

THS Band & Orchestra Booster Meeting

7:00 p.m., November 3, 2025 in the Library



Attendees

Crystal Gard, President; Kim Pepper, Vice President; Tammy Trapp, Treasurer; Amy Reyes, Social Media; Seth Brandt, Craft Fair Chair; Kati McKee, Assistant Band Director; James Irving, Band Director; Michael Sorensen, Secretary

Band/Orchestra and Family members - full house!

Absent

N/A

Secretary

Michael Sorensen is the new booster secretary.

Social Media

Just a reminder - We have multiple social media accounts - [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and our [website](#). Please like and share our posts. Feel free to share your photos with us to post!

Can Drive

- The September can and bottle drive raised \$751.50 plus a \$20 cash donation. Great job to those who volunteered, contributed, and spread the word. Thank you!
- The next can and bottle drive is Saturday, November 15th from 10 am to 2 pm at THS (black gate entrance area). Watch your email for volunteer opportunities.
- Flyers promoting this event were available at the booster meeting.
- Crystal Gard informed the group that we need a replacement for Mike and Robbie Weber, who are stepping down after this year. Danielle Bodmer was nominated and voted in to take over coordinating and overseeing the onsite can and bottle drives in the new year. Thank you!

Treasurer's Update (Tammy Trapp)

- Jacket refunds - The supplier price ended up being lower than originally quoted so parents can get a refund either in the form of a check or have it

deposited into their students' individual accounts. See Tammy for assistance on refunds.

- Disney payments - November payments are coming due. Electronic payments are now available.
- Student account balances - Tammy can provide parents an update on the balance in their child's account. See Tammy for this information if interested.

Craft Fair (Seth Brandt)

Save the date - Saturday, 10am - 4pm, 12/6/25.

- We will need parent/student volunteers for Friday night setup and Saturday event; signup will begin in November. Donations of money and goods are also welcome to cover concessions.
- Check your email for the signup link for those interested in volunteering for the craft fair. We need lots of extra hands, so jump in and get involved!
- Fifty seven (57) vendors have applied and most have paid the fee to attend.
- Students will have a table to sell their homemade goods. (Email Seth if interested in learning more about this opportunity - thsbandcraftfair@gmail.com)
- Students will be working concessions this year.
- Seth provided the attendees with a brief overview of all the different volunteer positions needed for this year's fair. Be sure to get signed up!

For more information:

<https://www.tigardhighbandboosters.com/event/holiday-craft-fair-2025/>

Wreath Sale (Kati McKee)

- Just a reminder that the deadline to order is November 17th.
- Orders will be available for pickup at the Craft Fair. Part of the proceeds go to the general Booster fund, the other part (\$5.00 per item sold) goes into the student's personal account.
- At least one student will work the wreath pick up table with an adult throughout the day.
- There will be some extra wreaths available for sale during the craft fair, however, we should encourage pre-purchasing prior to November 17th.

For more information,

<https://www.tigardhighbandboosters.com/holiday-wreaths-and-more> .

Disney Trip (Kati McKee)

Just a reminder - Spring Break trip for Orchestra & Band. Saturday, March 21 - Wednesday, March 25.

- Cost approx. \$950. Boosters will subsidize the trip because it will be closer to \$1300. This includes flights, ground transportation, hotel and admission to the parks.
- If you are interested in attending the Disney trip, Kati McKee needs to know ASAP!
- Kati informed attendees there are lots of tag-a-longs this year, which is great, but they must confirm travel plans with McKee ASAP!
- Kati is looking into the TSA Real ID travel requirements for teens. Information will be posted on the website.
- The Disney Clinic will be on the Tuesday of their trip. Time is to be determined.

More info and payment schedule on: THSBandtrip.blogspot.com

Next Meeting

The Executive Board will meet 6:00 p.m., Monday, 12/1/25, in the THS Music Cave, followed by Boosters meeting at 7 p.m, also in the THS Music Cave.

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