State College Music Boosters Meeting Monday, March 14, 2016 Room 38 7:00 – 8:00pm

1.Introductions Present: Becky Misangyi, Paul Leskowicz, Margaret Higgins, Scott Thomas, Susan Smith, Jessica Redmond, Wendy Warner, Jane McCandless, Jenny Koberna, Leigh Hurtz, Kristy Bagley, Dawn Murnyak Rowell, Diane Felmlee

2.President's Report

- **3.Treasurer's report:** Margaret. Wrapped up Citrus Sale so that monies should be available for use for the adjudication trip. Good turnout for "The Greek." Donations are up this year for Music Boosters. Had two large donors.
- 4. Secretary's minutes are available for review
- 5. Music Director's Report: Paul
 - **A.** Twelve people made All State in band and orchestra. Regional choir is this weekend.
 - **B.** The Tri-M board met last week. They targeted what they need to do for Music Formal. Have 1-2 bands interested at present. At the April meeting they will see if they need to have auditions.
 - C. High school courses look good. Rock Ensemble numbers increased. Will have same schedule.
 - D. All three open music teacher positions due to retirement will be filled and are in the budget.
 - E. Paul has been in meetings to develop the curriculum vision for the whole music program into the 21st century. They are crafting a road map for k-12, including safety nets for struggling or failing students.
 - **F.** No Child Left Behind is expiring. Looking at the role of music in the future under the new laws.

6.Old Business

- **A.Wrap-Up Report:** Regional Orchestra: Jessica Redmond. Very successful. She catered the meal for the directors. Had a dessert buffet on Friday aided by Olivia and Cecelia L. and a few others. 50 schools were represented. Very nice and she received a lot of very positive comments.
- **B. Upcoming Events: PMEA Dates**: Elem Choir April 29, 6th Grade Band May 6, Region Choir March 17-19, All State March 30-April 2. Music Teacher Appreciation. Christine Stangel. All slots are filled. She sends her thanks.

C. Updates:

Music Formal —Susan Smith. Will be Saturday June 4 from 7:00-10:30pm in the MNMS cafeteria. She has the DJ booked. Mirror ball and red carpet are reserved. SCASD to do catering. Meeting scheduled for 7:00 tomorrow evening. Discussed having volunteer slots in shorter shifts. Will do a sign up genius. Can send to Becky and Jean to send out.

Magnets- from Sue Cunningham. The new car magnets are here. Will sell at the spring concerts

Request for Support Process - Follow up from last meeting. Jane wrote an initial draft. The board will review it and then approve. Thanks to Jane and Wendy.

Open Positions-see attached for positions that need to be filled. We can approach people that we feel would be well suited or might be interested. Jane brought up that the Concert Refreshments position would be less daunting if we could divide it up rather than have one person coordinate all of them. Discussed doing this by ensembles or by grades. (eg 9th and 10th, and then by ensemble) Will discuss more and implement for next year. Diane Felmlee offered to take over Membership.

7. New Business and other announcements

A. Woody Herman Band is now scheduled for May 13. Chris Rosenblum is working on publicity. It would be following the Jazz Festival that day. May have on-line ticket sales.

Meeting adjourned

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