North Royalton Band Booster Meeting High School Media Center

Called to order & pledge at 7:00PM

President – Holly Michalke opened the meeting with a greeting and thanked everyone who had helped with holiday concert, selling ornaments and CD's, and fruit sale. Mentioned the committee chairs that need to be filled for next year: Easter Seals, Air Show, additional person for Car Raffle and additional person for uniform committee during marching band season. This year a third person is needed for the scholarship committee.

Vice President – Amanda Kost spoke about setting up another Easter Seals fundraiser in the spring probably April 22 and 23, weekend of states. Amanda investigated a company that comes to an event and provides t-shirts on the spot for the customers and we receive 20%. We should consider this for states or band fest.

Recording Secretary – The minutes for November were posted online. Bob Franko motioned to approve the minutes from the November meeting. Rich Hrin 2nd the motion. Motion passed.

Treasurer - Steve Frantz presented the December year-to-date financials. Bob Franko made a motion to accept the October year-to-date financials and Jane Coleman seconded to accept the financials. Motion passed.

Corresponding Secretary – A thank you note was received from the Taste of North Royalton committee for the items donated for a band basket.

Committees -

<u>Buttons</u> – No report, but Nancy might consider heading this committee next year. <u>Pit Crew</u> – They have two bids in for the purchase of a new trailer and are waiting on a third bid.

<u>Banquets/Hospitality</u> – Amanda reported that hospitality committee is on track and that the order for blankets for seniors is underway.

<u>Visiting Band</u> – Completed for the year

<u>Bus Chaperones</u> – Completed for the year until chaperones needed for regional band contest trips.

<u>Air Show</u> – Completed for the year. Contract will be sent soon for next year's participation. The Blue Angels will be performing at 2016 Air Show.

<u>Concessions</u> – Done for the year until state band contest.

50/50 – Completed for the year.

<u>Fruit Sale</u> – Susie Perez reported that fruit sale profit was over \$9,000. A thank you to everyone who helped with the fruit sale.

<u>Munching for Music</u> – 175 pie cards were sold and 10 donated to the food bank. They made over \$700. A possible fundraiser with Burger King might happen in February. Chipotle has been set up for March 9th at the Broadview Heights location. <u>Membership</u> – Shirley Berish reported that almost all the "Moonlight Reflections" ornaments were sold at the Holiday concerts in December. There are about 11 ornaments left.

<u>Uniforms (Marching)</u> – Anthony reported that hats had been sent out for repair. When they return Anthony would like to have help in labeling the hats with names. Dry cleaner needs to be reviewed because he is asking that the uniforms come from us in bulk not by individual.

Uniforms (Concert) – no report

<u>Holiday Concert</u> – completed.

<u>Car Raffle</u> – Completed for the year.

<u>Easter Seals</u> – Mentioned earlier that Amanda Kost will be looking at a spring date. <u>Raffle Fundraiser</u> – Regina Atkinson reported that the fundraiser will be held on February 27 at Slim and Chubby's in Strongsville from 5:30 – 8:30. She brought copies of invitations and donation forms to meeting tonight.

Website – no report

<u>Alumni</u> – Holly stated that she will put the Reverse Raffle on the alumni page.

No old business.

No new business.

<u>Director's Report</u> – Mr. Vitale reported that February 6 is the Solo Ensemble Contest. There is no schedule yet and it is at Tri C-West. February 23 is the trial concert for Districts and yearbook pictures will be taken that evening. March 3 & 4 will be District concerts at Westlake High School. For the Florida trip there will be two evening rehearsals and a chaperone meeting after the 1st rehearsal and a mandatory trip meeting after the 2nd rehearsal. Disney will let him know 6 weeks out what day the band will be performing in Disneyworld. He does not have the exact itinerary that is why a schedule has not been issued. Two corrections that the jazz band concert is on February 9 and Commencement is on June 3.

Meeting adjourned at 7:37pm. Rima Chehade motioned for the meeting to be adjourned with Sue Renner 2nd the motion. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted by Shirley Berish, Band Booster Recording Secretary