AHSBBBC Booster Meeting

In Conjunction with the Winter Concert, AHS Auditorium

December 11, 2019

**Welcome/Call to order: Ryan Diks**

Meeting opened and called to order at 7:15pm

Thanks to everyone for coming, thank you for your support.

Thanks to our band sponsors. They are named and recognized on the band website’s sponsor page

(Concert Band Performed until 7:38pm)

**Finances/Treasurer’s Report: Robert McDonald**

We are doing very well with our budget.

Two items where we are underbudget are 1) mulch and 2) band dues.

Letters are being sent to families who still owe band dues. Please see Robert or contact him.

We had to pay for the trailer for the St. Louis trip but we spent less on props this year than expected.

We are forecast to be at budget.

There are 18 categories shown on the budget for money in and money out.

The balance is lower than normal due to outstanding band fees.

Mulch fundraiser should bring the balance back up.

(Ryan Diks) Regarding the outstanding band fees, we have $11,000 still unpaid.

Every family committed to pay these fees. There are 25 families who still owe and have not been in communication to make plans to pay these off.

Please contact Robert, please be in communication.

In January, if these fees are still unpaid or no plans have been made to pay, your student’s name will be added to the fees and fines list at the school. They will not be able to go to prom, cannot graduate.

(Symphonic Band Performed at 7:43pm)

**Mulch Fundraiser/Ryan Diks & Scott May:**

(Ryan) The booster club is run entirely by parent volunteers.

The upcoming mulch fundraiser is the biggest fundraiser of the band year.

It is being run this year by Scott & Kim May.

(Scott) A ton of preparation goes into this fundraiser.

We are shooting for a 30% sales increase this year.

We need all band students and parents on February 22 for delivery day.

Mulch delivery is being staged again at Parkway United Methodist Church in New Territory.

Look for information in early January, and start selling.

(Ryan)Please read the emails that will come out about mulch fundraiser.

We are asking all band students to sell.

The more mulch we sell the lower our spring band fees will be next school year.

**Meeting Adjourned at 8:02pm**

(Wind Ensemble Performed)