

Band Parent Meeting Minutes
Wesclin High School
December 17, 2019

Review of view of minutes

Review of treasurer's report

- Reimbursed slightly more than expended for Prairie honor band

Band Program Update

- Multiple students nominated for Quad State Honor Band Festival
 - One of the more expensive events mainly due to the distance away
 - Rodney still setting budget; but may need some support
- Jan 3, 2020 – Alumni night for prep band

New Business

Trivia night is coming – Carrie Donaldson and Renee Holmes

- Still looking for additional sponsors and gift basket ideas
- Still looking for season holder tickets that are affiliated with the band and/or who may want to donate
 - Jim's formal wear may be able to donate tickets
 - Jim Brown might have a contact for Blue's tickets
- After New Year, we can focus more on sponsors and baskets
- Rick Johnson volunteered to help Josh with technical setup

Mattress fundraiser – Mike Donaldson and Larry Wankel

- Very successful; best year so far
- \$6000.00 (includes some add ons from the fundraising company)
- 39 mattresses
- Advertising and email messages really made a big difference
- Kept the same weekend next year
 - Works well on the school calendar
 - The last show of the year; get deals on floor models
 - Community getting used to the timeframe

Texas Roadhouse Night – Monday Dec 9th – Curt Geiler

- Appears to have went well, but the donation amount was not known at the time of this meeting

Prairie Honor Band

- Wesclin will host the event again next year
- Okawville is the sponsor
- Open question for next year: what do we volunteer to do

- Sandwiches from Walmart went badly; need another plan next year
- Pizza's went very well; total 25 pizzas
- Handing out Texas Roadhouse Night flyers appeared to work well

Percussion instruction:

- Paid in full

Trailer decal:

- Will address in the spring after Trivia Night
- Reminder, check with the district to see if they will pay for it
- Ask for a commitment in spring for school to pay in July/August

Dairy King – Jeannine Huegen

- No update

Possible Need for New Secretary

- Due to a personal issue, Mike Donaldson may have to resign
- Should start looking for a possible replacement

Next Meeting Date: January 16, 2020