

# **PARKSIDE HIGH SCHOOL BAND BOOSTERS**

**December 3, 2008**

## Welcome and Band Director's Remarks

Cindi welcomed the group.

Tonight is also Colorguard Recruitment Night so Cindy gave the director's report for KZ.

-Parkside had a great marching season, this year's score at ACC's is the second highest in Parkside's history. Next year promises to be an even better year. KZ and Mike have already started thinking about next year's show. Costs for next year's show will be higher. Some of the costs will be for music, salary for KZ's assistants, flags, and other equipment. KZ is looking at having a custom arrangement done for the Parkside ensemble. We may need some help with sewing the flags for next year's colorguard, we are looking at a much larger guard next year.

- The itinerary for the Christmas parade is available on line.

-Hat collection will be on Monday, December 8. Hat boxes must be empty (except for hat) and should be cleaned with Windex or other cleaner. There will be detentions handed out if they are not in appropriate condition.

-The Christmas concert, a collaboration with Parkside's choral department will be on December 16. There is no admission charge for the concert but are asking for a canned food donation. The in-school concert will be the following day with pictures being taken following the concert. Pictures will be taken in marching uniforms this year and payment is expected when the pictures are taken.

-Incentives from the Delmarvacade ad sales will be handed out on December 18, which is also the date of the band's Secret Santa exchange.

-All Shore Band auditions will be held on January 31, 2009 at Stephen Decatur Middle School. The concert will be on April 18, 2009 at Wi Hi.

- Band Camp 2009 will be August 3-7 and August 10-14.

## Treasurer's Report-Felipe Arroyo

Felipe distributed the treasurer's report, we currently have approximately \$23,800 in our account. With the wash out of Delmarvacade this year, we need to really concentrate on our remaining fund raisers.

## Committee Reports-

RAM Cards-The first \$50 from RAM card sales is due by 12/19.

Concession Stand-Tammy Farley thanked everyone who volunteered this year.

Pit Crew-Brian Hildreth thanked everyone who has volunteered on the pit crew this year. We will be pulling the trailer in the Christmas parade and would like to honor our award winning pit crew. Please wear sweatshirts and hats. Pit crew volunteers can keep the sweatshirts and hats for next year unless your child is a senior.

Wine Tasting-The wine tasting and silent auction is scheduled for March 28, 2009 at the Ward Museum from 6-9. Invitations will be mailed in early February, so if you know of anyone that you would like to invite, please give the information to Betty. Keep an eye out during the holiday sales for silent auction basket ideas.

Apparel Orders-The apparel has been submitted and should be ready for pick up by December 15.

## Closing

Cindi thanked everyone for attending. There will be no meeting in January. The next meeting of the boosters is scheduled for Tuesday, February 3, 2009.