

## EEU Booster Meeting Minutes

### Esperanza High School Band Room

3/1/22, 7:00-8:00

I. Meeting was Called to Order at 7pm by president, Minnie McCormick

II. Welcome and Introductions

III. Approval of minutes from 2/1/22- Minutes were approved as presented

IV. Reports

a. President – Minnie McCormick

i. Thank yous - Donations for AJF - please deliver non perishable items starting Monday 3/7 to Practice Room 2.

ii. Volunteer Opportunities -

1. Aztec Jazz Festival! - ALL hands on deck! NOT JUST for Jazz Families. "What if I haven't done this before?!" Guess what! Most of us haven't. It's a GREAT time and wonderful event!
2. Board Positions for next year – We need volunteers to fill these positions
  1. 1<sup>st</sup> VP (uniforms) – Carrie Schultz – See Carrie for more details. 1<sup>st</sup> VP has been a great experience! The Job Is mostly in August During registration. You'd also need to be at the school anytime the band is putting on the uniforms to provide support. Student leaders will help with physical labor etc. You would be given a binder with instructions and everything you need to know. Band kids & parents are so great and you get to know them all volunteering in uniforms. Uniforms are back from Dry cleaner and Carrie needs help to hang/organize everything.
  2. Secretary – Monica Jochum – Secretary duties include: Taking notes at all booster meetings and ensuring they get posted on the website. Assisting with band registration. Working with Athletic Clerk to ensure students are cleared to participate. See me for more info, I'd be happy to help you get started.

iii. Upcoming Events - Keep an eye on the web site and the emails for your events.

1. Colorguard and Percussion Ensembles have competitions this Sat 3/5
2. SCSBOA Pre-Festival Concert 3/10 @ EIDO PAC - for parents to attend.
3. Aztec Jazz Festival, 3/12 (big fundraiser, all day event, need all EEU parents)
4. Irvine Jazz Festival Sat 3/19/22 - all Jazz Groups
5. Color Guard - San Diego Trip 3/19/22 (overnight)
6. SCSBOA Festival - during the day
7. Casino Night - Fri 4/22/22

c. 2<sup>nd</sup> VP (fundraising) – Matt Charney – not present

iv. events coming up:

1. Meet-n-Eat - Tom's Place Thursday 3/3 and Lampost Pizza 4/4 and 4/5

2. Casino Night - Please purchase your tickets early! We need to get an idea of how many people are planning on attending. Early bird price until March 18th - \$35/ticket.
- d. Treasurer – Jolie Allen – not present
- e. Director – Mr. Davis
1. Percussion got 1<sup>st</sup> in their division, Color Guard was 2<sup>nd</sup> place, Jazz did well at their Jazz festival. We are off to a good start!
  2. Students have signed up for their Aztec Jazz festival volunteer times, ensure they make it on time
  3. Schedules are out in print, The website is well organized and full of information. Check the website if you need info or have questions about band events.
  4. DC trip is on - itinerary and everything is on google drive along with updated vaccine/testing requirements for the trip
  5. We are charging/selling tickets for Aztec Jazz Festival this year
  6. Thursday, 5/5 meeting for new and returning Students
  7. Monday of Band Camp will be registration day. All Students will register for school that day – it's not an extra day off.
  8. If your student has an intermediate-level or above instrument, and is considering purchasing a new instrument. Consider investing that money in private lessons for your student instead. Private lessons are really valuable and students can get individual instruction that way.
  9. Reminder that Folsom festival has been cancelled, but we still have plans to take the jazz students on a trip to Northern California on the same original travel date, 4/28-4/29. Kids will be home in time to go to prom this year! So there will be no "Band Prom" this year.
- f. Meeting was Adjourned at 7:33pm

Next Meeting – 4/5/22, 7:00, Esperanza HS Band Room