

Band Boosters

Thursday, March 5, 2009

Present: M. Mutchler, K. Brown, L. Batchelder, G. Van Beek, A. Johnson, T. Magwire

1. MS Jazz fees: part of fee covers going to tri-state festival at JMU. MS Jazz isn't going, so clinicians aren't being hired. T. Magwire would like to reduce fee so that students are charged only \$10, which will cover budget. \$35 fee would pay for festival and clinicians, which won't be used this year.

Approved; T. Magwire will communicate the change to MS Jazz parents.

2. Band scholarship

Draft application was distributed.

- a. What is the purpose of scholarship – further music education, or further education of someone who made a contribution to the SCSS music program.
- b. decision: student must use scholarship to “further music education”
- c. does “further music education” mean “major in music education”? A. Johnson and T. Magwire will not endorse anyone who is not a music major with a focus on a band instrument.
- d. Outside music activities: should points be awarded for music activities outside school (ensembles, etc)?

3. Guard budget:

L. Swogger moved that winter guard uniforms be moved to one line item (from 3)