

Broken Arrow Band Parents Association Meeting Minutes

October 9, 2018

Welcome and Presidents' Report- Eric Cline, Band Parent President

- Call to order at 6:59 pm

VP Functions Report - Lee Turner

- Sewing
 - Needs help - working 5-9 every night this week
 - Have students try on white shoes ASAP
 - Notify uniform moms of any issues
- OBA Hospitality Room
 - Thank you for BAI donations
 - Items needed for Volunteer Hospitality for OBA
 - Sign up link in eNews
- Senior Night - Thursday, Nov 1
 - Before football game parents can come pin a rose and take a picture with their senior
 - More info in eNews
 - Senior reception on Nov 13th, after the Sounds of the Stadium Concert at the PAC
 - Senior baby pictures due Nov 1
 - 1 baby picture and 4 other pictures
 - Email to bafunctions@gmail.com
 - Please sure student's name is in the subject
 - Sophomore / Junior planning meeting Oct 15, immediately following concert at the PAC
- St. Louis Trip Reminders
 - Itinerary will be available online at www.brokenarrowpride.com
 - Reminders: This is a School Function
 - Students to be dropped off at school morning of Oct 26
 - Students will need to eat breakfast before being dropped off
 - Students need to bring a full water jug for practice
 - Prescription medications MUST be registered with Ms. Good
 - Only enough doses for the trip in the original container with dosage instructions
 - Due Tuesday, Oct 23
 - This is a "business" trip
 - Students must remain with band staff and/or chaperones
 - Family visits allowed at stadium dome during free time
 - May visit in lobby as chaperones allow; may not leave premises with anyone at any time

- Hotels guidelines
 - Boys and girls are roomed on separate floors with chaperones stationed on each floor
 - Room checks are done upon each return to the hotel; all faces are seen and accounted for
 - Student and 3 roommates (and chaperones) only allowed in rooms; NO family and NO other students allowed
 - Students are taped in each night to ensure safety
- Spending money not necessary; all costs covered in student fee
 - Souvenirs may be purchased at dome during free time
 - Patches
 - Tshirts
 - Concessions
- Uniforms are not washed between performances
 - Additional white uniform shirts available for purchase in the Uniform room
 - Purchases will be added to your Charms balance
 - Additional sliders may be wanted/needed
- Each student is allowed 1 suitcase and 1 carry on bag

VP Fundraising Report - Sheri Sharp

- Show shirt and button pickup
 - Kids only after practice this Thurs
 - Friends and family pre-orders
 - Saturday, Oct 13, 3:00-7:30
 - Thursday, Oct 18, 12:00-6:00
 - Limited extra shirts will be available for sale
- New fundraisers
 - Holiday wreaths
 - Dine out night Oct 16, 5:00-9:00 at Uncle Vinny's Pizza
- St. Louis Group tickets are ready for pickup; see Ryan Pope

VP Marketing and Development Report - Carrie Crane

- Pride Sponsors and food donors
 - Send leads to development.bapride@gmail.com

VP Concessions Report - Hollie Thompson

- Volunteers needed
 - Senior Night, Nov 1
 - Please help us let the senior parents have a night off
 - Nov 9
 - During Grand Nationals in Indy
 - Alumni will be running the stand
 - If not traveling to Indy, please help

- OBA Oct 20
- Oct 15 - Freshman Parents needed at BAFA
 - High school wind bands concert

VP Special Events Report - Jason Barnes

- Volunteers needed - sign up link in eNews
 - OBA October 20

VP Operations Report - Brandon Disney

- Donations needed
 - Rolls of white duct tape
 - Leave in office with Ms. Good

VP Communications Report - James Royal

- Social Media; follow for most recent information
 - Facebook: Broken Arrow Bands
 - Twitter: @bapride
 - Instagram: @babands
 - Facebook Group : Broken Arrow Bands Members and Supporters
- Posting fundraisers and other events
 - Most up to date information available
 - Be sure to like and share to spread the word and boost sponsorships

Directors Notes - Dr. Kelli Pence, Associate Director of Bands

- Red Cross blood drive on Thursday, Oct 11
 - Please be wise when deciding to donate
 - May lead to health issues during evening practice
 - Looking at a possible Pride donation day, after the season

Directors Report - Darrin Davis, Director of Bands

- BAI
 - Thank you for flexibility during inclement weather
 - Safety is priority
- Show title shared
 - Source music shared
 - Costuming and more to come
- St. Louis traveling and contest etiquette
 - No entering / exiting during a performance
 - All seats are General Admission
 - Arrive early
 - eNews will have the schedule of local bands
 - Every band receives an enthusiastic standing ovation
 - Positive words and interactions

- Student account payments need to be up to date
- Hotel and meal accommodation details available in eNews
 - Meals for students, staff and chaperones only
- Business trip
 - Students have a full schedule
 - Designated times to watch other bands and shop at the stadium

Closure - Eric Cline

Meeting adjourned at 8:09 pm

Respectfully submitted
Tiffany Royal

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