

**Waxahachie Band Booster Club  
General Family Meeting Minutes**

**Date:** Tuesday, April 8, 2025

**Time:** 7:00 PM

**Location:** WHS PAC

**Agenda Items:**

1. **Call to Order:** President, Autumn Yarbrough @ 7pm

2. **Approval of pervious meeting minutes:** John White and John Rhodes

3. **Officer Reports:**

- President: Thank you everyone for your support at the Spirit night at Raising Canes the band raised \$675.
- There are still items needed for senior bags the link is posted on FB.
- Financial Report: Treasure Georgia Dixon handed out copies of the financial report and went over what's on it and advised everyone if they had any additional question to reach out to her via email. Georgia stated all concession credits has been applied.

4. **Unfinished Business:** No unfinished business.

5. **New Business:**

- Mr. Barnard and Mrs. Burkhalter announced Band Director Rich Armstrong is retiring and the search for his replacement has begun the application process started today. The job announcement will stay open for 2 weeks and then the round of interviews will begin. They are expected the new Director should be in place by the beginning of the 25/26 school year. They provide the family with a QR code asking what we are looking for in the next Director.
- Bylaws update: The proposed changes were presented to the family. The families scanned the QR code and receive a copy. The President stated if there are any question, suggestions, or concerns please reach out to her via email.

**Announcements:**

- Directors Report All Junior High and High School Bands receive all 1's at UIL. The spring concerts are coming up in May and the band are busy preparing. Mr. Armstrong thanked everyone for helping with the Jazz Café and the UIL. The HS show will be revealed at the parents meeting on 4/10. There are 2 options for travel next year for the Disney trip.
- Next General Family Meeting: May 6, 2025

**Adjournment** Motion to adjourn at 7:37pm by John White and second was Robin Jeter all in favor, motion passed.

**April at a Glance**

- April 2-3 UIL Concert and Sight Reading (Times TBA)
- April 7 @7pm WHS Band Concerto Contest (Attendance Required for Band Students)
- April 10@ 7:30pm-9pm WHS Full Band Meeting
- April 12 JH Solo and Ensemble Contest
- April 17@7pm Spring Jazz Concert including JH Jazz Band

**May at a Glance**

- May 3@6:30pm Band Banquet @WHS
- May 6@7pm Howard Spring Concert
- May 8@7pm Coleman Spring Concert
- May 10@8am-1pm Colorguard Solo and Ensemble @WHS
- May 8-11 Mean Girls Musical

- May 13@7pm Finely Spring Concert
- May 14 Senior Awards in PAC
- May 15@7pm WHS Spring Concert
- May 24 WHS Graduation (Saturday)
- May 27-30@8am-4pm Spring Marching Camp @WHS
- May 31 8am-12pm Pics/Registration, 10am-4pm Marching Camp, 5:30pm-7:30pm Band Family Picnic, 8pm Marching Band Spring Showcase.

**5. Directors Report:** Mr. Cook Thanked everyone for their support. 16 students made All Jazz and 8 made state. There is a need of help for march band i.e. Pit and Props. The band place 6 in the HEB BOA 5<sup>th</sup> in the preliminaries. There are still a few Rank One forms that hasn't been completed Mr. Cook will reach out to those.

#### **6. Announcements:**

- Next Family Meeting.
- Fundraising position is still open.

**Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned at 7:47pm. Kathleen White motioned to adjourned and John White 2<sup>nd</sup>.