

SSHS Music Booster Meeting Notes 03/08/2021

<b>DATE/TIME</b>	03/08/2021, 6:30 PM-7:15 PM	
<b>DATE ISSUED</b>	03/08/2021	
<b>RECORDED BY</b>	Kari Clawson, Secretary	
<b>PLACE</b>	ZOOM, in our own homes	
<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Monthly Board Meeting</b>	
<b>PARTICIPANTS:</b>		
Kerry Drum – Vice President Kari Clawson – Secretary Lisa Udland – Treasurer Terri Crall – Treasurer Stacy Johnson—Band Representative	Hilory McIntyre – Choir Representative JJ Meyer—Band Director Arielle Sazima – Choir Director Dam Berdakin – Orchestra Director Tiffany Hamilton - Pie Fundraising Chair	
<b>ABSENT:</b>		
Mary Ellen Scofield – President	Dana McLaughlin – Orchestra Representative	
<b>HANDOUTS: Financial Report, Minutes from last month</b>		
<b>Action items appear in red print. Consensus appears in blue print</b>		
<b>Minutes vote</b>	<b>Kari motioned to Approve the February 2021 minutes. Kerry seconded the motion. All approved. Minutes were adopted.</b>	
<b>Director Reports</b> Damian Berdakin Arielle Sazima JJ Meyer	<p>JJ—is getting prepared for Limited In Person Instruction (LIPI). Band will need specific district approved PPE which has been ordered and is on its way to the District’s Central Stores; band directors are waiting to hear when it will arrive at their schools. JJ sent out an inquiry to students interested in meeting for band in person and has heard back from about ½ of the students mainly 2<sup>nd</sup> semester students. The area designated as a band “classroom” during the construction period has become a “hold-all” for all things South and so JJ with Damian and Arielle’s help worked on cleaning it out today and it will need more work in the near future. He is also waiting for district approval to start marching band practices. And will have about 12-13 students participate in solo/ensemble—deadline is March 13<sup>th</sup>.</p> <p>Damian— has had 2 weeks of afterschool LIPI, excited to see his students in person. Met in small groups of 11-15 students from chamber orchestra. He is hoping to have more students in LIPI soon and would like to add students from other groups but is now waiting to hear South’s plans on having students return to the classroom in-person. Solo/ensemble is happening this week—deadline is March 13<sup>th</sup>. OSAA is hosting a virtual culminating event of large ensembles, will be adjudicated but not a contest. Waiting to see if South will have enough students to be able to participate and the event would be the week of May 24<sup>th</sup>. Will McLean announced that he is not returning to South, so South will again be hosting interviews for a choir teacher and we will all be very supportive of Arielle during this process.</p> <p>Arielle—is very excited for LIPI. She will start on 03/29 and meet with the symphonic choir for 2 hours on Monday evenings. She also has been looking at South and planning on where/how to teach to keep everyone safe and the PPE that will be needed. She is excited to have 6 students participate in solo/ensemble this week.</p>	

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<p><b>Treasurer's report</b> Terri Crall Lisa Udland</p>	<p>The Financial Report was handed out via Email. Terri has asked that the directors tuck the red/blue boxes out of sight so that students don't put money in the boxes. Too much is going on right now with directors being in different classrooms during the construction phase. During the pandemic it is also easiest for boosters to take money online or with a check in the mail than have Terri go into the building at South.</p> <p>Expense has been minimal the last month, the greatest being moving the money donated to the Lesson Fund and paying \$125 for the brick for the Saxon Foundation Fundraiser. Income has also been minimal the last month but we have money coming in for pie sales as well as another band Fair Share paid and a student paid for last year's orchestra retreat and festival fees.</p>
<p><b>Fundraising</b> Tiffany and Pies</p> <p>Hilory and Hanging Flower Baskets</p>	<p>Spring Pie sale has started, we have 18 orders so far with 55 items sold. Marionberry pie is the top seller. Gross sales so far are \$1300. <b>Kari will send out 2 CHARMS emails this week reminding students to turn in pie sales and the directors will also try to encourage students to submit pie sales. If the group order is small-ish Tiffany will be able to do pick-up by herself and have people come to her home. If it is bigger Lisa Udland has also volunteered her house for people to pick up pies and Tiffany will send an email if she needs people to help her pick up pies from Willamette Valley Pie Company's warehouse and bring into Salem to Tiffany and Lisa's houses. Student pickup is March 31<sup>st</sup>.</b></p> <p>Hilory has been working with Tiffany to set up the online order form and payment thru our website. Online payment is easiest but if someone needs to pay by check Terri suggested allowing families to drop off a check at a designated house. Mailing a check to our PO box may not give enough time for boosters to receive payment and boosters is requiring payment in full for any order to be submitted to our vendor. Sale will start 03/15/2021 and last day will be 03/30/2021. Fessler's is our vendor and they will deliver for free if our order is over \$750. Plan on delivery to Hilory's house on 05/07/21 and student pick up on 05/08/21. Can this sale be for student earnings or lesson fund? <b>We decided to have \$1 of each item sold go to the lesson fund and the rest of the profit go to the individual student's account.</b> Directors seemed happy with either opportunity for the fundraising moneys. Kids will be more excited with LIPI and the possibility of their future years in music at South so let's give them the opportunity to earn money for their student account. Individuals can always choose to donate their earnings to the Lesson Fund.</p>

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<p>Future Fundraisers and Potential Chairs</p>	<p>Hardy Plant Sale—Carolyn Davis, our previous volunteer has declined to continue to chair this event due to her work schedule. <b>We will need to find another chair</b> and at this point we don't know if this sale will happen 2021. It is usually in April but has been postponed until the summer (Kari looked this up after the meeting→Potential date according to their website "Hortlandia" is 06/26/2021.)</p> <p>Art Fair—Chairs were Trina Brown and Carolyn Davis. We will need to reach out to Trina Brown to see if she is willing to continue and see if she wants a co-chair since Kari thinks that Carolyn cannot help due to Carolyn's work schedule. (Kar looked this up after the meeting→According to Art Fair's website it will be a virtual fair for 2021. So they won't need us but <b>we should have recruits for 2022</b>)</p> <p>Chipotle/Panera Fundraiser—Kari was supposed to look into this but has not been able to since her dad died in February. <b>She will look into these fundraisers soon and let the boosters know the plan.</b></p> <p>Remember our board is mainly parents of juniors, <b>we need to recruit more parent help.</b></p>
<p><b>NEXT MEETING</b> Via Zoom until further notice</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021 6:30 PM</b></li> <li>• <b>May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021 6:30 PM</b></li> <li>• <b>June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021 6:30 PM</b></li> </ul>