

LHS-BPA Parent Meeting Agenda – July 27, 2022

Meeting at Park District Centennial Building, Keepataw Room A & B, 7 pm.

1. **President Welcome:** Anna Greer– Call to order
 - a. Thank you for coming to discuss the upcoming season for Marching Band
 - b. **Introduce Board:** Amy Selle, VP (Jackie Lambe Co VP); Dave Knutte, Treasurer; Cindy O'Malley, Secretary
2. **Director's Message:**
 - a. Mr. Matt Doherty & Mr. Dave Nommensen is back this season (YEAH!! Welcome back!!!)
 - i. When to reach out to the Directors: grades, illness, financial hardship, etc.
 - b. Theme for Marching band competition: **Voodoo**
3. **Marching Season:**
 - a. All required performance/practice dates & times are on www.lemontband.org (info. subject to change)
 - i. Band Camp: July 25-31 (9 am – 4 pm) (Lunch provided daily, please advise special needs)
 1. Monday –no after band activities
 2. Tuesday – Cookout, ice cream truck, no after band activities
 3. Wednesday –Pool Party 6-8 pm, Parent meeting 7 pm.
 4. Thursday – Cookout, ice cream, no after band activities
 5. Friday – Tampier Lake Boating Center/Camp 131st & Wolf Road, Orland Park (4 pm to 9 pm)
 - a. Immediately following band camp - Campground activities (transportation provided);
Dinner provided: Walking tacos/nachos/cupcakes, outdoor activities
 6. Saturday – no after band activities
 7. Sunday – Great America; 9 am call, leave by 9:30 am; home 7:15-7:30 pm pick up
 - ii. Wednesday Nights Band Practices: August 10 - October 19 - from 6 pm – 9:30 pm
 - iii. All Friday Home Football Games Band Performs (Aug 26; Sep 9, 23, 30; Oct 7)
 - iv. Saturday Band Practice: August: 13, 20
 - v. Keptaw Days: September 4, Lemont Parade
 - vi. LHSEF Performance: September 10th, 6 - 9:30 pm
 - vii. Competition Dates:
 1. September 17 – Victor J Andrew
 2. September 24 – Plainfield South
 3. October 8 – Downers Grove South
 4. October 15 – Lincoln Way West
 5. October 22 – Illinois State University State Competition
4. **Music Days Mandatory Fundraiser:** Friday, August 26 and Saturday, August 27
 - a. Amy and Jim Selle along with Amy Staubus (shadowing)
 - b. Sign Up Genius open for sign up (Requires one parent per child in band/guard)
 - c. If you are unable to volunteer, you can buy out for \$150, see Dave Knutte
 - d. Information: Blue bins at locations, collect funds for 3 hours while pass out yellow cards of band dates
5. **Volunteers Needed for new season: We can't do it without you!!!**
 - a. Thank you for all the volunteers to help with uniforms and Music Man Musical this weekend!
 - b. Most of the board are senior parents – come shadow us, have fun in the process and see how it's done
 - c. Uniform crew: Debbie Bechtloff - 1- 2 volunteers and shadow for next year (no sewing required)
 - d. Spirit Wear: need parent volunteer (Friday football games and meetings during fall)
 - e. Color Guard Parent: need parent volunteer to help guard during marching season
 - f. Field Crew: Jim Selle, transportation, props, field competitions, home football games – always need extra hands
 - g. Any other volunteers are welcome for positions later in year
6. **Treasurer Report: Dave Knutte**
 - a. Summer Financials for Band – Status of budget for new year
 - i. Fundraisers/Expenses/Balances Due
7. **Secretary Report: Cindy O'Malley**
 - a. Approve Minutes from last two meeting April 2022 and May 2022
 - b. Next Band Parent meeting – September 14th, LHS Band Room 7:30 -9:00 pm.
8. **Q&A - Meeting Adjournment** – call to order