

Date:	September 4, 2018
Time:	6:30 pm
Location:	Hays High School Cafeteria
Attendees:	See below

Discussion:

- Call to Order by Lesley Allen @ 6:30 pm & Adjourned at 7:25 pm
- \checkmark Minutes were moved to be approved and seconded. Minutes were approved.
- Special guest Mr. Pierce spoke with the group welcoming Mr. Rauschuber and inviting everyone to be involved with the band program. If they need to speak with him to email him or to go through the website.
- Mr. Rauschuber thanked his amazing staff, techs, parents and chaperones for all their help already this year.
 - Private lessons are available. Check the website and email the lessons teachers. If already in lessons work with your teacher. New lessons need to fill out the form on the website.
 - Region Orchestra and Band auditions will come up soon. The students are already practicing this music.
 - The spring trip to New Orleans was discussed. The information was available via a handout. The cost and basic trip were reviewed. Parent Chaperones will be addressed shortly and information will be provided back out to the parents. First payments are due by September 19th. All payments are made through Greenlight Tours.
- Finances were presented by Andrew Andersen.
 - ightarrow The financial audit for the year and transition to the new treasurer was completed by Michelle Pace, Samantha Zapalac and Andrea Gerlach.
 - Information was provided that the boosters are a nonprofit and all monies go back into band program.
 - ightarrow 17 of the 19 scholarships have been paid.
 - \mathcal{I} Monies already given to the band this year for enrichment.
- ♪ <u>VIP's</u>
 - All adults that are working with the kids need to register with the school district under the VIP's program.
 - \mathcal{I} Hours logged allows the school district to apply for grants for the schools.
 - Shows support for our booster organization.
- <u>Sponsorships</u> were presented by Ricardo Vela
 - While out in the community reach out to people you know or businesses you frequent and talk to them about the band program. We have lots of new businesses coming into the Kyle area.
 - We have a packet available to provide to potential sponsors. If you have someone you would like to speak with but are not comfortable, then contact the boosters and we will speak with the company/person about sponsoring the band.



- ♪ <u>Events</u> were presented by Jennifer McDonald
 - \overline{P} Rebels and Rides is coming up on November 10.
 - \mathcal{N} -Lena Llabres could use assistance in contacting other car shows to hand out our information.
 - ightarrow Contact a booster member to get more information.
- Closing and thanks by Lesley Allen, President
 - ightarrow Lesley thanked our Pit Crew of 40 plus members for all the hard work they have already done.
 - \mathcal{Y} Our summer band meals went off great thanks to all the help received.
 - \mathcal{I} Fall meals have started off well thanks to those that are helping.
 - \mathcal{F} Band Chaperones we got to the game and home again with all the kids!
 - We had 118 parents attend the first booster meeting of the year!