Archbishop Ryan Marching Band Alumni Association
General Membership Meeting Minutes

Wednesday October 13, 2010

Officer/Board Member Attendance:

- Bob O'Brien
- Beth Finnegan
- Samantha Warner

Presentation of Minutes:

- September minutes were not accepted due to errors. Secretary will make corrections and re-distribute.

Reports of Officers/Committee Chairs:

Bob – President

- Nothing to report.

Beth -Vice President:

- Nothing to report.

Samantha- Secretary:

- Nothing to report.

Jen/Kevin – Treasurer

- Nothing to report.

Kristin Bream – Activities Committee Chair:

- The Texas Roadhouse fundraiser was completed. We are awaiting totals.
- We are looking into doing a fundraiser with the Flyers much the same as the Phillies fundraiser.

Hall of Fame Committee Chair:

- A member of the Alumni will be emailed about their nomination to the HoF Chair.

Chris Kilian – By Laws Committee Chair:

- Nothing to report.

Steve Hnosko - Scholarship Committee Chair:

- $125 was awarded to two students. Each winner also received a $20 gift certificate to Nifty Fifties. The student's plates were also hung.

Financial:

- We have $3820.74 in the account.
- We will have four signatures set up on the checks for the account.
- Treasurer will keep a running tally of how much the Marching Band owes the Alumni Association so that the Association can be reimbursed.

Web Site:

- We are still looking for more pictures to be added.
- The donation link to the Hat's will be removed.

Current Marching Band:

- A BIG thank you to the Cardinal Doughtery Alumni Band for donating $200 to the Hat fund. Every member of the Marching Band now has a hat as well as a plume. The link to the Hat donation site will be removed from the website and a thank you will also be published in the next newsletter.
- At the Owen J. Roberts competition the band placed 3rd.
- At the Plymouth-Whitemarsh competition the band placed 2nd.
- The Bensalem competition will be October 16. The band is slated to go on the field at 7:50pm.
- The Coatsville competition will be on October 30. There is no competition on October 23.
- We are desperate for more help to load/unload the truck and move equipment on and off the field.

Alumni Band:

- Ryan's Alumni Band has been invited to play with Cardinal Dougherty's Alumni Band – practices will be Monday evenings.
- There will be no parade this year.
- We are looking to put together a small group to play music from the green books at the Christmas Show.

Old Business:

- Turkey Bingo is scheduled for November 12th

New Business:

- We are looking for your suggestions for fundraisers for the organization to conduct. Please contact Bob O'Brien with your suggestions
- We are looking into Nifty Fifty's for a fundraiser as well as a Quizzo night.
- Fundraiser idea proposed- Lottery. Secretary will work on a prototype and send it to the President and the Vice President.

Beef and Beer:

- Dates proposed- **1)** 3/19/11 **2)** 4/2/11 **3)** 3/26/11 from 8pm-12am.
- Location proposed- Post 810.
- We will ask for a 2nd bartender and ensure cup supply.
- Catering will be done by Harry.
- Music will be done by Jimmy.
- Early Bird special will be offered, deadline 3 weeks before date.

Next Meeting is Wednesday November, 2010 at 7:30pm in the Band Room (unless otherwise noted).

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