



*The **Pride** and the **Traditions** continue...*

**Hightower High School Band Booster Organization  
General Parent Meeting**

[www.canenationband.com](http://www.canenationband.com)

**February 27, 2024 (Rescheduled to March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024)**

**Via Zoom**

**Establish Quorum, Call to Order: 6:30 pm**

**Secretary's Report:** Copies of meeting minutes were emailed to board.

**Treasurer's Report:** Beginning Balance as of February 27, 2024:

Income: **\$8518.29**

Expenses: **\$21500**

Ending Balance as of February 27, 2024: **\$5245.29**

Amegy Band Balance as of February 27, 2024:

**President's Report:**

- **Review of Action Items:**
- **update Cane Nation Website (last updated February 2024 L. Bailey)**

**Fundraisers:**

**Kroger**

- **Still ongoing**
- **Information is provided on the Cane Nation Website**

**Upcoming Fundraisers:**

- 1. Vertical Raise in May 2024**
- 2. Band Supporter Gear Ongoing**

**Fundraisers that have ended:**

- 1. Side by Side Concert Apparel Sales: Profit \$192**
- 2. Double Good Fundraiser: Raised \$1734 Profited: \$867 (26 participated/13 raised funds)**
- 3. Spirit Night with Sienna Wings: Raised \$250**

**Fire Sale Items:**

- 1. Beanies \$5**
- 2. Hats/Visors \$5**
- 3. Green Short Sleeved Shirt/Long Sleeved Black Shirt/Black Mesh Shorts \$5**
- 4. America Show Shirts \$3**
- 5. Green Half Time Team Shirts \$5**
- 6. Green Mom/Dad Supporter shirts \$5**
- 7. Chaos Order Show Shirts \$5**
- 8. Towels \$8 (not a fire sale item)**
- 9. Yard Signs \$10 (not a fire sale item)**
- 10. Volunteer Shirts \$5**
- 11. Eye of the Storm Hoodies \$13**

**Spring Break Trip 2024 (March 9-11) (Saturday-Monday) San Antonio Tx**

- 1. If you are attending, please finalize all past due trip payments by the end of February! (February 29<sup>th</sup>)**
- 2. Parent meeting was held on Thursday February 22<sup>nd</sup>! If you missed the meeting and details pertaining to the trip, please reach out to Mr. Cliff!**

**21<sup>st</sup> Annual FBISD Education Expedition Bikeathon**

- 1. April 6<sup>th</sup>**
- 2. Community Service/Volunteer Opportunity for the Band**
- 3. Sign up genius will go out soon for student and parent volunteers**

**Band Banquet for Band and Color Guard**

- 1. Date: May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024**
- 2. Location: Restoration City Life Center**
- 3. Time: 7pm**
- 4. Tickets are now on sale \$35/link provided below**
- 5. Students, Family and Friends and Community Members are welcomed to attend!**
- 6. Deadline to purchase tickets May 12<sup>th</sup>**

[http://www.canenationband.com/store/p33/Band\\_and\\_Guard\\_Banquet\\_2023-2024.html](http://www.canenationband.com/store/p33/Band_and_Guard_Banquet_2023-2024.html)

**Hurricane Block Party:**

- 1. May 11<sup>th</sup> at HHS**
- 2. 10am-6pm**
- 3. Free Entry**

4. Booth tickets will be sold at time of event/cash only
5. Community Welcomed!
6. The HHSBBO will be selling Snow Cones, Frito Pie and Mother's Day treat boxes (from our HHSBBO vendor Boss Ke') Please stop by the Band Booster Booth we would greatly appreciate your support!

**Winter Guard Season (2 more competitions left)**

1. Competition at Angleton HS March 2<sup>nd</sup>
2. Competition at Clear Creek HS March 23<sup>rd</sup>

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade Hang Out Night:**

1. Information coming soon!

**Now Accepting Nominations for the HHSBBO 2024-2025 School Year!**

**Positions include: (to be nominated for a President/Vice President position you will have had to be on the board for a least a year!)**

1. President
2. Vice President
3. 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President
4. Treasurer
5. Assistant Treasurer
6. Secretary
7. Historian
8. Parliamentarian
9. Color Guard Liaison

**Parent Volunteer Committees for the 2024-2025 school year:**

**(please consider signing up!)**

1. Fundraiser Committee
2. Sponsor/Donation Committee
3. Pit Crew/Prop Team Committee
4. Uniform Committee
5. Tailgating/Homecoming Committee
6. Banquet Committee
7. Nomination Committee
8. Meal Committee
9. Volunteer Committee

**(Nominated so far: G. Tribble for President, N. Roman for VP, M. Serpas for Secretary, A. Baines for Historian, D. Miles for Treasurer)**

- **Other questions, business, and items to handle**

#### **Other Officer Reports:**

#### **Sponsor/Donation:**

- 1. Kroger**
- 2. Raising Cane**
- 3. Academy**
- 4. Fort Bend Construction Landscape and Grounds**
- 5. 2 Color Guard donations**
- 6. HEB**

#### **Committee Reports:**

#### **Upcoming Dates:**

**General Parent Meeting 2/27/2024**  
**Winter Guard Competition at Angleton HS 3/2/2024**  
**Executive Board Meeting 3/5/2024**  
**LOMS Concert at HHS 3/6/24**  
**Spring Break 3/11-3/15 2024**  
**LOMS/BMS Pre UIL 3/22-3/23 2024**  
**Winter Guard Competition at Clear Creek HS 3/23/24**  
**General Parent Meeting 3/26/24**  
**Symphonic Band Pre UIL-3/27-3/28 2024**

#### **Principal & Directors Report:**

- **Updates on our current direction – Solo & Ensemble had 9 students earn 1s and 2 state qualifiers. Winter Guard is doing very well and are very close to qualifying for state (depending on results on 3/23/24). UIL is coming soon and we are having many rehearsals to prepare. Spring trip luggage check in is on Friday. Email questions to Mr. Cliff. Our Trailer is in transit. Marching uniform designs happening soon. They should be ready in July of 2025. Budget and band registration forms are in the works. March 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> we are hosting Pre-UIL and we will need volunteers.**
  - **Needs**

#### **Old Business:**

**New Business:**

- **Items for Next Meeting**

**Adjournment: 6:44 pm**



**Criminal History Application Link**

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