

John Jay Booster Meeting

October 6, 2009

- Terry Vasquez, Secretary – time was allowed for all to review the minutes from 9/1/09 meeting. Motion to accept made by Melissa Lueck. 2nd motion to accept made by Yolanda Reyna. All in attendance accepted the minutes.
- Laura Evans, 1st VP – Evening Pep Rally will be on Friday, October 9th, 5:30pm-8:00pm. Admission is \$1. The band boosters will have a booth selling ice cream floats. Sign-up sheet to volunteer for 30 minute increments is available. Coke fundraiser flyers will be sent home with students on October 26th. Families can sell the coke products to area businesses. Orders are due by November 10th. 2-3 volunteers are requested to assist in collecting orders and money on November 10th. All orders are scheduled to arrive on November 18th and will be delivered to the marching field. Parents should make arrangements to pick up their orders on November 18th and come with an appropriate size vehicle to pick up full order. Goal is for each student to sell at least 5 cases.
- Laura Luna – 2nd VP – Volunteers are needed in the roadies, concessions and chaperone committees. Sign- up sheet for chaperones is available.
- Paul Ayala – Webmaster – www.jjmustangband.net website is up and running. The obsolete www.jjmustangband.org website will be redirected to the new website. Request for photos and videos of the band is requested to add to the website.
- Mr. Lozano – Calendars are on the website. Hand out with upcoming events and dates was distributed to those in attendance. Band Student Handbook was available for parents. Parents and students should sign and return the acknowledgement form this week. No later than next week. Senior night is on October 23rd, after BOA. Seniors will be allowed to return to the band hall to change prior to heading to the football game. The band will participate in the Red Ribbon Parade at Mary Hull Elementary School on October 30th.
- Julie Eakle is coordinating our next restaurant fundraiser at Dickey's Barbeque, which will be held the week of November 9th. More details to follow.
- Letty Lozano, Treasurer, went over the financial report. Financial report beginning balance was \$9,610.00, with deposits totaling \$4,947.90. This totaled \$14,557.90. Expenditures totaled \$9,048.44. Ending balance as of 10/6/09 is \$5,509.46. Motion to accept made by Sergio Evans. 2nd motion to accept made by Elsa McDonald. All in attendance accepted the financial report.
- Sergio Evans requested for the bi-law committee to meet sooner rather than later to revise the outdated current bi-laws. Not all on the committee were present at the meeting. Mr. Evans requested that this discussion be tabled for later discussion at our next meeting in November. The Board would like to have an opportunity to submit suggested changes to the bi-law committee since they see opportunity for improvement that may be overlooked. If the bi-law committee agrees, the Board would recommend working on the bi-laws after marching season.
- Sponsorship contract is ready. Vivian Ayala, Donations Chair, is the point of contact for trailer sponsors.

- Elsa McDonald, Chaperone's Co-Chair – there is a need for additional chaperones. Sign-up sheet is available. Immediate volunteers are needed for UIL on October 17th and Bands of America on October 23rd and 24th. Please note that October 23rd is on a Friday, during the day. All chaperones must have cleared background check. Only parents with a current band booster badge can sit with the students.
- Elsa McDonald, Hospitality Co-Chair – Hospitality committee is in need of donations for water and snacks. Gift cards for Sam's or Walmart are also appreciated.
- Motion to adjourn made by Elsa McDonald. 2nd motion to adjourn made by Deborah Estrada.