

HBPA General Meeting, August 14, 2014

The meeting began at 7:00PM with a welcome from Jeff Cunningham, HBPA President.

ALL volunteers were recognized for their time and dedication to the band thus far. The goal is for everyone to be “plugged in,” to ensure the future success of the organization.

Jeff Dooley, HBPA Treasurer, gave the treasure’s report indicating that dues are coming in steadily, the golf tournament generated around \$11,000, and currently HBPA’s budget is on target.

SEVMG (South Eastern Virginia Music Games) was explained by Mr. Enloe as a competition that is hosted by HBPA and the Hickory Marching Hawks. It will be held on September 27, 2014 at Hickory High School. Robyn Tanega, HBPA Vice President, will be the chair person for this event. Many volunteers are needed to ensure the success of this event. Please contact Robyn Tanega at hertanega@gmail.com.

Jeff Cunningham addressed communication and how parents can “plug” themselves in to HBPA by utilizing the tools in the “**Communication Tool Kit.**” Tools in the kit include the **website**, hhsbands.org, where you can find emails of directors, board members, committee chairs, and the Facebook page, HBPA-Hickory Band Parent Association.

A big thank you went out to Aaron Jacka for his work in updating the website. Any concerns regarding operation of the site can be sent to him at aaronjacka@yahoo.com.

Mr.Enloe and Ms. Cox shared that band camp is going VERY well! “The kids are fantastic, have great spirit, and are having a terrific time.” The band currently has 196 members on the roster.

The theme for this year’s show is “When Winter Begins...” Snowflakes are being made by members of the Pit Crew. **The Preview Show date is being rescheduled. Mr. Enloe and Ms. Cox will post the new date.**

Rhonda Murray, Spirit Wear Chair, announced that Parent Show Shirts will be on sale starting next week for \$15.00. An order form will be available online.

Important Dates:

September 13th, Fall Camp

September 27th, SEVMG

October 4th, Grassfield Competition

October 18th, Indian River or Sportsplex(Princess Anne)

October 24th, Newark, Delaware for BOA Competition at the University of Delaware

Nov. 1st, Cary Band Day, Cary, North Carolina (Raleigh area)

The meeting adjourned at 7:45PM

Respectfully submitted,

Lorie Wilson, HBPA Secretary