

AGENDA
Vista Ridge Band Booster Meeting
Tuesday, November 9th, 2004
6:00 pm at VRHS Band Hall

I. Officer Report

- Minutes read by secretary
- Treasury report given by treasurer

II. Special Projects Committee Chair- Nominees: Pam Boettcher and Elizabeth Hood

*Kaci explained that special projects would be events like the upcoming carnation sales, making banners, making centerpieces and helping with a slide show for banquets, etc.

*Elizabeth's husband spoke on her behalf. She has been PTA president, involved with several fundraisers, and has good organizational skills.

*Pam spoke to the group about her experiences as administrative assistant to a CEO at Dell and that she has had experiences with special projects in the corporate world.

*The boosters voted and Pam was elected as chair for special projects.

III. Budget- Kaci handed out a copy of the budget setup that was developed this past summer. She gave an explanation of how to read the projected / actual /difference columns. That currently we had expenditures that exceeded our income by \$6,540 for marching season, we still have outstanding payment/bill pending for approximately \$9,713 and that there had been a total of \$1,148 in expenditures that were not budgeted/approved by the booster membership. *Anything in parenthesis means we were short of money.

IV. Fundraisers

- Pampered Chef-Laura Bearden spoke about this fundraiser. It is optional. 15% of products sold will go to the student's account and an additional 5% will go to the boosters. She had packets to pass out to anyone that was interested. The sale will run 11/9-11/23, so the orders can be placed by the end of the

month. Laura will be at VRHS after school on 11/12 and 11/19 to collect money and pass out more forms if needed.

- Scrip-The first order was just over \$6,000. The next order is due 11/15.
- Golf Tournament-Tom reported for the committee. The committee has looked at 5 different courses. It has been decided that the tournament will be held at Star Ranch. The committee is waiting to hear back from Star Ranch about available dates. They are looking into a date in March, April or May. The package will include a round of golf, golf cart, and a hamburger buffet. The price has not been set, but the committee is thinking about \$90 a golfer. Dan is also looking into sponsorships. The committee felt that it would be a good idea to have a specific goal in mind when they collect money for the sponsorships. (i.e.-band trailer) Rich and David will handle the sign-up. There will possibly be a silent auction to go along with the tournament. Kaci suggested that if the committee does decide to have the proceeds go towards the purchase of a band trailer that Keith Witt come and talk to his committee and the boosters about the costs of outfitting a trailer.

V. VRBB Hosted Winterguard Contest – Saturday, January 29th

- All parents are needed that day to help out.
- Marguerite Swilling is heading up this day. She had sign up sheets out and ready to post in the band hall. She broke the different jobs into teams with a captain and co-captain for each. Sign up started tonight.

VI. Miscellaneous

- Kaci asked Janet how many chaperones she had for Friday night. There are 6 chaperones and Kaci received 8 complimentary tickets. All of the chaperones will receive a complimentary ticket.
- Teresa stressed that everyone needs to turn in volunteer hours. She also reported that there will be a volunteer mini conference Thursday, November 11, 9:30-1:30 at the LEO center conference room.
- Kaci told Mr.C that several parents had asked about individual band pictures. He has talked with Photo Texas about taking individual pictures on December 9 at the Winter Concert.

- Teresa brought up a place that sales miniature instruments (knick knacks) that had set up a booth at LMS. She will try to contact them for the December 9th concert.
- While going over the list of upcoming events Kaci asked Mr. C if that was anything that he needed for the All Region Band 4A Auditions. It was discovered that boosters will be running a concession stand, hostess room, room monitors, etc. on both days. Mr. C will send out an email to recruit volunteers.

VII. Upcoming Events

- Friday, November 12th, Ice Bats Game (game at 7:30)
- Monday, November 15th Band Night at Fuddruckers
- Thursday, December 2nd and Saturday, December 4th, TMEA All Region Band 4A Auditions at Vista Ridge. Mr. C asked for committee volunteers to contact him to get things ready for the auditions, because this is the last band booster meeting before the audition dates. Kaci gave the concession to Tracy Maynard.
- December 6th – 10th, Winter Carnation Sales with delivery December, 13th
- Thursday, December 9th, Winter concert in Cedar Park High School PAC at 7:00. Because of the fire last spring, the location is not definite

Next Band Booster Meeting is Tuesday, January 11th at 6pm in the band hall.

Respectfully submitted,
 LeAnn Moody
 VRHSBB Secretary