

Parkside Junior High School Bands

BAND BOOSTERS

SEPTEMBER 10, 2019

1. Roll Call, Introductions

In attendance:

- Lindsey Taylor
- Pamela Jones
- Angela DeJaynes
- Jennifer Bolton
- Missy Russell

2. Extracurricular Ensembles at PJHS

- **Honor Band** – 1st Rehearsal Wednesday, September 18 – sent electronic invites to the students this year and a follow up to the parents. Responses are due by September 11. Parent meeting Monday, Sept 16. Practice times will be Monday 5 – 7:30 and Wednesday 4-5. Several students from Chiddix will be joining the band.
- **Jazz Band** – 1st Rehearsal TBA – will start in winter. Mrs. Bolton will hand out music and have a few practice sessions to gain interest before the official start of Jazz Band (most likely January timeframe).

3. Volunteer Opportunities

- **Secretary** – Pamela Jones
- **Locker Tags** (ILMEA Audition Tags - October 7) – Pamela Jones
- **Fundraiser Helpers** – need 5-6 parents to help sort cookies and organize when they arrive
- **Concert Committee** – need help for end of the year concert, 1 event, set up cake/cookies, have at least one meeting prior to the 8th grade commencement.
- **MRS BOLTON TO DO:** create 7th grade Leadership Team – they can stay and help clean up after 8th grade event as one of their opportunities.
- **Parent Chaperones** - Parent Screenings – PAMELA JONES TO DO: Contact Unit 5 to determine what is required of chaperones this year, send out CHARMS email to parents if they are chaperoning any events to complete the requirements of Unit 5. Set up CHAPERONE group in CHARMS.

4. Current Fundraiser

Should arrive 2 weeks from Wednesday – UPDATE will arrive approx. 2-3 weeks after order is submitted and payment is made – order will be turned in Weds Sept 11.

Fannie May – November – kids receive 100% of the profits in their CHARMS accounts from this sale

5. Music Parent Representative

- Mrs. DeJaynes (Mrs. Jones Backup) Mrs. Russell said she can also serve as alternate backup

6. Dine to Donate Setup

Mrs. DeJaynes will coordinate the upcoming Dine to Donate opportunities. Blaze Pizza, PotBelly, Carls on October 29 which is concert night.

7. Sodux Fundraiser

A parent suggested to Mrs. Bolton about students serving at concessions for ISU events – proceeds would go to band. It was agreed that this is a good opportunity. MRS BOLTON to follow up with parent and make arrangements.

8. Other Business

Spaghetti Dinner coming up on November 4. Will need to send out a 5th grade parent sign up with SIGN UP GENIUS to make sure parents are available to help at Normal West HS.

Saturday, December 14, Holiday/Thank You party for Band Boosters at Mrs. Bolton's house. 6:00 pm.

Ice Cream Social was cancelled due to weather. Rescheduling a BACK TO SCHOOL TAILGATE event on October 6 at Maxwell Park. Reserve park from 3-5:30, event from 3:30 – 5, will provide hot dogs, buns, condiments, and chips. Families to bring their own drinks.

Mrs. Bolton researching the purchase of new stands for the band room. Will hopefully be ordered this fall.

Mrs. Bolton purchased a new Baritone Sax for the band. It has arrived and is placed with student.

9. Next meeting – October 8 @ 5:30

10. Adjourn