

CRBPA General Membership Meeting
September 8, 2009 - Meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m.

Secretary's Report: The minutes were distributed and read. John Vitale made a motion to accept and Ken Hoffmann seconded. The motion carried. Judythe Malinowski was introduced as the new secretary.

Treasurer's Report: Kevin Ulrich presented the budget. Ron McGowan motioned to accept the budget and George Knapp seconded. The motion carried.

Membership – We have 59 member families. Mary Moore is available to collect dues and Cathy Marshall is available to notarize emergency cards.

Ways and Means – The Gianni Pizza fundraiser is in October. The Yankee Candle fundraiser is in November with delivery before Christmas. Band cards are still available. See John Moore for questions or for cards.

Uniforms – Almost all uniforms have been picked up except for a few that still need cleaning fees paid. Care instructions are available on the website. A few pairs of shoes are available.

Logo Wear – The volunteer positions for the games have been filled. See Shelly Weber to place orders.

Snack Shack – Volunteers are welcome at any time and for any length of time. Contact Kathy Matthews to volunteer or with questions.

Dover Downs – Dover Downs lowered the number of volunteers needed. The spring race will be on May 20th. See Scott Weber with any questions.

Chaperones – The permanent list has been formalized. A chaperone is needed for TOB on 9/26. **Bus 1**–Clarinets/percussion/drum major with Nancy Knapp & Judythe Malinowski; **Bus 2**–Low brass/saxophones with Kiel Hess & Joanne O'Connor; **Bus 3**–Trumpets/mellophones with Laurie Brumbaugh & Eric Stephens; **Bus 4**–Flutes/color guard with Lorraine Loera & Mary Moore

Trailer– The trailer is being painted and looks great. Help is needed unloading after TOBs and away games. Ron McGowan is our new TOB driver this year. Parents are asked to please not to get between the truck and the busses when traveling. Any questions please contact Dan Layte.

Fundraisers: Car wash – A chair is still needed for the fall and spring car washes. **Golf Tournament** – The tournament is rescheduled for April 30th due to low numbers. Points can still be accrued for the Orlando trip if money is collected now. Contact Ken Hoffmann with questions.

Scrip – Every dollar used on these cards earns money for the band and points for your student. See Nancy Knapp for more details and/or to purchase cards.

Points – Points are earned for every effort you put into the band. You earn 1 point for every dollar of profit and 3 points for every hour worked. Point value will be determined later in the year. These points earn money that can be applied to the Orlando trip in February. Running tabs will be posted in the band room as soon as possible. Points can carry over from year to year. Contact Ken Hoffmann with any questions.

Mr. Sandlin - A schedule of upcoming events is sent home weekly. Report time for home football games is 6:15 and for away games is 4:00 to 5:00 depending on distance to the school. Exact time for away games and TOBs will not be known until approximately two weeks prior. There are discounted advanced purchase tickets for the shows available through the band office. The fall SAT testing dates do not conflict with any band performances. Concert band auditions and both jazz bands have begun, and Jazz Band I has its first gig on October 17th at Rider Pride Day. Show shirt orders are due September 10th. The order form is on the web site and needs to be returned to the band directors. There is a link on the band website for the Youtube video of the Norwegian band that purchased the old uniforms. The Orlando trip itinerary was passed out. The cost is \$710 per student. The \$15 increase from two years ago is due to a higher ticket price for the Cirque du Soleil show. Finally, please include Mike Williamson in your thoughts and prayers.

50/50 – Chris Warga won \$44.00. - **Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m. – next meeting Oct. 6 @7:30**