Clarence Band Boosters Meeting Tuesday, June 2, 2020 Minutes <u>clarencebandboosters@outlook.com</u> FB- Clarence Band Booster Club www.clarencebandboosters.org

Band Directors' Reports: Mr. Vitello/Mrs. Runfola

The Band Banquet will go on via Google Meet on Thursday, 6/11, 7 pm. The link was sent to students and parents. We respectfully ask that one link per home be opened as the limit is 250 for a google meet.

Tommy Flaglor is working on the video and has been requested to send out a link to the video when it is complete.

Awards are at the engraver and will be delivered on Friday, 6/12.

School owned instruments and uniforms will be collected from seniors on Friday, 6/12. Please have them ready when Mrs. Runfola and Mr. Vitello arrive on Friday morning.

The tradition of Elsa's and paper plate awards may still happen in late July if possible with the Wind Ensemble. Mr. Vitello will communicate as information becomes available.

Since summer band is not summer school but an activity Mr. Vitello has some ideas if NYS reaches phase 4 by July 1. Summer band in chamber ensembles, Summer band rehearsal in the gym. More information will become available as we enter phase 4 and as research continues to be shared.

Fall planning is well under way with many scenarios based on the research that is evolving. Instruments act as a diffuser. All music teachers have been able to give input and discuss. These discussions will continue into the summer.

Treasurer's Report: Steve Guidie/Kelly Clinard

Awards need to be paid out for the band banquet.

There are no changes in student accounts. There has been no fundraising due to school being closed.

We had a \$300 dollar deposit at Goodrich Printing for our Kleinhan's tickets. We will likely reuse these tickets to save money for next year.

Ads for Kleinhan's program were given as donations for this year. Cindy M. will send out thank you notes to: Main & Transit Plaza, Hayes Seafood, Castle Capital, Kurv Dome Metal Shop

We have to check on the Clarence Contemporary Club - the check was cashed as they requested - do we keep as a donation or return? Dawn Snyder may be able to be our connection for this question.

General Fund - \$100.00 refund is complete for a summer lesson account. Account should balance out without spending for Kleinhan's and 710 Main this spring.

Kleinhan's and 710 Main Theater rolled over the deposits for use of these venues for the 20/21 school year.

Jazz may need some funding for guest artists, clinics, and donut days in the next school year. Please use money from the general fund for this.

Main and Transit owner is a musician who owns an upright electric bass. He wants to donate it to CHS. We are happy to accept it and Cindy M. will contact him, & generate a donation receipt.

(Steve's Email)

Band Banquet/Awards Delivery 2020:

School busses will transport to deliver Senior gifts and pick up school owned instruments and uniforms. Booster will travel along and help with collection as well as take photos to be on the Booster website.

Summer Lessons/Summer Band?

Summer lessons are on Zoom this summer.

Summer Band is on hold until we hear from the Governor on July 1. See above in Band Director's report. More information will be shared when/if it is possible.

Since there is no summer concert series there will not be a Band Booster concession stand at the Clarence town park.

Next Year: Sub Sale/Chicken BBQ:

Due to Covid we are going to move the Sub Sale to the spring. We would like to combine with a carwash and bottle drive.

Chicken BBQ may be run as a drive thru/pick up in the fall. Due to the Band Booster account being low and costs going up, any profits from chicken BBQ after student ticket sales will go to the band.

For the good of the order:

Thank you to Mr. Vitello and Mrs. Runfola for everything this year and during our virtual home instruction. We wish we could celebrate as normal but are very thankful for all of your efforts for our students.

We sang accompanied by Steph to Caleb, Kelly's nephew! :-)