

Band Booster Minutes

Tuesday July 9th, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 7:08 by President Amber Howse.

- Amber introduced all the new officers for the 2024-2025 school year.
- July 18th will be uniform fittings for Seniors, Juniors, and Sophomores.
- July 19th will be uniform fittings for Freshman.
- Bring payments for uniforms at time of fitting. There will be a 3% fee if using a credit card to pay for uniforms.
- Please sign up for Club Publix Fundraiser for Cullman Bearcat Band.
- Mrs. Smith gave a demonstration for the new Parents Square login. It incorporates appointments, announcements, messages, calendar, multiple accounts, surveys, and more. We will continue using the Remind app until Parents Square is in full force.
- 15 Band Cards will be distributed to each band member on July 23rd at the end of morning rehearsal. No member may have more than 20 unpaid band cards at one time. At this time it will also include a list of turn in dates with times.
- Each band member attending the Orlando trip will have their first trip installment date August 15th.

Mrs. Bean

- Letters were mailed out to all 8th grade Advanced Band Members regarding uniforms, pictures, fees, and more.
- Band Camp is July 22nd thru the 26th.
- Uniforms will include Golf Shirts and shoes. You will be responsible for solid dark black pants and black socks.
- Band Group Pictures for the yearbook and football program as well as individual pictures will be July 26th starting at 2:00 in the boy's gym.
- Beginning at 6:30 P.M. on July 26th Cullman middle school band will meet in the CMS Band Room for pizza or Chick-fil-A. Chick-fil-A is donating chicken sandwiches.
- Beginning band will receive their instruments on August 20th.
- Email with any questions you may have.

Mr. Smith

- Each grade has a remind page you can sign up for. Make sure you sign up to receive important updates from Mr. Smith.
- You can sign up for mass emails on the Cullman High School Band website as well.
- A 12-month calendar is on the website for you to view all upcoming band events.

- There is a change in the current calendar. We will have two Thursday night games at this time. We will have an away game Thursday August 22nd. We will also have an away game on Thursday September 12th against Jasper.
- Percussion Camp is taking place now until July 12
- Band Camp Week #1 is July 15-19
- Band Camp Week #2 (Full Band)
- Please see the Band Camp Schedule to ensure you have the correct dates for your child.
- July 31st is Band Pictures for Football Program at 9:00 A.M.
- Cullman County Fair Parade and Band Exhibition will be September 28th.
- Our Band trip is now November 10th thru November 14th. The dates changed due to changes at Disney with our scheduled performance night.
- We will have a chaperone meeting following the booster meeting tonight for anyone interested in Chaperoning our band trip to Orlando. We need chaperones.
- It is a number one priority to ensure the safety of all staff and band members. Regardless if it is on the practice field or miles away on an extended trip. Safety is our number one priority.
- There is a red box set up in the Band room that money may be dropped in when needed. Please do not put Band Cards in this red box.
- Our next band Booster Meeting will be August 13th at 7:00.

Mr. Teuscher

- This is my 9th year and I really enjoy it.
- I spend half day with Cullman Middle School and half a day with Cullman High School.
- Percussion Camp is going great.
- Let me know if you have any questions.

Tresure reported current bank balances and discussed the upcoming expenses for the concession stand.

There was a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:22 and it was seconded.

Amanda Williams, Secretary

Amber Howse, President

Sherry Lee, 1st Vice President