**Band Booster Meeting Minutes December 2, 2024**

Kenneth called meeting to order and the previous meeting minutes were approved.

Kenneth stated that he spoke with his Blacksburg marching band contact about working with Virginia Tech concessions at sporting events.

He also talked about a text-a-thon where students are rotated on calls to text people for donations; they had used a company previously and went with using an Excel spreadsheet for this year.

Kenneth closed saying that we will use Snap-Raise this year because it is easy to track the progress of donations

Treasurer’s Report was presented by Cathy; she went over the November expense report

\*\*\*the band has spent $21,000 for the year and made $26,000\*\*\*

A sign-up is being made available for the Fundraiser at the Central Church for Saturday, December 7.

There are items available in the Band room pantry for use with the event

Angelina will be shopping at Sam’s Club to get needed items

Prices for Saturday:

Drinks $2

Bottled water $1

Biscuit and gravy $2

Plain hotdog $1

Chips $.50

Band will be doing Snap Raise fund raiser in February

The end of marching season pizza party will be on Monday, December 16 after the concert dress rehearsal

We will have a table with band merchandise for sale at the December 17 concert; table will be set up or sales before, during intermission and after concert

Mist will get with DJR to get baseball cap order going ASAP.

A slide show will be shown at end of concert on 17th

Trisatn, Brooklyn and Ian were selected for Virginia Tech Honor Band; they will practice January 24 and 25 and the concert will be on January 26, 2025

Band will wear uniform for Christmas parade

All-District tryouts are December 14

December 16th is dress rehearsal for concert and pizza party will be help on band room after

January is Middle School auditions for all district band

January 31 is practice for high school all district band and concert is February 1

February 27 is the tentative date for the mid-semester concert

Upcoming events will be announced as they are happening

Parents will bring cookies and drinks for after rehearsal party

4 to 6 parents needed to walk with the band in Christmas parade

Next band booster meeting is January 13, 2025