

Meeting Minutes

Gaither High School Instrumental Music Boosters (GHSIMB) Meeting

Tuesday November 10, 2009

Gaither High School

1. **Call to Order at 7pm by Ginger Simoens**
2. **Minutes** – Kathy Myers, meeting minutes approved
3. **New business**
 - a. Ray Jay
 - i. New information e-mailed this week. 17 y/o can no longer work at Ray Jay. We will need additional help to fill the spots that students filled for games.
 - ii. 21st, only have 7 people signed up. If not enough by Monday we will need to cancel. Need 15 people. The game is at noon and report time is 9am.
 - b. Trip fees
 - i. Fees are coming up. The total is \$500. Check the postings.
 - ii. First fee is \$100 and is not refundable. All other payments can be refunded if requested in writing by 2/24/2010.
 - c. Vickory family sent a thank you card for the membership. Passed around for all to read
 - d. Volunteers planning meetings are going on every Tuesday and Thursday for FBA. Thank you to all that give time.
 - e. Band Student, Brennan Lewis, alto sax player, family had a fire at their house. Brennan lost everything in his room. Lost a pet in the fire. Brennan woke up and got his family out of the house.
 - f. We will be using Coach Tanner's room for the cash. He apologized to Gaither Band for not getting off the field quickly so the bands could perform.
 - g. Laurie Watts has been working long hours at work and it is taking too much time for her to put the information in all accounts. She has resigned as treasurer for the Band Boosters. John Wittington and Marta Chastain have agreed to be interim co-treasurers and have stepped up to the plate to assist. Nomination and second for John and Marta to run for co-treasurers. Approved Unanimously. Call for others to come forward if interested. No one came forward. Band Booster Membership will vote for new co-treasurers at the next meeting 12/8/09. In the interim John and Marta will be working on the books to place them back from quick books to excel spreadsheet. They will make deposits, payment records. They will have information prepared to review at the next meeting. Please check off or make corrections and return to John or Marta.
 - h. State Competition 11/21- They have 2 minutes to get on the field and must place all items on the field themselves. No parents to assist. Report time will be 9am. Cost of

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Semi finals is \$12. After awards they will clear the stadium. If we make finals, final cost is \$20. Finals start at 8pm. Olympic Retreat is at 11pm. Cost for parking is \$10 per car.

- i. Poinsettia pick up is 11/21 AM. They will arrive at 615AM. Need assistance to take them off the truck.
- j. Tally Vickory placed Competition show on U-Tube. Going to repost on our site. Once posted you will need to use user name to get on Cowboys 99. Pat tapes each show. Can purchase FBA video for \$30.

Business meeting closed at 7:34 with motion/ second and approval.

FBA Update

Group did a walk through today. Have 25 Walkie Talkies. Discussed the radio communication process.

There will be a portable as Volunteer and information central.

Sherri Beck has the programs. They are very nice, 4 Color. Next year need to have the group sell ads earlier. To many places asking for donations and ads at this time.

Parking and programs will be sold for \$5. Ace Prentiss is making 36 signs for parking, buses, admission, etc.

Volunteers need to check in. Some groups starting at 9am. Please be there at least 15 minutes before your shift begins to check in, get your shirt, and make sure your Serve form is done.

FBMC vendor personalized t-shirt.

Entrance is the pass gate. Middle school that wear their band t-shirt and 4 and under are free. Adults are \$8, Kids \$5

Middle school band directors do 2 hour blocks and work the gate. FBA gets the proceeds from the gate.

The first 2 rows will be for VIP and handicapped parking.

Set up and clean up. Tri-Am and all band and Starette students. In the Am they will move the picnic tables to the tennis area. Move back at the end of the program.

Concession stand.

Vendors, Funnel cake and Italian Ice in front of the tennis courts.

Still need 15-20 sheets of plywood.

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Volunteer parking behind lifestyles or at the Halloween Store. Do not park at Mary Jo's they are having a performance there that day.

4. Adjournment at 8:20 pm

Respectfully submitted. Kathy Myers, Secretary GHSIMB