

CLEMENTS BAND AND GUARD MEETING MINUTES

October 15, 2018

A Motion was made to begin the meeting by Veronica Butler and seconded by Kimberly McGeehon.

The meeting was called to order at 7:04PM by Sally Roden.

Members present: Sally Roden, Lisa Barber, Leslie Wolf, Veronica Butler, Jeannette Freeman, Andrea Fox, Kimberly McGeehon, Barbara Roy, Ellen Meinem, Sujatha Sridhar, Thomas Sandy, Ann Villareal, and Daniel Galloway.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

A motion was made by Veronica Butler and seconded by Kimberly McGeehon to approve both August and September Meeting minutes. All present were in favor and the Meeting minutes from August and September were approved.

Plans for the fundraiser "SNAP" are progressing well. Sally Roden and the Directors are meeting with the organizers Monday, November 26 and will meet with the students Tuesday, November 27th with plans to proceed from there.

There are only 3 performances at our football games left for this year.

Sally thanked all the volunteers and stated that she has seen an increase in the number of volunteers since she started several years ago.

Sally thanked Veronica for **obtaining the squirt bottles from Dick's Sporting goods.**

DIRECTOR's REPORT:

Mr. Galloway reviewed upcoming events.

Senior Night for our Band and Guard and the Stars is pregame on November 2nd.

Tuesday, Oct. 23 is Region UIL at Hall Stadium.

Saturday, Oct. 27th is Area UIL at Challenger Stadium in Clear Lake.

The tentative schedule shows us performing anywhere between 11AM – 12:45PM. Mr. Galloway may schedule an early rehearsal.

State Contest is November 5 and 6 in San Antonio. Finals will be Nov. 6 in the early afternoon. There will be a minimum of 2-night Hotel stay. Mr. Galloway stated that the District may not pay for the chaperones' food.

HBU has offered the use of their stadium to practice.

Clements is hosting Phase 1 of Region Band. As in the past, we will again serve the judges Chili dinners.

November 7 and 8th the Guard will hold Spin Classes for the Middle Schools with plans to form a JV Color Guard.

The Scrim prints have arrived and we will begin to use them at the Oct. 18th game. These will add more visuals to our performance and help to hide Color Guard changes. They are versatile and can be used for years.

VICE PRESIDENTS' REPORTS:

Andrea Fox presented thank you gifts to several volunteers, Jocelyn Edwards, Jeannette Freeman, and Michelle LaDoucieur.

Sujatha Sridhar – Spirit items will soon be available for purchase on line in addition to at the games. There are some stadium seats available for purchase.

TREASURER' S REPORT:

Lisa Barber stated we made a profit of \$6,275 from the Mums sales.

Gulf Coast Auto Shield became a \$1,000 Sponsor.

Miscellaneous Items:

Sally Roden stated that there has been an increase in the number of students needing gloves at performance times. (Lost, forgotten, etc....) Mr. Galloway will do inspections and announce that anyone missing gloves must see him first.

Andrea Fox stated that there has been an increase in students taking food before asking and not remembering their food choice. Mr. Galloway suggested that there only be 2 choices next year – Veggie and one other choice.

There was a suggestion for next competition to have the drinks be half water and half Gatorade.

A motion was made by Veronica Butler and seconded by Andrea Fox to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:50PM.