

Otsego Band Boosters

Meeting Minutes

14 October 2024 / 7:00 PM / OHS Band Room

Attendees:

Mitch Piersma/Director, Jessica Grove/Director, Tami Stout/Co-President, Kelley Dendel/Co-President, Tracy Marks/Vice President, Jena Jacobs/Treasurer, Jessica Wilson/Secretary

Absent: None

Agenda:

1. Approved September 17, 2024 Meeting Minutes

2. Next Meeting: November 11, 2024

3. Fundraiser Updates

○ Snap Raise

- Total raised: \$41,637.10
- Service fee (20%): -\$8327.42
- Cost of prizes (56 items): -\$1433.00
- Gear bonus (donor gear purchases, 63 items): \$298.80
- **Total funds: \$32,175.48** (Waiting for check. Balances do not reflect this amount yet.)

○ Otsego Band Invitational

OBI Income:

Cash Sales: \$17,727.00
Card Sales: \$5210.00
Business Ads: \$1925.00
Student Ads: \$510.00
Band Entry Fees: \$2275.00 (waiting for one payment)
TOTAL: \$27,647.00

OBI Expenses:(To date- a few expenses may not be entered yet)

Judges Fees: \$1645.50
Tabulator/Trainer/Announcer: \$600.00
Trophies: \$949.00
Programs: \$1400.00
Food: \$2199.83
TOTAL: \$6794.33

TOTAL PROFIT: \$20,852.67 (Within \$2000 of the final number; a few more receipts need to be added.)

- Ongoing
 - RaiseRight - Printed flyer for instructions
 - Amazon Wish List - <https://a.co/8Ee8U12>
- Other ideas
 - Klassic Arcade Fundraiser - Tracy is in contact and is waiting to hear back on details
 - Culvers- would need student help
 - Pizza Hut
 - Tracy to look into a \$500 grant through Donor's Choose; focusing on student mental health
 - Other grants

4. Bank Balances*

Honor Credit Union (Updated 10/13/2024)

Savings:	\$	5.00
Checking:	\$33,436.62	
Tengam Band	\$10,088.08	
Tengam Choir	\$	68.85
<u>Trip</u>	<u>\$50,090.82</u>	
Total:	\$93,689.37	

*Still waiting on \$32,175.48 from SnapRaise and \$5000 from the grant

*Plan to put \$20,000 into marching account for next fall

5. Upcoming Purchases

- E flat contra alto clarinet, \$2150

6. Upcoming Events

- Oct 18 (Fri), Home Football Game Performance
- Oct 19 (Sat), *Double Header* Grandville and East Kentwood Invitationals
- Dec 5 (Thurs), Holiday Extravaganza Concert with MS bands
- Dec 7 (Sat), Otsego Hometown Christmas Parade
- Jan 18, 2025 (Sat), ACE Winterguard Field Day - Hosted by Otsego (will be a fundraiser for us, will need volunteers)
- Feb 1 (Sat), MSBOA District Solo & Ensemble Festival ALL DAY
- Feb 16 (Sun), Pre-Festival "Sunday Spectacular" Concert
- Feb 25,26,27,28 (Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri), MSBOA District 10 Band Festival, time and location TBA ***Keep all days OPEN***
- March 2 (Sun), Mattress fundraiser
- March 15 (Sat), MSBOA State Solo & Ensemble Festival ALL DAY
- April 17 (Thurs), State Festival Night Rehearsal 7:30 pm-9:00 pm
- April 23 & 24 (Wed and Thurs), MSBOA State Band Festival - Hosting @ Otsego HS!! Time TBA, Leave both days OPEN

- May 1 (Thurs), Collage Concert 38 7:00 pm
- May 6 (Tues), Band Awards Night (required for ALL) 7:00 pm
- May 10 (Sat), 2nd Annual Band Boosters Crafting Day
- May 16 (Fri), Jazz in the Park (TOP Pavilion) Jazz Band only 7:00 pm

7. New Business

- OBI recap
- End of marching band season celebration
 - Pool party
 - Possible date Nov 14th, evening
 - Tami will check with Allegan, Jessica will check with Otsego
- MCGC Meeting on Nov. 24 (Time TBD), Tami and Kelley will attend
- Online generic merch store to open in November

Reminder: When making purchases, please take a picture of the receipt and email it to treasurer@otsegobands.com so Jena can reconcile with the account as the charges come through.