



# MINUTES

# ANNUAL MEETING

Holt High School Band Boosters

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May 9, 2023: 7:00 pm | *Meeting called to order by* Kristy Cross

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## In Attendance

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Executive Board Members: Michael Emerson, HHS Band Director  
Kristy Cross, President  
Lori Underhill, Treasurer  
MariaRosa Palmer, Secretary  
Patty Dokum, Uniform Committee Chair  
Dawn Carmody, Volunteer Committee Chair  
Ann-Marie Lindley, Fundraising Committee Chair

Band Parents: Lisa Bean  
Jason Tippet  
Shawna Wicks

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## Updates

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Kristy Cross welcomed everyone to the meeting.

### *Vice President Report*

No Report.

### *Band Director Report*

Mr. Emerson shared upcoming events. The Jazz Band will perform for the Awards Ceremony on May 17, 2023. The Spring Concert will be held on May 18, 2023. Mr. Emerson noted that he will be asking for cookie donations for. Awards will be presented after the concert in the Commons.

Mr. Emerson thanked the Board for a great year.

### *Treasurer Report*

Lori Underhill reported that in April the catering invoice was paid to Holt Public Schools and purchases were made for graduating seniors. The band booster account beginning balance was \$33,911.00 and after expenditures the current balance is \$29,344.06.

The Board discussed how much would be given to the Junior High and Middle Schools for the Spaghetti Dinner Concert. The total ticket sales were \$8,740.15. After expenses, the profit from ticket sales was \$3,311.45.

*Patty Dokum moved to give Holt Junior High band \$600 and \$300 to Hope and Washington Woods Middle School bands, seconded by Matt Lincoln. All in favor. Carried.*

#### *Band Camp*

Kristy Cross asked the board to send her availability dates to discuss band camp planning.

#### *Volunteer Report*

Dawn Carmody has drafted a sign-up genius for the parade and will run it by Mr. Emerson and Kristy Cross before publishing to the website.

#### *Upcoming Events*

Jazz Band – Awards Night – May 17, 2023  
Spring Concert and Awards – May 18, 2023  
Memorial Day Parade – May 29, 2023  
Holt Graduation – June 4, 2023  
Band Camp Planning – Early June

#### *Memorial Day Parade*

The board will coordinate water stations in Dimondale and Holt. Lori Underhill also ordered cooling cloths for distribution to band members. Kristy Cross also suggested having a water station at Legg Lumber. Board parents will donate Gatorade.

#### *Fundraising Activities/Planning*

Slides/Shoes – Discussion was held whether the slides should be changed from Holt Band to Holt Rams to broaden the reach and sell more slides. If the change is made that there will be a delay in receiving the product. Mrs. Lindley suggested that instead of making the change, the Booster do another sale in the Fall. After much discussion, the logo on the slides will change from Holt Band to Holt Rams and sales will be extended to May 25, 2023. Mr. Emerson will update the flyer and ask the students to advertise on their social media.

#### *Elections*

Dawn Carmody nominated Jason Tippet for the Treasurer position. The Board was all in favor. Jason Tippet is the new treasurer and will work with Lori Underhill.

Kristy Cross appointed Shawna Wicks as the assistant to the Uniform Committee Chairperson.

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#### *Next Meeting*

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