**Granville Arts Boosters Meeting Minutes – February 19, 2020**

**Attendees:** Vonda McDonald, Jerod Smith, Courtney Van Ostran, Pam Hooker, Don Charlton, Andy Wildman, and Dawn Egelston

**President’s Report:**

Andy asked the group who would be willing to continue on the Executive Committee of the Arts Boosters for the 2020/2021 school year. He would like to discuss at next month’s meeting in order to try to recruit new officers if necessary.

Andy also reminded the group that someone needs to take over managing/coordinating the July 4th lemon shake up stand.

Andy indicated that he would be scheduling a planning meeting in the next few months in order to talk about next year.

**Secretary’s Report**:

The group reviewed the meeting minutes. One clarifying point was that there were 100 GRANVILLE performances at solo and ensemble, but in total there was more than 1200 performances in total.

**Treasurer’s Report:**

The check for the marching band banquet was lost by Cherry Valley Lodge twice, so Boosters will be writing a 3rd check minus the cost to stop payment which will be paid for by the Cherry Valley Lodge.

Concessions at OMEA were ~$5000.

Andy also gave a fundraising update on the turf project. Current cost is totaling $4.9M.

**Directors’ Reports – Jerod Smith**

The group discussed ideas for how we could possibly improve OMEA.

* Signs directing people to rooms and stairs
* Volunteers with tags that say “Volunteers”
* Giving each Volunteer a map/program in case they are asked questions
* Having a person in each hallway to answer questions/tell people to be quiet

Orchestra sign up for contest is up. We will send out the Choir/Band sign up on Sunday.

Courtney has posted the Orchestra sign up to the Arts Boosters facebook page and Jerod will post to the Granville High School Bands Facebook page. Both events take a large number of volunteers and Jerod expressed concern over having enough to ensure a smoothly-run event.

Jerod let us know that the Booster credit card did not work for him during an Amazon purchase. He returned the card for us to dig into the issue. We need to account for all 4 credit cards.

Jerod brought up the mattress sale. We need to start determining WHEN we want to have it. Also, marketing to start earlier.

Jerod also mentioned a vendor who can come in for OMEA contests to create custom t-shirts, etc. that could be sold at the contest and used as a fundraiser.

May 16 is Jazz Fest. Jerod is looking for help in running it and will be requesting volunteers.

Jerod indicated a need to capture all awards across all arts in communication for consistency.

May 8 is the OMEA Middle School contest with party, ice cream, games, etc. We will run it on our own.

Mr. Krumm is having a baby girl. Will need auxiliary instruction for band camp to help with the drum line since Andrew will be out.

Federation of Blues is not funding the scholarship this year. GEF asked if we would want to fund.

**Directors’ Reports – Vonda McDonald**

The Art show is coming up in early May. Don shared how well the art display was received at the Craft Show and how we would like to replicate the displays at other events.

Motion to adjourn. Meeting ended at 8:40pm.