

- Meeting called to order at 6:52pm. There was a welcome by President Debbie Dailey to attendees, introducing Director Walter Cevallos, Vince Reid drum line instructor. Special thanks also given to Brian Porterfield for supplying the drill for the 2018 marching season.
- Mr. Cevallos (Mr. C) took the floor, again welcoming attendees, and thanking all those who have helped with band camp. He also thanked alumni from 2017 year for helping students during band camp. Mr. C also thanked parents and businesses for food donations and contributors during the span of band camp. Thanks were also given to all contributions to the pet food and toy drive for the local animals shelters. (This was a special function provided by Mr. Cevallos;s daughters, who provided a popsicle treat for the band students.) He then spoke about the importance of involvement in fundraising in the coming season, due to many needs of the band including instrument repair, replacement, and the large number of operating costs.
- Debbie Dailey introduced the booster board members for 2018-2019 school year including :
 - Debbie Dailey, President
 - Angela Glidewell, Vice President/Logistics
 - Kevin Moss, Treasurer
 - Bonny Simpson, Asst. Treasurer
 - Miles Johnston, Secretary
 - Kristin Whitesall, Fundraising
 - Brenda Moss, Uniforms
- Kevin Moss addressed how fair share accounts operate and individual dues that each band member is responsible for. He also explained installment payment plan and statements, and that individual accounts will be accessible through the website, hopefully starting in September. He then explained that dues could be paid by either cash, check or credit/debit card. Discussion was held about the purchase of new bibbers for this marching year, with an additional cost of \$85.00 per student, but cost can hopefully be offset by fundraising and therefore will not be added to fees at present time.
- Debbie Dailey reminded parents that sports physicals forms and drug test consent forms are mandatory and are due by the beginning of school, and the first after school practice. Reminded parents that all forms are available online from the band website (www.sapatriotband.com) and that the use of the website registration is easy, and saves costs because it eliminates the need for copying costs and paper. Debbie also encouraged parents and students to sign up to use the “Remind” app for better communication and announcements.
- Angela Glidewell spoke about the need for volunteers, that are willing to work and have a positive attitude to help with marching season. Volunteers will help serve meals, organize before and after games, setup at the stadium for home games, pit crew setup for games and competition. Also will need

volunteers to work the concession stand for 1 home game this season. She also stated we need a big truck, that is able to pull the big band trailer to and from competitions.

- Brenda Moss discussed that the pants for the new uniforms for the 2018 marching season uniform have arrived and that the tops will arrive soon. Band t-shirts for the new season are also ordered and should be here before the first home game.
- Kristin Whitesell spoke about new fundraising opportunities, including the new Snap Raise fundraiser that lasts for 30 days. Today was day 11 of 30, and the students had already raised \$4255.00 of their \$6000.00 goal. Advised that there will be many fundraising opportunities throughout the year that can offset the student fees cost, such as car washes. Dominos Pizza cards will also be distributed tonight for those interested in selling as a fundraising opportunity. Future fundraising opportunities are being investigated, such as Yankee Candle Company sale, turkey sale, attraction books, and Sunset Shlushie night, and will be discussed as details become available. Trailer sponsors are needed by August 29th, and the forms for those can be found on the band website (www.sapatiotband.com)
- Discussion by Debbie Dailey about the upcoming game at Graham High School, that band will travel by bus and be fed pizza prior to leaving SAHS. Will ask each student to bring \$5.00 for meal. Buses will arrive back at SAHS after game, but students will not be dismissed until after buses and equipment unloaded, which usually averages around 11:30 pm.
- Debbie reminded attendees that regular booster meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 6pm, and that each meeting is usually under 1 hour in length. Encouraged parents about the importance of participation and attending meetings to stay informed.
- Meeting was adjourned at 7:17 pm.