



Note: As members, directors and parents arrive, please sign in for roll call.

1. President call to order at 6:02pm

a. Attendees

Jack Hunt	Jaedeanne Shaver	Tracy Lambert Jack
Susan Sirois	Kellie Truitt	Renee Singletary
Justin Singletary	Joanne Flores	Alicia Hendrix
Lora Kirkland	Kathleen Cannell	Karen Wilkerson
Danielle Hodges	Amy Carpenter	Elizabeth Schwarz
Margie Miller	Mr. Paul	Mr. Albin
Mr. Bosch	Mr. Qualls	Mr. Olmos
Mr. Stephens	Mr. Moore	

2. Secretary—Jaedeanne Shaver—

a. Approval of previous minutes

- i. Motion to accept by Renee Seconded by Susan
- ii. Result – passed unanimously
 1. Any amendments of presented minutes of previous meeting?:No
 2. Notes N/A

3. Treasurer’s Report—Renee Singletary

a. Approval of Treasurer’s Report

- i. Motion to accept by Lora Kirkland Seconded by Danielle Hodges
- ii. Result passed unanimously
 1. Any amendments of presented minutes of previous meeting?:No
 2. Notes N/A

4. Vice Presidents’ Reports—Richard Hoggarth and Kellie Truitt

a. UIL Solo & Ensemble

- i. It went well! May make a few tweaks next year from a volunteer perspective
- ii. Mr. Paul would like to see a Sign-Up Genius for *everything*, including TriM kids just so he has the record
- iii. The walkie talkie app was VERY helpful – need to look in to that for future events
- iv. Need to plan to manage the trash (TriM kids as a backup for custodial services)

v.

b. Bid The Sound Updates

- i. Lots of great feedback!
- ii. Beginner band parents are always there very early and usually don’t know the process – need to find a better process – establish a “Host Team”
- iii. Need a way to monitor if people have paid – possibly with wristbands
- iv. Need clarity with signage and which doors to use in pre-emails
- v. Caterer was great to work with
- vi. Changes to sign-up to make for next year
- vii. Donation/tip jars especially at dessert table
- viii. Coffee as a drink option
- ix. Split the baskets into smaller options



- x. Don't do popcorn bidding at the end
 - xi. Add "Band Director for the Day" to the silent auction
 - xii. Be sensitive to double-booking for guard and other band activities
 - xiii. Need more silent auction donations for next year
 - xiv. Need to plan to manage the trash (TriM kids as a backup for custodial services)
- c. Mulch Sale
- i. Need volunteers! Need trucks and trailers! Sign-up genius to be sent out soon
 - ii. Please share social media posts every day!
 - iii. Delivery is March 23 at 8am
 - iv. Campus reps to send info out on Remind
5. Other items for ABB awareness and/or approval:
- a. Please talk to Mr. Paul and Jack to talk about roles for next year
 - b. Next meeting we will begin the nomination process

Directors' Reports

6. MMS Report – Mr. Qualls and Mr. Olmos
- a. Pre-UIL last Friday – kids did a great job
 - b. Preparing for UIL March 26 & 27
 - c. End of April will be some of their festivals
 - d. Honor band will record at the end of April
7. AMS Report – Mr. Bosch, Mr. Robinson, Mrs. Moore
- a. Same as MMS
 - b. Big thanks to HS for hosting Pre UIL
8. Percussion Report – Mr. Stephens
- a. Gearing up for Night of Percussion and TCU Percussion Festival
 - b. Will do professional recordings for Wind Ensemble percussion
 - c. MS auditions being planned
9. Jazz Report – Mr. Albin
- a. TCU Jazz Festival right after Spring Break on March 23
 - i. Jazz 2 performs in Pepsico Recital Hall at 1:30pm
 - ii. Jazz 1 performs at 5pm
 - b. Clinician this Thursday evening
 - c. Second clinician after Spring Break
 - d. Swing Dance – will start working on this after spring break and TCU fest
10. AHS Report – Mr. Paul and Mr. Moore
- a. Today the Wind Ensemble went to TCU and performed at Van Cliburn Hall and recorded music for Midwest – did a great job!
 - b. Wind Ensemble learning new piece and continuing to clean other two pieces, then will go to UIL with the rest of the bands in late April
 - c. Colorguard had fantastic performances this weekend (both groups). Tough competition (mostly 6A groups) – JV got 1st on Saturday, Varsity got 5th place overall



- d. Have about 125-130 kids going to Branson on the trip in April
- e. Getting ready for UIL and all the festivals
- f. Will announce title of marching show and do costume reveal at Band Banquet
- g. Colorguard auditions April 16 and 18 – would love to have at least 30 kids for next year – will be fully under the umbrella of the band program instead of combo with Dance team next year.
- h. Charms is going out of business – was purchased by Cut Time – Directors are looking at 3 other database type of companies, will make a decision soon. Should be a pretty easy transition based on who we go with.

Director's Notable Dates...(90 Days Out)

1. March
 - a. 3/2 – NTCA Contest JV & V @ Timber Creek HS
 - b. 3/4 - ABB Meeting 6:00pm @ MMS
 - c. 3/4 - 3/5 – Midwest Recordings
 - d. 3/11 – 3/18 – Spring Break
 - e. 3/22 – 3/23 – TCU Jazz Festival
2. April
 - a. 4/2 – Night of Percussion
 - b. 4/6 – NTCA Championships @ Coppell HS
 - c. 4/6 – TCU Percussion Festival
 - d. 4/8 – ABB Meeting 6:00pm @ AMS
 - e. 4/20 – Swing Dance 2K24
 - f. 4/23 – 4/24 – UIL Concert & SR Evaluation @ Burleson HS
 - g. 4/25 – 4/28 – HS Spring Trip to Branson, Missouri
3. May
 - a. 5/2 – AHS Spring Concert
 - b. 5/4 – AHS Prom
 - c. 5/6 – Senior Awards
 - d. 5/10 – 5/11 – Night at the Pops
 - e. 5/14 – 5/16 – HS Mini Band Camp
 - f. 5/14 – Senior Breakfast
 - g. 5/17 – Band Banquet @ Omni Hotel
 - h. 5/20 – ABB Meeting 6:00pm @ AHS Band Hall
 - i. 5/23 – 5/24 – Leadership Team Camp
 - j. 5/25 or 5/26 – AHS Graduation @ Bearcat Stadium
 - k. 5/27 – UIL State Solo & Ensemble Contest

30/60/90 Day Horizon

Reports from the ABB Chairpersons concerning events in the next 30, 60, and 90 days.

- *30 days...plans set—critical information and needs shared with all present.*
- *60 days...events on the horizon—final approvals and course-corrections if necessary.*
- *90 days...brainstorming / collaboration—planning, projections, and ideas shared.*

4. Publicity Chair—Joanna Foy
5. Concessions Chair—Shelli Hoggarth
6. Merchandising Chair—Rebecca DeLuca, and Melissa Lode
7. Fundraising Committee—Justin Singletary
 - a. Share the mulch!
8. *Bid The Sound* Chairperson—Executive Committee with committee chairs



9. Sponsorship Committee—Debbie Furlow
10. Swing Dance 2024 Committee—Lee-Anna Caveness
11. Scholarship Chair—Danielle Hodges and Joanne Flores
 - a. Applications went out on Friday – hope they begin working on it over spring break – they’re due before the Branson trip.
 - b. Grading process will be so much easier this year – already have 5 volunteers for the review committee
 - c. Scholarships will be awarded at Band Banquet
12. Membership Chair—Karen Wilkerson and Derrick Ratliff
13. Food Services Chairperson—Diana Stodola

Campus Representatives...

14. AMS Representative—Trish Belt
15. MMS Representative—Darcie Lantz and Stephanie Rinks
16. AHS Representative—Margie Miller

Liaisons and Chaperones...

17. Percussion Liaison / Chaperone—Dawna Herring
18. Guard Liaison / Chaperone—Kelli Calhoun and Karyn Briggie
19. Chaperone Chairperson (Appointed)—Kathleen and Brian Cannell
 - a. Any HS Band Parent who is interested in becoming a Chaperone, please reach out to her!
 - b. Especially would like some Guard parent chaperones.
20. Uniform Chairperson (Appointed)—Susan Sirois
21. Prop Crew Chairperson—Alicia Hendrix, Amy Carpenter, and Nancy Fernandez

Other Business...

22. Volunteer of the Month
 - a. Justin Singletary for Bid the Sound!
 - b. Miranda Hunt for Bid the Sound Decorations!
23. Adjournment: President to receive a motion to adjourn from Renee, seconded by Justin – adjourned at 7:17pm