



# Minutes

**Clio Band Boosters** *March 13th, 2024* Meeting: Commenced at 6:03 pm

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## Reading of the Minutes

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Minutes from the February 21st, 2024 meeting – motioned and approved.

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## Director Report

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Mr. William Mufarreh – The MSBOA Band Festival went swimmingly. It was a great performance all around for all four of our bands. Two middle school and two high school bands, so excited there. The Wind Ensemble got an overall one. Symphony Band got a two, Eighth grade, got a two, and Seventh grade got a one overall. And in my time here in Clio, it's the first time we've gotten one. Celebration of the Arts. State Soul Ensemble is coming up, we're excited about that. Spaghetti Dinner is coming up. Band bonanza for our fourth graders. The jazz band went and played for them, which went super well. Mr. Trebilcock the Intermediate is saying that he's anticipating 100 kids in the beginning band. I spoke with Bob Gaffney. Said "I hear the band is doing well." you heard correctly, sir. He said, "I hear it's going to be a little bit smaller next year and you have a lot of kids coming." It is true. (5:14) It's going to be a little smaller next year, but it's literally like 8th grade is 23 kids, 7th grade is 44, and then 6th grade is 68. And then the beginning band is 93. Next year it's going to be 100. That's a positive sign.

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## Chair & Co-Chair Report

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Stacey Delano (Chair) & Shanna Krzywosinski (Vice-Chair)- No report.

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## Treasurer Report

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Alicia Schlosser- We have just over \$12,000 in the band, Booster. We had a deposit of \$713. (8:24) \$713, from solo and ensemble. Another deposit of \$2,880, from the Winter raffle and whipcrack. In recent years, healthier than it's been. Upcoming we have the Spaghetti Dinner and selling of the old uniforms. And Unos in May.

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## Quartermaster Report

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John Newvine- Thank you to Barry for taking the trailer to State Solo & Ensemble this weekend.

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## Relations Officer Report

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Jason McConnell & Brooke Burger - UNOS fundraiser is confirmed on the 29th of May 2024. Trailer sponsors, going to get the list together and contact all the businesses that are on the trailers now and see if they want to stay on as a sponsor. Reaching out to some new. We do have some maintenance on the trailers that will need to be done. Scheduled for next meeting.

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## Band Council Report

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Ryan Krzywosinski, Justin Krzywosinski - Instrument petting zoo. We had a lot of people show up for that. A lot more than I expected. The place was packed. The jazz band went to the Band Bonanza. Festival smoothly. Once we got there, there was support between, Justin, Jacob, Devin, and myself. The Swartz Creek guys appreciated how thought-out everything was and organized. We had our second drum major training today, a handful of people have come to either one of the two or both. After spring break, All decisions will be made. Yesterday we closed spaghetti dinner tickets. We made over \$1000 in pre-sale tickets.

### Agenda Items

#### 1. Old Business

- a. Spaghetti Dinner - 50-50 raffle. We are still in need of raffle items, cups, and bowls. Looking for some more items geared toward men. We have had a lot of great stuff already donated. A big thank you to all who have donated.
  
- b. Tigers Game - Tiger's game. It's happening. The only things left to do to finishing, cataloging uniforms, and doing fittings for those. There are 8-10 8th graders interested in performing. I'm going to work with some of the guard girls. We're going to do shirts for the color guard. We'll cover the cost of that. We'll do the minimum amount. We'll have a couple extra. The front ensemble and what they will be doing is to be determined. Expecting to have the ad tomorrow and it will be posted on every single social media platform. The tickets are \$22. We're purchasing 60 performer tickets. The \$250 deposit goes towards those tickets for the kids. We have to pay the remaining amount. That is \$770, but the \$25 ticket price includes a \$5, cover that we'll get back as a check after. Our goal is to break, even if not maybe get a little bit. Leave CHS by three and arrive by five, the game starts at 6:40 pm. We would be playing probably around 6:25 pm. After performing the students will go back to the bus, change out of uniform, and then just get to enjoy the game
  
- c. Uniforms - Uniforms. The three defective uniforms, we got back. The only thing left to do is get them cataloged. Then we have to resize thankfully we have all the information and have the uniform number for the kids. Ryan and Jacob helped craft the form for selling the old ones. Run a two-week, two-week, two-week, Thursday, April 4th pickup time 5 pm to 7 pm for the first round. Two weeks after that would be the second round. Posting a whole new form. The initial post will go out tomorrow. The uniform includes jackets, jackets, pants, shako, and shako box. Will order the new shako boxes, and Plume bag.

## 2. New Business

- a. State Solo & Ensemble - Transportation of the percussion equipment has been confirmed.
- b. Future Fundraisers - Future fundraisers. We just have the next fundraiser Matress coming up last Sunday of next month. Will look into the Crocs charm fundraiser. We are working to put in place a fundraising requirement for Marching band members.
- c. Celebration of the Arts - Celebration of the Arts is May 18th, more info to come.
- d. MMB Meetings/Events - Marching band meetings and events. The meeting is the 11th of April. Talking to Hakeem about doing a couple of percussion clinic-type things. We already have a color guard clinic. I'm going to talk to Emily tomorrow about getting a couple more color guard things on the calendar. The show is being written as we speak. The marching band calendar is 95% done. Need to fill in the Tuesday, and Thursday rehearsals, but I don't have the football schedule yet. Competition schedule, we're going to Grand Blanc, Plymouth-Canton, Novi, Prelims, and Ford Field.

## 3. Meeting Adjournment 7:04 pm

**Next Meeting: April 17th at 6 pm in CHS band room**