

**CRANDALL BAND BOOSTER CLUB**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**May 11, 2009**

Present were:

John Nutt, Angela Bradshaw, Donna Sweeney, Cherie Williams, Tammy Dixon, Lela Quinn, Diana Dearth, Jonathan Nix, Sharon Odom

Mr. Nutt went over the upcoming band activities schedule, which can be found at [www.crandallband.org](http://www.crandallband.org). Some of the highlights include:

May 15	Band Contest in Arlington - Leave around 8:30 a.m., back before end of school
May 16	Six Flags
May 18	Percussion Concert
June 22-26	Color Guard Camp (with new guard consultant)
July 7-9	Rock Band Camp
July 13-14	Leadership Camp
July 15-16	Freshman Orientation trip to San Antonio
July 20-23	Drumline Camp
August 3-7	Band Camp
October 3	Mesquite Invitational Band Contest
October 10	DeSoto or Cedar Hill Band Contest
October 21	UIL Marching Contest
February 6	UIL Solo and Ensemble Contest
March 10	UIL Contest in Canton
May 13-16	H.S. Band trip to Disneyworld (tentative date)

For band camp, Mr. Nutt mentioned that the per-camper rate has increased to \$170. So that the \$200 fee charged per student does not have to be increased, and also to allow specialists come out to work with the students, Mr. Nutt asked the Booster Club if they would be willing to pay the band camp deposit of \$1,998. A motion was made and seconded, and all members in attendance voted to pay this deposit. However, it was mentioned that a majority of officers were not present at the meeting, so we should allow their input into the vote. It was planned that an email would be sent to the officers not in attendance to obtain their vote. [ADDENDUM: An email was sent to Hershel Dykema, Danette Dykema, Dianna Peebles and Mary Wallace on May 12. The three responses received voted to pay the deposit as well, so the Treasurer was instructed to provide Mr. Nutt with a check by the end of that week.]

The band tower was also discussed. We have decided not to use the AG department, as they do not appear to be able to handle this project. Sharon Odom will follow up with suppliers of band towers to get pricing and will report back at the next meeting.

Summer fundraising activities were discussed. A combination car wash/rummage sale is planned for Saturday, June 20. It was suggested that a central location be used instead of the high school. Angela Bradshaw will contact First Baptist Church to see about holding the rummage sale on their parking lot, as well as Gail at Dairy Queen for the car wash.

Another fundraising activity suggested was Yankee Candles. Tammy Dixon will get more information about that and report back to the Booster Club.

Adding items to be sold at the Bean Barn was also discussed, specifically pizza as well as some sort of noisemakers, like cowbells. Sharon Odom will follow up with the Athletic boosters to see if it would be okay with them to sell these items. Jonathan Nix graciously offered the use of his slushy machine for the Bean Barn again this year. Thanks, Jonathan!

Lela Quinn, Co-Treasurer, reported that we have \$11,244 in the bank. Banquet costs were approximately \$3,050 and we sold \$1,085 in tickets. It was mentioned that an audit needs to be conducted, and Tammy Dixon volunteered to help with this. Anyone else who would like to be involved, please contact Tammy or Sharon Odom.

Summer meetings are planned to be held at the Community Center. Sharon Odom will contact Kristen at the Center to reserve space.