to go over last month's meeting minutes.

Motion to Accept: Buck 2nd: Nick

**Old Business:** Mel said she spoke to Greg Brown about concession stand expectations and that it is expected that we be open for all games if we can be. There is a 300 person capacity in the gym. She reported that we

received some feedback from concession surveys that were sent out. 26 people responded. Many said they would volunteer if they knew that COVID protocols are in place. Many said they haven't volunteered due to their work schedule. Some said that they just don't want to. We will be meeting after this meeting to discuss the menu. We would like to do a "how to" video before basketball starts. Nick will try to get with Mel next week to get that going. Stacey has been working on making a flyer to rebrand concession volunteering as a regular fundraiser. We will send out a Winter Fundraiser flyer with a schedule & directions attached with the option to sign up online or email the boosters what shifts you'd like to work. This will be for all grades. We will send this out via email and paper copies. Nick suggested moving the Sign Up Genius link to the front page of the band website so its easier to find. Aimee suggested pinning the link to the top of the family facebook page. Aimee asked if it has to be band people who volunteer. Mel said that it does not. She needs to find the advisor for NHS and said that we've also reached out to Scouts in the past and that the Edgewood Ministerial Association does some volunteering. We would like to have more kids volunteer. Nick suggested maybe assigning each pep band member a night to work instead of play. Maybe half the night. There were concerns expressed that the students don't always show up to pep band & might not come to work when they're supposed to. Mel reported that we need to work on officer recruitment so that we can start training people this year. Stacey & Melissa M. are both on their last years. Mel & Nicole only have 1 year left. We need to make this need public knowledge. Stacey reported that Jesse will be taking the secretary position next year & will start the training process now. We discussed a couple parents who have shown that they may be interested. Aimee & Buck will continue to be the extra people & help where needed as they have been. Nick has some contact/volunteer forms that were returned. We have received some donations for the Concert Clothes Concert. Mel will bring them to school and she & Nick will take them over to the middle school. The clothes can be used by choir students or any other students in the district who may need them.

Motion to Accept: Melissa M. 2nd: Buck

Adjourn: 7:58





