

## Crimson Express Booster Meeting 8-21-2014

Attendance: Board Members- Michele Tourville, Kirk Caskey, Nancy Caskey, Shelly Ward

General Membership: Rob Yokom, John Tourville, Tanya Stamp, Craig Batteau, Stacy Batteau, Jeff Patterson, Katrina Kelley, Patti Beckman, Terra Cunningham, Kristy Dunning, Heather Yokom, Lisa Grode, Heather Parr, Elaine Groninger, Lisa Fletcher, Lisa Bustos, Jim Calloway

- I. Meeting called to order at 7:00p.m.
  - a. Introduction of all board members completed. Michele Tourville- President, Kirk Caskey- Vice-President, Nancy Caskey-Secretary and Shelly Ward-Treasurer. This information is also available on the website.
  - b. It is very important for parents and student to check the website [www.crimsonexpress.org](http://www.crimsonexpress.org) on a regular basis. Michele will also communicate by email and text messages.
  - c. Emails and text messages will be sent on regular basis and will be sent if there are changes in the schedule etc... Please make sure you are signed up to communicate in this way.
  - d. Crimson Express Booster meetings are held the third Thursday of every month at 7:00p.m. in the band room. Adjustment may be made to this schedule for holidays, special events etc... again please check the website.
- II. Secretary's Report
  - a. Minutes are on the website from last meeting, at the end of last year. Minutes will be available on the website approximately a week after the meeting is held.
- III. Treasurer's Report
  - a. Report given by Shelly Ward. We have received the money from the Apple Festival committee of \$2000.00. Activity fees are being paid. Current balance is \$11,969.22. Motion made by John Tourville to approve the treasurer's report, second by Rob Yokom.
- IV. Discussion
  - a. Apple Festival will soon be here. We still need volunteers to help with the parade and with Drums at Appletime. There are sign-up sheets available tonight. Students will wear khaki shorts and red crimson shirts for the kiddie parade. Students will wear their uniform for the big parade. Students will need a black V-neck t-shirt to wear under their uniforms as well as black shorts and long black socks. NO SHORT SOCKS.

- b. We will have 4 major student fundraisers. Fundraiser will include candy bar sales, Little Caesars coupon sales, flower sales and tag day. We may also have a battery fundraiser and a Crimson mug sale. Any additional fundraising ideas, please share with a member of the board.
- c. Field show chaperone sign up is available on the website. Anyone who chaperones will also be responsible for carrying props on and off the fields and assisting students in any way needed. We will also pack brown bag lunches for student for some of the shows this year.
- d. At large board members will be elected tonight. We have the following nominees to fill the 4 positions available, Kristy Dunning, Lisa Fletcher, Stacy Batteau, Tanya Stamp, Jeff Patterson, Rob Yokom, Lisa Bustos and Ann Carrington. There were no additional nominees. Voting by the members elected Kristy Dunning, Tanya Stamp, Ann Carrington and Jeff Patterson.

V. Director's Report

Mr. Moreland was at rehearsal, report given by Michele Tourville. Activity fee of \$100 is currently due. This will increase to \$125 after Sept. 1. There will be rehearsal Sept. 2 since there is no school on Sept. 1 for Labor Day Holiday. It is very important that all students attend all rehearsals. We will not be performing at BOA this year. Mr. Moreland has added an additional performance. The calendar is up to date on the website.

Next meeting in Thursday September 18, 2014 at 7:00p.m. in the band room.

Motion to adjourn John Tourville, second Jeff Patterson.