

Lee's Summit West Music Parents Organization

March 3, 2023

Call to order: 7:03 pm

Vice-President Call to order - Shelley Hildreth (Kyle Twogood not present)

Secretary's Report - Joanne Simpson

- Monthly minutes will be posted within a week on the organization's website.

Treasurer's Report - Stacey Guzman

 (not present)

- 1099s for 2022 tax mailed last week; signed and sent to accountant
- Online Fundraiser wrapped. It will take some time to add funds to individual accounts--a notification will be sent when updated
- Updated financials will be available after the weekend

Vice-President's Report - Shelley Hildreth

- Thank you note shared from Chase Mortenson, who participated in The Collective at state. LSWMP provided a stipend for his participation.

Committee/Director Reports

Band: Liaison Chris Rodgers (not present)

Director: Clif Thurmond, Brandon Johnson

- Saturday, March 4 - Solo and ensemble contest at LSHS. Email information has been sent. This date coincides with the middle school large ensemble at Liberty North.
- Jazz and Percussion will perform an end-of-year concert on Apr 25, 2023
- Thursday, Apr 27, 2023 - State Solo & Ensemble Contest.
- May 4 - Concert, Symphonic and Wind Ensembles will perform.
- Clif shared some top-secret tentative plans regarding the fall marching show/uniforms. (Let your imaginations run.)

Orchestra: Liaison Tram Lawlor

- District Solo/Ensemble is March 4 at LEE'S SUMMIT HIGH SCHOOL- (may have been miscommunicated)
- Chamber is going to a Pre-Contest Festival with Dr. Kevin Noe at UMKC during the day on March 15.
- State Large Group for Chamber is March 22 (Wednesday)- Time TBA at LSW.

- Symphonic and Concert will go to a clinic event with Dr. Lani Hamilton at LSN on March 23 during the morning.

Choir: Liaison Angela Twogood (not present)

- Mass rehearsal for March 7 and March 14. Be on the lookout for times.
- Auditions are Monday 6 for the sing-off.
- 5/9 Music Awards
- 5/12 West Side Live

Winterguard:

- Won first place in 3/3 competitions to date!
- Will be performing at SLMS on 4/13
- Middle School Color Guard coming (hopefully!) this time next year

Fundraising Committee Coordinators: Jeff Kaminski/Hollie Bond

- Upcoming Restaurant Nights:
 - Chipotle (Oldham Pkwy-the new one with Chipotlane!): March 7, 4-8 pm
 - *Possible future restaurant nights* - Martin City Brewery 5-9 pm, no flyer needed, drive-in or carry-out; Houlihan's: dine-in only, yes flyer needed.
- Late April: Laundry soap/garbage bag fundraiser needs 1 week's notice. April 11-24. Product pickup on May 4, 2023.
- May 13: Mattress Sale - if sell over 60 units (mattress or adjustable frame), the cost of one trip will be additionally donated by the vendor
 - Kyle was nominated in absentia to don the mascot costume/sandwich board. It may or may not be malodorous.
- June: Fireworks Tent - info coming later
- 99 Pledges - \$11,391.37 raised through the online platform. Money will be distributed to individual BOOEE accounts within the next month.
- Concession money (for participating volunteers) will be distributed at the end of the sports season.

Merchandise Committee:

- looking to expand opportunities to purchase spirit wear.
- Volunteers for design and organization: Erin Racer volunteered at the February meeting
 - Ice Cream Social is Tuesday, Sep 19, 2023 discussed the opportunity to order/deliver at the Ice cream social

- Football games are Sept 1, 8, 15, 29; then October 20
- Patch Master - Tram Lawlor
 - Tram Lawlor graciously volunteered to be the patch coordinator at the February meeting.
 - Kyle will bring the old stock to Clif for storage.
 - The deadline to order and pay for patches is Mar 15, 2023
 - Email coming soon with order information. Delivery will be at awards night or by the end of the year.

Uniform Coordinators

Band/Tuxedos: Juliana Schmidt

- Clif provided top-secret teasers about potential changes to uniforms for the fall marching show

Food Service Committee Chair: Kelli Knapp

Music Festival Committee Chair: Shelley Hildreth

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Choir: Monday 20 and Tuesday 21 (will be after school)

4-7:30 both nights. Lighter performance schedule this year due to coinciding with other districts' Spring Breaks

Volunteers needed 2-8 pm

Orchestra: Wednesday, 3/22 (during school hours)

Volunteers are needed beginning at 7:30 am - 10:30 am, then again from 1:30-9 pm. Multiple shift options are available.

Band: Thursday 23rd (during school hours)

Volunteers are needed beginning at 7:30 am - 10:30 am, then again from 1:30-9 pm. Multiple shift options are available.

- Volunteers will be needed and greatly appreciated! This is a closed festival, so the only opportunity to spectate during the school day will be through volunteer positions.
 - Sign-up Genius coming soon
- Food
 - Meals are provided for judges and directors.
 - The concession stand has struggled the last two years due to Covid and weather cancellations.
 - Pizza will only be available for pre-order for visiting bands, and chips/drinks available for purchase.

Social Media Coordinator: Shelley Hildreth

- Newly updated website: <https://lswmp.org/>
- Lee's Summit West Music Boosters (Parents)
<https://www.facebook.com/LSWestMusic>
- LSW Titan Pride Marching Band:
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/12480906653>
- Lee's Summit West Choir: <https://www.facebook.com/LSWChoirs>
- NEW!! Lee's Summit West Orchestra:
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1138619423502190/>

Old Business:

- **Taste of Lee's Summit: March 4 @JKV Pavilion; 4-10 pm**
 - Lee's Summit Education Foundation hosts; LSWMP this will be an individual fundraising event.
 - Volunteer spots are filled!
 - We have met the minimum in commitments.

New Business/Questions:

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Voting Process:

By-Laws Article II, Section 3: Voting Rights: Each member shall be entitled to one vote on each matter submitted to a vote of the members. (Parents are 'Members' and have voting rights.)

Upcoming Music Parents' Meetings:

Thursday, April 6, 2023

Thursday, May 11, 2023

SY23-24 School Music Trip: Any student in band, color guard, orchestra, and select choirs is invited to attend.

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Meeting Adjourned at 7:57 pm