

GJHS Music Parents Board

Grand Junction, Colorado



Music Parents Board Annual Meeting GJHS Band/Orchestra Room Monday, August 13, 2013 @ 5:30 p.m.

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PRESENT: Isaac Lavadie, Paula Gallegos, Paula Casey, Michelle Mountfort, Kim Davis, Tami Nicholson, Alyson Rajnowski

1. **Review/Approval of Minutes:**

- a. The meeting was called to order by Paula Gallegos, President. As this is the first session of the year, there are no meeting minutes to review or approve.
- b. A request was made and approved to move the Board Meetings to the 2nd Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m.

2. **Reports:**

- a. Bingo Account Report: There is no formal bingo report available. Paula G will clarify who will be giving the report. In general, summer bingo sessions went well.
- b. Treasurer's Report: There is no treasurer's report available.

3. **Music Parents:**

- a. Bingo Volunteers
 - a. Becky Lee is coordinating volunteers, Melissa Pipkin is the Bingo Master, Deb Bock is the bookkeeper.
 - b. Isaac will send out the Bingo rotation for student volunteers. The rotation will be Band, Orchestra, Band, Choir.
- b. 50/50 Raffles
 - a. Raffles will be held at all football games, concerts (including band, orchestra, and choir), and jazz dances.
- c. Donation forms for taxes
 - a. Will be provided to those making donations.
- d. Fall Preview Concert (September 18, 7:00 p.m.)
 - a. A Music Parents Board handout will be included on the program to ensure awareness and encourage participation.
- e. **2013-2014 Goal**
 - a. Become a more inclusive GJHS Music Parent Organization

4. **Choir:**

- a. Extravaganza will be December 5, 6, 7.
- b. Chamber Choir New York Trip will be March 26-31.

5. Orchestra:

- a. No business

6. Band:

- a. Big Trip Update
 - a. 60-70 students have committed to the trip
 - b. The first payment for the trip is \$17,000 and is due on 8/30/13
 - c. Students attending have a \$350 payment due on 8/30/13
 - d. Isaac will work on determining need for chaperones
- b. Palisade Peach Festival (August 17th)
 - a. Report will be at 8:00 a.m. at the Palisade Family Food Town
 - b. We will need approximately 150 water bottles
 - i. Paula Casey will bring the water and the wagon
- c. Welcome Back Picnic (August 22nd at 6:30 p.m.)
 - a. Presentations will be given by each Committee Chair
 - b. Paula G will contact Beth about the menu
 - c. The library and cafeteria have been reserved
 - d. We will sell shirts, shoes, hoodies.
 - e. We will have volunteer sign-up sheets
 - f. The section leader parents have been tasked with set-up, serving, and clean-up.
- d. Rock Jam (August 23rd and 24th)
 - a. Volunteers are still needed. Please make contact at grants@homewardboundgj.org
- e. March-a-thon (August 24th starting at 8:00 a.m.)
 - a. Donation forms will be posted on the website
 - b. Students need to return donations by 9/16
- f. Yard Sale (August 24th during the March-a-thon)
 - a. The Adair family will be chairing this event
 - b. Collection dates and times to be determined
- g. Calendar
 - a. Jazz events will be held December 14 and February 1 at Taste of Heaven
 - i. \$500 deposit made
- h. Payments and Fundraisers
 - a. Band fees of \$75 are due by 9/30/13
 - b. Candy bars will be available starting this week. Money is due back by 9/20/13
- i. A summary of events will be posted to the Band Home Page

7. Other Business:

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned.

The next meeting will be September 9, 2013.

Michelle Mountfort, Secretary

Approved/Disapproved: _____

Paula Gallegos, President