

Minutes of the La Cueva Band Booster General Meeting
November 5, 2014

Present: President Jeff Hawkins, treasurer Jeanette Walther, VP Celina Stoyanof, VP Matt Shover, secretary Vicki Porter, director John Converse, and approximately 35 members.

Meeting called to order at 7:02 p.m.

- 1) **Minutes:** A motion to approve the minutes from the October 1, 2014, meeting was made and seconded. Motion to approve minutes carried.
- 2) **Treasurer's Report:** A current report of income and expenses was provided. Jeanette reported that the books have been audited by an independent auditor.
- 3) **Director's Report:**
 - a) 2014 was been an extremely successful marching band season with a show that has proven popular on blog comments even with people not associated with the program.
 - b) The band placed 8th overall at the Red Rocks Invitational and 12th among a very competitive BOA field in Utah.
 - c) Mr. Converse expressed his thanks to all the parents who volunteered in many different capacities throughout the season. Special thank you to Ingrid Wobst as the water chair and to all parents who helped on the equipment crew and as chaperones.
 - d) Concert season auditions are taking place this week.
- 4) **Fundraising:**
 - a) Poinsettias will be delivered to LCHS during the day on Wednesday, December 3rd. They will be available for pickup right after school and before or immediately after the Booster meeting that evening.
 - b) The Holiday Craft Fair is December 6th. Parent volunteers are needed for Friday setup, parking lot duty during the day Saturday, help for vendor setup, bake sale, silent auction, and tear down.
 - c) Thanks to Ingrid Wobst for volunteering to serve as Bake Sale chair and to Peggy Wilson as Silent Auction chair.
- 5) **Other Business:**
 - a) The Big Bad Bear Marching Band was recognized by the APS Board of Education with an Achievement Award for their performance and place at the Pageant of Bands
 - b) For future out-of-town marching competitions, it was suggested that a parent caravan be organized and that pooling bus costs with another Albuquerque band might be explored as a way to reduce costs.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, January 7, 2014, at 7:00pm in the band room.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m.