

**Clear Lake High School  
Falcon Band Booster Club  
General Meeting Minutes  
March 2, 2021**

**President:** The meeting was called to order by President Bobbi Better at 7:00 p.m. She welcomed and thanked everyone for joining the zoom meeting. A quorum was present.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-President/Communications:** Ruth will continue to communicate with band parents regarding upcoming activities and volunteering needs.

**Secretary:** Minutes from both the November and February meetings had been emailed for members to review. There being no changes to the minutes a motion was made by Pam Davis to approve the February minutes and was seconded by Sam Draper. A motion was made by Wendy Reistle and seconded by Diane Morris and the November Minutes were also approved as written.

**Treasurer:** Jeanine Rainer reviewed the financial report for the period January 7 – February 28, 2021. There has not been much financial activity during this time. The ending checkbook balance is \$75,773.44

There being no questions, Sam Draper made a motion to accept the financial statements and was seconded by Deani Quick. The November financials were also approved at this meeting. Clayton Marcelle made a motion to accept the financials and Wendy Reistle seconded. A copy of the financials is on file.

**Nominating Committee:** Bobbi indicated that a nominating committee consisting of Ruth Soisson, Sam Draper and Jennifer Gordon has been established. Ruth will send out a list of open jobs and the responsibilities of each. Bobbi was pleased to report that Jennifer Gordon will be the Lead Chaperone and will also be responsible for organizing the spring trip if one is taken.

**Fundraising:** The mattress fundraiser was briefly discussed. It is scheduled for Sunday, March 7, 2021. Shoppers can either set up an appointment or walk in. Mr. Pearce asked that 2-3 parent volunteers be present at all times. He also asked that people post on Facebook a reminder about the mattress fundraiser. A fan cloth fundraiser was also briefly discussed. There will be no Bites at the Lake or Rock-a-thon this school year.

**Spring 2021 Activities:** Mr. Pearce discussed the upcoming spring activities. UIL will begin on Saturday April 10<sup>th</sup> for non-varsity high school and intermediate schools. On Friday April 23<sup>rd</sup> and Saturday, April 24<sup>th</sup> the top bands will participate in their portion of

the UIL Concert and Sightreading Contest. Parent volunteers will be needed to organize and feed the judges on these days.

**Spring Trip:** There will be no spring trip this year. Funds from last year will be refunded.

**Band Banquet:** Although there will be no traditional band banquet some type of program will be organized in order to celebrate the accomplishments of the band members.

**Uniforms:** Mr. Pearce state that spring uniforms need to be distributed to the students. 3-4 parent volunteers each day would be needed to help distribute the uniforms. Bobbi stated since the uniforms are still in plastic with the students' name, she will distribute last years uniforms to the same students. Any adjustments for sizing needed will be made. Mr. Pearce asked that seniors receive their uniforms first.

**Grad Band:** Ruth asked Mr. Pearce if there would be a grad band this year. He was not sure and the decision will be made by the Director of Fine Arts.

**Director Comments:** The ensemble presentation is nearly complete and will be emailed in order for parents to see their students' ensemble.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

The date of the next meeting of the Falcon Band Booster Club will be announced by email.

Respectfully submitted by,

Suzanne Rupp  
Secretary