

Leon Band Parent Meeting
Monday, January 10, 2010

Attendees: Mr. Thornton, Julie Griffith, Melanie Goodson, Darren Robinette, Jan Dobson, Sandra and Dennis Howard, Laura Jensen, Pam Whitworth, Betsy Calhoun, Kelly and George Price, Amy and Mike Campbell

1. Calendar
 - a. FMEA Send-off Concert – Tuesday, January 11th 7pm report time 6:30 Attire: Church Clothes. Will leave 2:00 on Wed and be back at 9:30 or 10:00pm Thur. Students MUST go to school on Friday. (1st period band will not be held on Friday)
 - b. All State – January 12-15 Tampa
 - c. All-District reading Rehearsal – Thursday, January 20th Chiles
 - d. All- District – January 27-29
 - e. Solo/Ensemble – February 5th – FSU
 - f. Jazz MPA – February 25th - 9 bands will play, hosted at Leon - \$ opportunity with snacks and drinks 4:00 or 5:00 start time Leon to play last approximately 9:30 or 10:00 pm

2. Fundraisers
 - a. Boston Butt Fundraiser target to sell 3 tickets per student, starts now, money due Monday Jan 31st, delivery date is Feb 5th just in time for the Super bowl. Need four volunteers day of delivery. Will all be done on site in the parking lot by the gym. Band will receive approximately \$13.50 per butt sold. Three gift cards for top three sellers Red Elephant \$50, \$30 and \$20
 - b. Otis Spunkmeyer Incentive Melanie confirmed we will sign up for next year. Signing up early gives us \$150 off our order
 - c. Middle School Concessions (Cox) – Report Nothing final to report
 - d. Brief Report – New Uniform Drive PAWS brought in about \$3,400 we are now just over \$30,000. Still on target to do reservations of old uniforms. Working on flyers and roll out now. Current students first. Darren Robinette will check on a resource for a frame shop that may be willing to give % off of shadow box framing of uniform if anyone is interested.
 - e. Jan Dobson gave final #'s for Chicken Dinner sales: We sold 1,514 tickets, served 833 dinners. Net profit \$15,579. Need to get volunteers for next year. Mr. T recommended a meeting in March with the previous organizers to determine if there is an easier way to handle or what the kids could do to alleviate some of the parent burden.

3. Committee Progress
 - a. Oliver Hobbs Concert Reception– May 19
 - b. End of Year Banquet – May 26 Consideration to continue full dinner. Howards have checked at St. Johns will do full casserole dinner, salad,

bread and dessert for \$10.00. Will check Westminster for another possibility due to possible space accommodation issues.

4. Miscellaneous/Reminders
 - a. Band Photo – Friday, April 1st
 - b. Band Calendar is updated (moved pre festival concert)
 - c. Next Meeting – Monday, February 28, 2011 (Chorus Room)
(Mr. T, please add to the band calendar)