

Archbishop Ryan Marching Band Alumni Association General Membership Meeting Minutes

Tuesday August 12, 2008

Officer/Board Member Attendance:

Brian Agger	Dan Wierzbicki
Bob O'Brien	Trish Murphy
Beth Finnegan	Steve Kates

Presentation of Minutes:

- July minutes unanimously accepted.

Reports of Officers/Committee Chairs:

Brian – President

- The Solicitation Letter went out via email
- Would like to follow it up with a mailing to our core group
- Need to develop list of core group.

Bob -Vice President:

- Nothing to report.

Beth - Secretary:

- Nothing to report.

Dan – By-Laws Committee Chair:

- By-Law Amendment – Passed.

Toni – Social Committee Chair:

- Are we going to put an ad in the newsletter?

Steve – Scholarship Committee Chair:

- Need to form Scholarship Committee for Scholarship interviews on August 25 @ 6:30pm.
- Need to change website deadline.
- Band Parents – Aug 19 Push Scholarships
- Reilly Scholarship Pics - Bagged

Financial:

- We made \$224 from Thunder Game

Unfinished Business:

- Thank You Bob for Thunder Fundraiser
- Mayfair Thanksgiving Parade
 - Parade pays \$200 for participation
 - That would cover flatbed rental – try to find truck for free.
 - Hold until Alumni Practice starts
 - The Parade is excited to have Alumni in the Parade
 - Parade is November 23 with a rain date of December 7
- Bob fixed and re-hung the Cavalcade Plaques
- Alumni Band:
 - Recruit for Band
 - There are a lot of practices, but you don't have to attend every practice.
- We would like to purchase a Podium Cady for the Band for \$216 with Shipping & Handling included.
- The updated DVD is in progress, it has to be rebuilt from scratch.

- Bob to check with his Mother-in-law regarding Beneficial Bank's Grant Program.
- We are giving the Band \$50/per member x 40 members = \$2,000.00

New Business:

- Posting of the Minutes
 - Post minutes for review, then approve at meeting?
 - Approve minutes, revise, repost?
 - Thread on Boards for review, then post?
 - It was decided that we should post minutes for review, and approve/make changes at following meeting.
 - Dan will write amendment.
- Hall of Fame Solicitation Letter is different than the General Solicitation Letter.
 - What things should be put in?
 - HOF Class, money spent, plaques, sound system, scholarship winners, '09 B & B info, info about Solicitation Letter, website info.
- Bob has info on a Phantoms Fundraiser – we will table this for now.
- Band Parents are having Flea Market on 9/6 – it is \$15 per table, Brian mentioned gathering stuff we want to get rid of, selling it at the Flea Market, then donating the proceeds to the ARMBAA.
 - Will post info on the boards.

Nominations:

- President:
 - Brian Agger '86
- Vice President:
 - Bob O'Brien '95
- Secretary:
 - Katie Weaver '95
- Treasurer:
 - Beth Kelly-Finnegan '98
- Elections will be held at the next meeting Tuesday September 9, 2008 at 7pm
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Next Meeting is Tuesday September 9, 2008 at 7pm