



## Westmont Music Boosters

Meeting Minutes  
September 5, 2018

**Attendees:** Christiana Mandler, James Dickson, Ronda Ross, Mike Hedman, Russell Davis, Melissa Raplee, John Ross, Elijah Raplee, Cindy Chuang, Diane Young, Brenda Lacey, Mas Nishimura, Jenny Nishimura, Karen Hedman, Marianne Marchant, Yvonne Chen, Lamiya Nguyen, Chris Yee, Doris Gonzalez, Irene Velasco, Kristen Johansen, Jeane Chaves, Theresa DeSoto, Terry Kao, Jennifer Didone, Mary Zhou, Sherry Morton, Sanhita Ghosal, Liz Ellison, Kelly Dickson, Sophie Horiuchi, Kim Nevitt

**Call to order at 7:00 pm (James)**

### **Welcome & Introductions:**

Booster Board for 2018-2019 introduced  
Meetings scheduled for 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month except for December and January  
Ronda has been emailing regular communication and reminders  
Refer to new website [www.westmontmusic.org](http://www.westmontmusic.org) Webmaster (Mike)  
Join Facebook group for updates and photos:  
[www.facebook.com/groups/WestmontWarriorMB](http://www.facebook.com/groups/WestmontWarriorMB)  
Feel free to email Board members directly or use Contact Us on website

### **Music Director Report:**

New music and instruments (bass drums and bassoon) have been purchased.

### **Financial Report:**

Balance of \$56,526.18 as of 9/1/2018  
Reimbursement forms available online

### **Upcoming Events:**

Fri. 9/7 5:30 - 6:30pm Tailgate Party (50<sup>th</sup> Celebration)  
Marching Band and Cheer to perform Fight Song and Alma Mater @ about 6 pm  
Music Boosters will offer Otter Pops and water  
Fri. 9/7 7:00pm Football vs. Del Mar  
Marching Band to perform during half time  
Sat. 9/8 10:00am -5:00pm **Mattress Fundraiser** in Cafeteria  
Everyone is encouraged to advertise  
Yard signs are available  
**Thurs. 9/20 7:00pm--Football vs. Oak Grove**

## **Marching Band Reports:**

6 Football Games and 4 Competitions this year.

### **Uniforms:** Uniform Coordinator (Ronda)

Wear black socks

Wear deodorant

Pants only may be washed at home if needed. Dry on low.

### **Apparel:** Apparel Coordinator (Liz)

Order forms are available in band room and online

Leave in box (Ms. Mandler's office)

Working on ordering black polos for all students

### **Pit Crew / Equipment:** Pit Crew Chief (Mike)

Good turnout for Pit Crew this year

Not renting truck this year. Using two trailers.

John has been working hard to repair and improve equipment

### **Carpool:** Co-coordinators (Diane and Melissa)

Check Facebook group and email for Signup Genius link

Estimated 13 drivers per competition/parade needed for 61 band members

Del Mar is already full! Thank you to old and new drivers!

### **Food Committee:** Coordinator (Kelly)

Meeting scheduled to plan meals for each competition

Good Freshman turnout!

## **Championships in Bakersfield – November 17-18**

### **Hotel: SureStay Best Western Bakersfield North, 2620 Buck Owens Blvd**

Room signups this Saturday at practice.

**Busses:** Two reserved. Parents may ride on bus if cleared by District.

**Schedule:** Tentative departure from WHS is 6am Saturday. Performance most likely mid-afternoon. WBA to finalize schedule closer to date. Return to WHS Sunday.

**Expectations:** Cost is \$150 per student. 5-7 parent chaperones needed. Must be cleared by District. Start process immediately by contacting Laura Saldana as it can take 3-6 weeks.

## **Next Booster Meeting – October 3, 2018 7:00 pm**

**Adjourned at 7:55 pm (James)**

**Minutes Submitted by Melissa Raplee**

**Minutes Approved October 3, 2018**