

# IMA General Membership Meeting Minutes

September 14, 2021

EAHS Cafeteria

Call to Order at 7:02 PM

Attendance: Kris Trelease, Gretchen Burwell, Lynn Franklin, Tanya Slate, Ron Slate, Lee Ann Kubbishun, Kim Crawford, Zandrea Mitchell, Jen Mazur, Kristin Wade, Kin Van Pell, Carol Kontir, Charles Adormi, Christine Fortsch, Nina Faulkner, Tiffany Martin, Cheryl Seitz, Donna Cohen, Kathy Raub, Rhonda Gillespie, Kara Howe, P. Burns, David Latvis, Michele Delgado, Doris Lynch, Jen Smith, Jason Alley, Maureen Martyak, Christopher Ballentine

- I. IMA Information - Mr. Alley
  - A. General announcements
    1. Merchandise tent at game on Friday. Sales have been going well.
    2. Yard Logos - painting an "E" on lawns for Thanksgiving week.  
Anyone interested in helping please let Jason know.
  - B. Volunteers Needed
    1. Chaperones - Mrs. Lynch at [vp@eahsmusic.org](mailto:vp@eahsmusic.org) or visit [eahsmusic.org](http://eahsmusic.org) - we need 16 on average for every football game.  
Always need help for festivals and other events.
- II. Fundraising - Mrs. Raub
  - A. Noto's Hoagie Sale - Kara Howe - sale has ended
  - B. First Flags Festival - Thank you to Rhonda for doing a great job.
    1. Netted over \$17K
    2. Printed program in house so that saved \$\$
    3. Concessions sold out
    4. Improving admissions for next year.
    5. Keeping it on a Saturday again next year
  - C. Fruit Sale - Lynn Franklin - sale runs 10/12-11/10
    1. Will be a QR code on flyers for easy ordering
    2. Will be on social media and IMA website as well.
  - D. Wreath Sale - Jen Mazur - sale runs from 10/25 - 11/10
    1. Wreaths, grave blankets, poinsettias
  - E. Pep Band at Raub's Farm - 10/17 from 1-3
    1. Concessions - Michele Delgado - need donations and volunteers
  - F. Craft Show - Jen Berry - 11/20 in EAHS cafeteria
    1. 75 Vendors signed up so far - hoping for 100
    2. Need a lot of volunteers for parking, set-up, concessions etc.
- III. Treasurer's Report - Kara Howe
  - A. Account balances as of 9/30/2021
    1. Checking \$31,458 - does not reflect First Fags profits yet

2. Money Market \$20257
3. Line of Credit \$3200

IV. Director's Report - Mr. Ballentine

A. Update on marching band season

1. Neshaminy Band Festival - 10/23
  - a) Report time 4:00
  - b) Performance time 8:05 PM
2. Halloween Parade - 10/24 - starts at 3:00 PM
  - a) Report time at 1:00 PM
3. Friday game 10/15 - 6:30 pregame performance and will perform at halftime
4. Pep Bands - all voluntary and participants receive service hours
  - a) Phantoms Game - 11/13 - optional pep band, band will perform outside and inside the arena, tickets cost \$10 per student (IMA supplementing regular cost)

B. Small Ensemble Updates

1. Chamber Strings - started this week
2. Jazz Band - starts in 2 weeks - concert 12/18
3. Pit Orchestra - info coming out on November
4. Fall Orchestra Concert - Wednesday, 11/10
5. Uniforms - Thank you to Mrs. Niosi, Mrs. Martyak, Mrs. Stein & the many uniform volunteers for their many hours spent working on fittings & uniforms for this school year.
6. Thanksgiving
  - a) Senior signs ordered again this year
  - b) Senior breakfast and car decorating activities being planned
  - c) Powder Puff - 11/22 @ Cottingham at 6:00 PM
  - d) Easton-P'Burg Band Dance - trying to work it out and keep everyone safe
  - e) Bonfire/Parade - 11/24
  - f) Easton/P'Burg Game - 11/25- Easton is home team - band debuting something new for halftime performance
7. Spring Trips - hoping for 2 smaller trips- waiting on approval - more info to come

\*\*Jackets will be in at the end of the week. Stay tuned for pick-up info. Online sportswear sale coming soon.

Meeting adjourned at 7:32 PM

Next meeting: Tuesday, November 9, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. in the EAHS cafeteria