

**NPMA General Parent Meeting Minutes
Monday, March 15, 2021
Telecommunication via Zoom**

Welcome and Approval of February 2021 General Parent Meeting Minutes

Annemarie Thornton called the meeting to order at 6:35 p.m. Stephen Hammond moved to accept the February 2021 General Parent Meeting Minutes; 2nd by Katy Joyce. Motion carried. Minutes approved.

Mr. Santanello, Mr. Haddad

- Indoor Programs fully underway.
- First Virtual Competition was last weekend for drumline
- Color guard this weekend
- Working on bringing in spectators (parents, friends, family)
 - Similar to Community Knight due to school policy
- NPMK-recruiting
 - Camp on Feb 27, 50 students attended
 - Mar 20 is next camp, 4-9 p.m.
 - Color guard/DrumLine recruiting also in process
 - Open rehearsals for Middle School Students to observe
 - NP day of Color Guard/Percussion
 - Hands on clinics
 - Grades 4 and up
- Jazz Band is underway
 - Looking for performance opportunities
 - Whites Road performance coming up
 - Depends on approval of Rapid Test for students
- Rapid Test
 - Requires Parent Volunteers
 - 15 minute process
 - Students test themselves with guidance
 - Nasal swab
 - Results logged and reported
 - Cleared students are able to participate
 - Positive test results require a second test of different type to assure results
 - Proposal being written currently
 - Could begin in approximately two weeks
- Parents-Mr. Santanello is planning on having the full band together for next season
 - Planning on fewer restrictions
 - Expecting a “normal” Marching Knights season

- Full Band show being planned
- Question about show-will it be a new show? Some students do not want to return if not a new show. Mr. Santanello-there were conversations about reusing the 2020 show for many reasons. Decided to proceed with a new show.

Executive Officer Summary Reports

- **1st Vice President / Fundraising – Andrea Hinderliter**

- Texas Roadhouse Dine Around on March 21st @ 12-4pm
- Made \$90 at Freddy's Dine Around
- Spring Clothing Drive

- **2nd Vice President / Publicity/Sponsorship– Jenn Karpf**

- **Treasurer – Jen Logan**

NPMA Treasurer's Report Feb 2021

- Accounts have been reconciled through the month of Feb
 - Checking= Feb Closing Balance \$33,766.01
 - SC Market= \$25,031.51
 - Holding Money Market= \$5,003.13
- Income for Feb +\$17,361.23
 - Scrip, NPMK, WP & VE payments, Amazon Smile, Donations
- Expenses for Feb -\$-3,058.54
 - Scrip, Salaries, Operating Expenses (Zoom, DocuSign, QuickBooks)

*** Message from Treasurer, Jen Logan. All held checks were deposited 2/19. Thank you for your patience.*

Any questions should be sent to npma.treasurer@gmail.com

- **Assistant Treasurer - Alicia Hayes**

- Is checking blue box every day so please put checks in there
- Everything is up to date at this point

- **Recording Secretary - Deb Neild**

- Nothing at this time

- **Corresponding Secretary - Christy Johannesson**

- Nothing at this time

Unfinished Business

- Band Banquet update - committee will be meeting soon, Senior Steins are ordered and invitation will be in next week's bulletin
 - Mr. Santanello has survey data to share
 - 34 students responded out of 81
 - 22 would definitely attend
 - Rest would maybe attend
 - 97 percent want awards
 - 67% want BBQ/dinner
 - 73% want kickball/softball game against staff
 - 52% want DJ/dance
 - 1/3 respondents were Seniors
 - 1/3 Juniors
- General Elections - nominations in April, voting in May (reminder to send email to Karen & Annemarie npma.president@gmail.com if interested in any position)
- Question regarding Program Book-can show information be provided? Mr. Santanello will provide.
 - President information also needed

New Business

- Committee Chair positions - if interested or have questions, please email Karen & Annemarie

Upcoming Events

- Woodwind & Brass Camp - Saturday, March 20th (4-9 PM)
- Dine-out March 21st, (12-4 PM) - Texas Roadhouse

Elected Chairpersons Summary Reports (As Applicable)

- **Quartermaster – Rob Johannesson/Hope Heck/Kris Neild**
 - Nothing at this time
- **Refreshments (Concessions) – Stephen Hammond/Brian Heck/Victoria Shelly**
 - Stephen asked when they can get into the new building
 - Mr. Santanello has no information to report
- **Sewing - Katy Joyce**
 - Uniforms are in and they look great.
 - Still waiting on a flag to come in, but that portion of the show has not been reached yet.
 - No one has reached out about the sewing chair position yet.

- Middle School not doing a show-they are focusing on skills and will perform for parents at the end of the season

- **Uniforms - Rose Durkin (absent)**

- Nothing to report.
- Karen added that if no Memorial Day Parade, uniforms will be collected earlier than normal
- Question was raised about attending a different township's parade
 - Mr. Santanello-the NPMK's would need permission
 - There is currently a ban on field trips per the School Board
 - Jenny suggested parents speaking to the School Board regarding this policy as Sports Teams are able to travel.

- **Student Financials – Jenny Platt**

- **STUDENT CREDIT as of 2/28/21**
 - GLScrip: \$383.86----all GLScrip (with exception of in-stock reports are updated in Charms)
 - Total Student Credit earned: \$383.86
 - Student credit transfer for NPWP Fees-\$125
- **FUND BALANCES as of 2/28/21**
 - Total Student Credit: \$7733.14
 - Knights in Need Fund: \$8,708.10
 - Director's Fund: \$ 136.50
 - Instrument Replacement Fund: \$ 1066.82
 - Trophy Fund: \$160
- **Outstanding Fees:**
 - MK Fees/Accessories-
1 Student outstanding for full fee and accessories

Next General Parent Meeting - April 19th, 2021 (via Zoom)

Stephen Hammond made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Katy Joyce second the motion; motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:24 p.m.

Attendees:

Karen Diehl, Annemarie Thornton, Deb Neild, Kris Neild, Mr. Santanello, Alicia Hayes, Jen Diffley, Andrea Hinderliter, Tony and Lynne Reamer, Sue Mooney, John Hayes, Michelle Wenner, Katy Joyce, Christy Johannesson, Barb Tracanna, Jenny Platt, Hope Heck, Michelle Ashley, Becky Weaver, Stephen Hammond, Karen Bitting, Jerry Kosmin, Victoria Shelly, Lisa Lupinacci, Liz Overton, John Ashley,