

Meeting was called to order at 6:35 pm by D Martin.

Minutes from the November meeting were handed out and approved.

FINANCIAL REPORT – Tonya Cecil, Treasurer

Tonya was not able to be present but had sent an email stating that we had a balance of \$25,300 in the account.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- A. Fundraising – Jon Hamby, brother-in-law of Brooke Hamby, Fundraising Director
 - a. Dewey's Store – We finished up with \$43,370 in sales, down \$10,000 from last year due to having much less inventory as in the past. Dewey's lowered production significantly this year due to fewer stores and not knowing what sales would be like due to COVID-19. Offered curbside pickup as suggested but no one used. Had \$3672 in sales of Oak Grove items (should be somewhere around \$1400 in profit after invoice is paid and extra stock returned to SE Logo). Some orders still need to be picked up and have been given to the band directors. Special thanks to Phil McManus, the Martins, Corey Jones, Tonya Cecil and Kristy Parker for being on a group text to step in and help when there was no coverage. Special note: More special thanks to Jon who stepped in and helped out tremendously.
 - b. Other items – Planning to repeat cookie dough and butter braid sale in the spring.

STAFF REPORT:

- A. Mr. Howell – Marching band practice started back up today. We were down 18 students due to varied circumstances today. Planning to perform at the three home football games. Games will be limited to 100 spectators per game. We are looking at doing a family performance of the show due to most parents not being able to get tickets to the games. There will be no All District Clinic this year but there will still be a selection of students so they will qualify for All State. There will be no MPAs this year. All classes are working towards a concert in late April / early May. Looking at the challenges with recruiting for both 6th grade and 9th grade for the upcoming year.
- B. Mr. Larsen - Middle school is prepping for All District auditions. Looking at doing a spring virtual concert outside with all instruments. Possibly perform in person on May 18th. Good feedback on all winter concerts from families and the school system. Other schools aren't trying to do any performances so they were excited to see what our schools had done.

NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Future – We need to brainstorm on ideas to get more people involved in the boosters. We've not been as active since no fall marching season. Will need lots more involvement moving towards next fall.

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:50 pm with second. Next meeting will be on Tuesday, February 16th at 6:30 pm.