



# **Soddy Daisy High School Band Boosters Meeting Minutes February 5, 2024**

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## **Call to Order**

Angel Rouse called to order the regular meeting of Soddy Daisy High School Band Boosters at 7:00 p.m., February 5, 2024 in the SDHD Band room. In attendance were Joshua Light, Angel Rouse, Karen McCuiston, Martin McCanless, Tim Woodward, Marie Williams, Carmen Tolley, Greg Schug, Jody Whitmire, Don Tindell, Jen Tindell, Amanda Lively, Ronnie Blevins, Donna Meade, Bob Rouse, Amanda Mallard, Heather Hammonds, Stephanie Putnam, Chris Harris, Amanda Harris, Scott Leamon, Ellen Leamon

## **Reading and approval of previous meeting's minutes**

Jen Tindell approved the minutes and Mandy Suttles seconded the approval. The minutes were approved.

## **Reports**

### **a. Chaperones**

**A couple of events coming up needing chaperones. Mr. Light will go over those events later in the meeting.**

### **a. Treasurer**

Around \$115,000 in account. Some larger upcoming payments are still outstanding, one being the final Disney payment.

### **b. Fundraising**

Strawberry Sale right now – Due February 9<sup>th</sup> – The delivery date is still tentative. There will be a sign-up genius coming out for students and parents to volunteer to help distribute.

Mattress Sale – March 2

Dime to Donate coming up at Salsaritas in February, Tentative other Dine to Donates will be Miller's Ale House in March and Texas Roadhouse in April

April's fundraiser is Krispy Kreme. Online fundraiser.

Silent Auction at the Spring Concert – If you have any contacts for businesses or items for donation, please contact Carmen.

- c. Concessions  
Nothing new for concessions
- d. Equipment  
February 16<sup>th</sup> – Will need help bringing percussion equipment back from All County Band concert that evening.
- e. WinterGuard  
This Saturday, February 10<sup>th</sup> - WinterGuard camp to set the rest of the show for the year 9 a.m.-5p.m.

#### 4. Reports of special committees

- a. none

#### 5. Unfinished business

- a. none

#### 6. New business

- a. Upcoming Events & Announcements: Mr. Light went over all of the calendar events from the band website. Please look over those events.

All County Auditions this Thursday, February 8<sup>th</sup>, Lookout Valley Middle/High School. Christ United Methodist Church is the location for the All County Band Performance on February 16<sup>th</sup>

March 4<sup>th</sup> – Executive Board Meeting followed by a parent meeting for anyone going on the Disney trip.

Disney Trip – March 11-15

Concert Festival March 19 or 20<sup>th</sup>- still waiting on date from UTC

WinterGuard contest – Karnes High School – March 23<sup>rd</sup>

April 6<sup>th</sup> – Championships -Jefferson County High School

7 students attended All East Concert the weekend of February 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>

Navy Band concert – February 14<sup>th</sup>. Everyone should have a ticket for the concert. The concert is free but you must have a ticket to get in the door. You can find a link to the

tickets on the band website [sdhsband.org](http://sdhsband.org) You are able to get 6 tickets at a time and are able to get as many as you need by signing in again and acquiring more. You will need to park in the ROTC area and other places around campus.

SnapRaise fundraiser in the fall allowed us to purchase 3 brand new concert tubas. Mr. Leamon was able to come and help unpack and get those set up for students.

b. Nomination Committee for the upcoming Executive Board Election

Nominations will come up April 8<sup>th</sup> at the next booster meeting. A representative for each grade level will need to be assigned to contact parents in the respective grades to get nominations for the executive board. 4 definite positions will roll off the board because they are parents of graduating seniors. If you work for Hamilton County Schools, you are unable to serve as a treasurer for the band.

We need an 11<sup>th</sup> grade parent, 10<sup>th</sup> grade parent, and 9<sup>th</sup> grade parent.

We are looking to really grow over the next 4 years.

8<sup>th</sup> grade band has 56 at Loftis and 23 at SDMS

7<sup>th</sup> grade band has 57 at Loftis and 36 at SDMS

6<sup>th</sup> grade band has 56 at Loftis and 62 at SDMS

c. Questions from boosters?

A motion was made by Mandy Suttles to adjourn the meeting. Martin McCanless seconded the motion and the booster meeting was adjourned.