

Minutes SIMBA Meeting  
Tuesday, April 20, 2010

New Board for the 2010-11 year were introduced they are: Mary Donato, President; Laurabeth Barnett, Vice President; Cindy Rees, Treasurer; Charlotte Thielen, Secretary.

**Director's Report:**

Mr Lambert requested that the hall bulletin boards be redone, SIMBA has use of both boards for informational purposes, John Donato is looking into securing the boards with a plexiglass cover.

Call time for parade has been changed to 3PM, the school board needs the buses for other dignitaries.

The trip for next year was discussed. The Champs Bowl in Orlando seems to be the best deal, pricing includes time at the parks in Orlando. The price can be decreased by eliminating the first and last nights stay, we will leave early and return late. The dates are December 27<sup>th</sup> to December 30. Cost per student will be approximately \$365 per person based on 80 students and 20 parents/staff. Mr is looking for an individual who is willing to volunteer to be trip coordinator to assist with this venture.

Al Gordon is going to work on restoring the old band pictures in the hall way. The new digital composites for 2008-09 and 2009-10.

May is Band Month,

- The Annual Silent Auction Prism Concert will be held on Friday May 7<sup>th</sup>, with rehearsals to be held beginning on Monday, May 3.
- Tryouts for guard, dance and drumline are to be held the week of May 11, ending with band registration of Friday the 14<sup>th</sup> and mini band camp on sat the 15<sup>th</sup>.
- The Band Banquet, a pot luck meal to be served in the Cafeteria and Awards Ceremony, in the Auditorium, will be on Saturday, May 22 beginning at 3pm.
- Mini Band Camp will be held May 25, 26, 27 from 6-9pm. Incoming freshman are invited to this camp.

Thursday Night Live with begin on July 8<sup>th</sup>.

**New Business**

- Trailer wash to be held on Friday, April 23.
- Parade will be on Saturday, April 24<sup>th</sup> and parents are needed to walk the parade and snacks are needed.
- Prism Concert needs donations for the silent auction and parents to help with set up. Tickets will be sold at the door.
- need for committee chairpersons and volunteers was discussed. Standing committees are Concessions, Telephone, Uniforms, Chaperones, and Social,
- Need for better communications with parents was discussed.
- Colette Matthews discussed concessions at the Rays Games, needing volunteers for the weekend of May 1 & 2. Ways to reach out to other parents and volunteers were discussed. Earning money for student accounts and amounts per game were also discussed. The families of band students will be able to earn credit toward band fees and trip costs with the Rays Concessions.

Next meeting to be held on Tuesday, May 18. Meeting was closed.

