

Executive BBB Meeting

April 4, 2022 in the Orchestra Room

Call to Order by President, Cassie Fothergill, at 5:34 p.m.

Banquet committee meeting went well. Decorations, senior gifts, moving along well. Ticket sales will be with digital ticketing, with seats choice being selected at purchase time. There are several purchase options at time of purchase. (Auction items and tickets)

Alpha Lit to have M100 light up letters for \$325, similar to last year.

Photo Social option for a photo booth, base package is \$400-\$500 for 2 hours.

Most of the group decided that the photo option was better use of funds, than the M100 light up letters. Jennifer Little and Hope Brown mentioned sponsoring the photo option for the banquet. Liz Adams discussed balloon arches, centerpieces to refresh and no other costs for decoration other than photo clothes line.

Senior Blankets arrived and they will be sent for personalization. Band booster senior gift made by Jennifer Little handmade canvas bags to resemble the uniforms including mock shako box to house the gifts.

Nominations for Booster of the Year were only for Danny and Angelique Fountain, unanimously voted for by the executive committee.

Steve Bower discussed the consumables, mainly jugs. They are available for \$8.50-9 each and we sell them for \$15. Same price as found at most retail stores.

Shirts for the incoming freshman for 4th of July are sponsored normally. There are only around 10 remaining. These shirts are normally sponsored, Lesley O. and Cassie will check into this.

We will use Red's for the next year order for the summer spirit store. Print-It has not been stellar. Unders will go to direct purchase, so that BBB are not in the middle of that purchase. It just needed more streamlining.

Future fundraisers: Sonic March night provided a profit of \$440. Basket items in the silent auction of the banquet are including several varieties. BBQ, gardening, HS football, Kid games, Photography, Card my Yard, Summer activities, Food truck, Fitness, M100, Belton merchandise. We are looking for donations for these options, and more if able.

Concert concessions for all of the spring concerts were voted yes for the 2 middle school bands, jazz, percussion, and high school band.

General BBB Meeting

6:30 p.m. in the orchestra room

Call to order was at 6:34 p.m. by President, Cassie Fothergill.

Minutes were reviewed, with a change needed from Rebecca Wagner to Kristi Blattner, regarding the guard. Change has been made. With that change the minutes from March were approved by Liz Adams, and second was made by Steve Bower.

Treasurer's report by Steve Bower; BBB brought in \$5,900 and \$2,800 was spent in March. We are still in the slower time of year with money coming and going. We need to be looking for more 'grand' fundraising efforts, with sponsorships. Lesley O. is waiting to hear back from Temple College about a \$2,500 sponsorship for the band t-shirts and a vinyl for the trailer to show their sponsorship. We are running at lower funds and need to replace funds. The motion to approve the treasurer's report was made by Danny Fountain, second made by Rebecca Wagner.

Director's Report

- BHS – calendar provided with all dates and info needed to communicate with parents and student for the upcoming 22-23 year. Weekly updates from Mrs. Gill are also available with the latest news/info possible.
- BMS – Chris Pulley took his bands to the UIL contest earning a 2-1-1 in both concert and sight-reading contests for the symphonic and wind ensemble bands. They are gearing up for all region jazz, and a spring trip to Typhoon Texas along with all of the band/choir/orch. In the middle schools of BISD. May 18 is the spring concert for BMS at BHS PAC.

Committee Reports

- Banquet – digital ticketing will be used, food is secured, 63 tables. Liz Adams is heading the decorations. May 8th is the deadline, and April 17th, is the date for live tickets.
 - Steve Bower volunteers his talents to create a M100 for the banquet for less than \$100. Centerpieces will be 8x10 photos from this year.
 - Balloon pillars or archways at the BC Expo center. PLEASE contact Liz if you are able to set-up for the banquet on 5/20.
 - Lesley O is leading the silent auction baskets for the banquet.
- Color Guard placed 8th at the State competition, concluding a great season.

Looking to have the container moved. Danny helped clean out the trash. Will have it sold soon and hopefully for the same price that it was purchased.

There are still 3 major spots to fill for the 22-23 BBB Exec. Board, President, Treasurer, and VP of Operations. We will be voting in May, so this is needing to be filled in before the May BBB Meeting. If you have any suggestions, please contact Colleen Sterns.

Steve Bower would like to fully move over the Treasurer's Report to QuickBooks. Chris Pulley and Teresa Bechtal made the motion and second, respectively. The price is unknown, but not overly expensive for the ability to work online with all of the information.

Business Scholarships and Program Ads to add to Old Business for the May 2022 meeting.

Motion to adjourn was made by Liz Adams, second made by Jessica Dieter. Adjourned at 7:30 p.m.