L. D. Bell Band Booster Minutes from September 1, 2015

7:03 Call to order by Dee Zuniga

Thanks everyone for attending.  Please pick up the newsletter printed out here at the meeting for more information. There will be opportunities to sign up to volunteer following slide show. Communication is important. Contact Dee Zuniga if you need anything. Her email is ldbellbandpresident17@gmail.com

Matt Rabe announced that he needs help on props, see him if interested in volunteering.

**Directors Reports:**

**Mr. Maughmer** –We have the Marchathon coming up and since the pit travels separately, we will need some volunteers with trucks to move equipment. Kids are doing great, still encourage rest and hydrate. Drumline Contest coming up, still need lots of volunteers.

**Mrs. Dell** - Kids doing great, adjusting well. Kids arriving at 6:45. Adjusting well. Great momentum. Please donate if you can. We need lots of time from volunteer, if no time, donate items for auction or food. Need everyone’s help.

**Mr. Mathews** – Only a few things to go over, please come see us at the end with any further questions. We have been doing this for a month and 4 days as of today. Kids a little shell shocked, but ready. Have been involved in 25 different projects to date, these are some of the best kids I have ever taught. We have accomplished more than I remember at the time in any other project. Getting a little better every day. Sectionals going on, make up rehearsal day, we will debut in contest setting at the HEB Marching Contest in exhibition. Oct 3rd, BOA Arlington coming up.two months we will be done, going to Georgia. To kids to visualize where they want to be. Kids need to be passing classes, directors will be asking what their plans are if not. Grades are very important. Ask kids their goals, and then encourage them to do a little more. Begin with the end in mind, enjoy the process, help each other strive for the best. You can monitor your kids grades with their student ID on HACS… Kids need to know their grades more than the director’s do. Try to volunteer at the upcoming events if you can, we really need volunteers. Homecoming parade is set up with band going first. Bannister assured us the kids would be done by the time college night started so they could attend. Kids doing great. We also have other stuff you haven’t seen yet. Going to be an exciting year.

Meeting adjourned 8:04.