



## DMBB GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

### I. Meeting Details

Date: January 23, 2023

Time: 6:00PM MT

Location: Online Teams Meeting

### II. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 6:03PM MT

### III. Approval of Minutes

Bonnie motioned for the minutes from November 28, 2022 to be approved. Jodie seconded the motion, passed unanimously.

### IV. Director's Report – Andrew Burton

- 1) S&E results: Victoria Leung (piano) and Lillie Harper (viola) with Superior, Paige Kaufmann (viola) with Excellent. Superior moving to Tier 2. 12 to audition at regionals this weekend
- 2) DM host Regionals Feb 17-18, Area Festival Feb 22.
- 3) Orchestra concert Feb 23
- 4) Disney Trip Feb 9

### V. Director's Report – Bryan Hummel

- 1) Flute choir, clarinet quintet, solo – all excellent ratings. Do not advance to round 2
- 2) This weekend 37 band kids auditioning at regionals
- 3) Future Wolves Night tomorrow – school wide event
- 4) Disney – first out-of-state trip since 2019
- 5) DM hosting regional & area festivals. Students will either perform or volunteer

### VI. Treasurer's Report – Dara Marsello

- 1) Finished marching season in Nov.
- 2) January income + expenses for Winter Guard
- 3) Raffle baskets about \$1600 raised, restaurant nights about \$100 each

### VII. Old Business

- 1) Restaurant Nights - Sushi Ko and Raising Cane's coming up

### VIII. New Business

- 1) Winter Guard schedule posted in agenda
- 2) 2023-24 board planning in Feb, nominations in March, elections in April and take office in May. Need volunteers for hospitality, fundraising/spirit nights, spirit wear, photos/videos
- 3) Future Wolves Night tomorrow – marching band playing
- 4) Question on how to bring band to away games: Per Hummel, that's over 15k plus time commitment for staff, students. We commit to playoff games (except over Thanksgiving break). If we decide to do these games, trade off could be fewer competitions. Band is funded by families, and no SUSD budget.

- 5) How to make Marching Band better? Hummel was out part of season. DM only has one lit field, so we lose one hour of rehearsal time (about 20 hrs/season) after Oct when it gets dark early. Will work with football for field availability. Financially – doing well. Program growing yearly.
- 6) Band camp and show weekends are already posted on DMHSIM calendar page. More info on MB will be out around March/April.
- 7) End of year 2024 tentative London trip. Planning to start after Disney trip

## **IX. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 6:30PM MT.