

WTMBA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP

August 13, 2019

President's Report

Call to order –promptly at 7:30pm

Minutes from June meeting verified.

WELCOME !!!!

Overview of the Parent Packet

Upcoming dates

Day	Date	Time	Opponent/Event	Place
Mon-Fri	8/12-16	8-5pm	Band camp	WTHS
Sunday	8/18	3-7pm	Parent's Night Out	Crooked Eye Brewery
Mon-Thurs	8/19-22	8-5pm	Band camp	WTHS
Friday	8/23	12-3pm	Pool Party	Richboro Swim Club
Friday	8/23		Football vs PW	Home
Saturday	8/24	9-3pm	Car Wash	Pep Boys in Warminster
Tuesday	8/27	AM	Convocation Performance	WTHS
Tuesday	8/27	4-8pm	Band camp	WTHS
Thursday	8/29	6pm	Parent Preview	WTHS
Friday	8/30	2:30pm	Picture Day!/Pizza dinner	WTHS
Friday	8/30		Football vs Academy at Polumbo	Home
Tuesday	9/3	7:30pm	General Membership meeting	Band room

Pool party – snacks/desserts welcome!

Director's Report

- Welcome!
- Band Camp Update
- Reminders: Medical Form (NOT PIAA FORM) in by THIS FRIDAY!
- Parades and Band Camp ARE MANDATORY!

Band camp will always be the last three weeks of August, so block your calendars for next year and plan vacations around those weeks. Same applies to Parades (Memorial Day parade and Hatboro Christmas Parade)

SUPPORT WT MBA



SHOP RITE RECEIPTS

Do you shop at Shop Rite?

If so, ask the clerk for a duplicate receipt if needed, write WT MBA on the back, and put it in the large wooden box at the front of the store.

Shop Rite donates 1% of whatever you spend to that organization.

VP's Report

Senior rec night 10/ 11

I will be sending out an email to senior's to get information on their goals after High School for the announcer. We will meet in the lobby prior to the game time to be announced.

Treasurer's Report

Welcome new band parents and welcome back to the rest of the band parent family! I'm Eric Daubert, your Treasurer for the 2019-20 season. You can reach me at wtmbatreasurer@gmail.com for your student's account balance.

- WT MBA account balance is 49,713.19 as of July.
- Second activity fee payment of \$75 due by September 4.
- Continue purchasing your Giant and Shop Rite gift cards to help your student's account!
- Now is the time to think about soliciting ads for the silver COB!

Recording Secretary's Report

Nothing to report.

Corresponding Secretary's Report

Please contact me asap if you have not received any emails from the corresponding secretary email address. Some handwriting was difficult to read.

All health information will be kept with the band director during band camp and with the band nurse during the season. Please instruct your child to of course be vigilant if they have food allergies or sensitivities.

DRINK LOTS OF WATER!!!!

Publicity - Heather

Upcoming events:

Car wash - August 24 at Pep Boys in Warminster

Celebration of Bands Festival - October 19

Hospitality Chair - Kelly

Band camp snacks/ help - 1 dozen snacks due next Monday from freshmen and sophomores

8/30 - Pizza dinner

- Looking for volunteers to help with uniform inspections and the pizza dinner

Car wash - Chris and Linda Cooter

- August 24th - 9-3 pm
- Students can sign-up for 1 or 2 shifts
- Students receive a share of the profit
- Permission slips are required - available on the website - wtmb.org
- Parent help is needed each shift
- Donations of snacks and water are greatly appreciated



Looking for volunteer to co-chair this year since Chris and Linda are senior parents.
Email/cell phone number for Mr. & Mrs. Cooter is at the bottom of the form.

Wawa Coupon fundraiser

We are selling WAWA "coupons" that will be good for the purchase of
1 SHORTI HOAGIE

Please pre-order your coupons using this form. We will keep selling until they are all gone! **\$1.35/coupon** goes to your student!



\$4.50 per coupon

Kim Bayer * 215-870-6928 * 1dayatime@verizon.net

Parent's night out - Lynne Lucot

August 18th from 3-7pm - Crooked Eye Brewery in Hatboro

Students should have received 4 tickets each to sell

- Where: 13 E Montgomery Avenue in Hatboro
- Who's invited? Parents or friends of parents
- Cost? - \$15 per ticket
- What's included?
 - A beverage of your choice
 - Dinner - (pulled pork, italian beef, - pickle, bag of chips), [vegan option available let Lynne know](#)
 - Appetizer or dessert
 - A complimentary basket raffle ticket

Parent's night out cont'd

Ticket money/unsold tickets due by Friday, August 16th

Items for raffle baskets will be accepted

Volunteers needed:

- appetizer/ dessert
- Sell 50/50 or basket raffle tickets
- Help serve dinner
- Set up or clean up
- Collect/sell tickets
- Help assemble raffle baskets

Tips for 8/18th

- * bring a camp/lawn chair
- * park on York Road

Shop with Scrip Report - Denise Lopez

To get started, download contract at wtmb.org and forward to Denise .

(takes at least a week, before you can make your first purchase)

Giant/ShopRite - Jen Linwood/ Michele

Giant / ShopRite gift cards available in 25, 50, and 100 dollar denominations

Contact Jen @ 267-784-3023 or

Michele @ 267-475-9403

Novelties -

Orders from the 7/15-7/28 sale were delivered today!

Check with your student or me if you haven't received it.

Next sale, will be in time for the holidays.

Alumni - Dave Sharp

Band Dads - Craig

- Build the show set
- Load and unload the trailer for games and cavalcades
- Help to move the equipment on and off the field



COB Chair - Craig

- 25th Celebration of Bands Festival
- October 19, 2019
- 9 bands so far

Food truck - Karen Cavanaugh / Matt Dierkes

Looking for suggestions on what we could pair this event with to bring people in!

(example - car show)

Bi-laws - Brian Gottschall

Committee will work with exec board to update the bi-laws this year!

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Tami Sharp 215.416.9185 (talk or text)
Heather Gray 215.431.8255 (talk or text)

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www.WTMB.org



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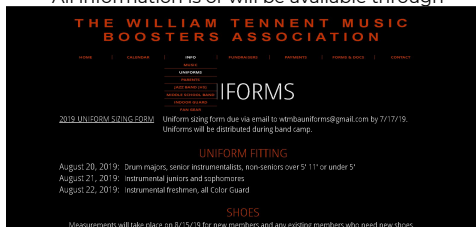
Co-Chair sought for 2020-2021 season!

- We are not hard to find! We are around...a lot!
- Make sure your students knows how to reach out to us! FYI - they may text, call, or email us. We do not initiate direct communications with the students, but when they reach out to us, we keep it band-specific.
- If we need to reach a student, we usually go through student leadership or their parent/guardian. We always ask permission before reaching out to a student.

- Tami's 8th year in band; 7th year with uniforms. Must give it up by June 10, 2020.
- Heather's ___ year in band; 1st year with uniforms!!!!
- Heather will need help next year.
- We are looking to get a rotation started, so that each year we have 1 person learning and 1 person leading.

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All information is or will be available through



Distribution Schedules / Uniform Care Guides (cleaning instructions)
Shoe Fitting Schedule / Accessories and Pricing / etc.

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- We are **VERY** picky, but it is because we **LOVE** our band and their uniforms and they are expensive!
- Students can always talk to us about uniform problems!
- Current instrumentalist uniforms are only 2 and 3 years old and have to last!
- Guard costumes change annually and are sold to help purchase new costumes.
- Proper adjustments and care are crucial.

- Shoe Fittings will be Thursday, 08/15/2019, during lunch.
- Uniforms will be given out starting Tuesday, 08/20/2019, at 2 p.m. I know there may be some conflicts with Select Choir Camps, but we will request that those students come to us after they check in with Mr. DiCarne.
- Please look at information on our site for care instructions.
- Understand uniform care and expectations.
- Help your students understand care and expectations.
- Show them the site.
- Make sure they understand that their uniforms are THEIR uniforms, not yours.
 - You will not go on the Debt List—they will.

- Uniforms are **VERY** expensive!
- We want students to come to us ASAP, so that we can fix or do a temporary fix with instructions for fixing at home, or hand them a new garment bag, hanger, or box.
- Things break. Things happen. It is okay, just let us know ASAP!
- Show damaged pants - only 3 years old.
- Remember, no one goes out on the field naked!
- No one goes out on the field in something they cannot dance in.
- We do our very best, but we cannot custom tailor.
 - We would rather put a slightly large uniform on a student than a slightly small uniform to allow them to be comfortable.

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THANK YOU Volunteers!

Tuesday

1	08/20/2019	Ingrid Daubert
2	08/20/2019	Kirsten Findell DeCorte
3	08/20/2019	Suzanne Dierkes
4	08/20/2019	Jennifer Lovenstein
5	08/20/2019	Danny Mojica
6	08/20/2019	Pam Morone
7	08/20/2019	Ron Pendrak
8	08/20/2019	Theresa Ropars
9	08/20/2019	Lisa Tucholski
10	08/20/2019	Tara Wrigley

Wednesday

1	08/21/2019	Suzanne Dierkes
2	08/21/2019	Jennifer Lovenstein
3	08/21/2019	Adrienne Madnick
4	08/21/2019	Danny Mojica
5	08/21/2019	Ron Pendrak
6	08/21/2019	Larry Rodrigo
7	08/21/2019	Kelly Jennings
8	08/21/2019	Michele Sedlacsik
9	08/21/2019	Janet Senior
10	08/21/2019	Lynn Lucot
11	08/21/2019	Susan Wagner

Thursday

1	08/22/2019	Gwen Belisairo
2	08/22/2019	Karen Cavanaugh
3	08/22/2019	Denise Lopez
4	08/22/2019	Jennifer Lovenstein
5	08/22/2019	Danny Mojica
6	08/22/2019	Ron Pendrak
7	08/22/2019	Jen Smuszkiewicz
8	08/22/2019	Lynn Lucot
9	08/22/2019	Jeanette Wisner
10	08/22/2019	Michele Sedlacsik
11	08/22/2019	

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Questions?