

Hilliard Music Boosters, Inc.
Davidson Chapter
Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, April 14, 2026
7:00 pm at Davidson HS

Call to Order/Agenda Review

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 pm by Chapter Chairperson, Michelle Diercks. The agenda was distributed and reviewed by those in attendance. Attendees introduced themselves.

Officer Reports

Treasurer Report: Holly Hykes/Jessica Lee

- Accounts: Total for accounts \$153,349.09, Total for Liabilities and Equities \$ 200,255.33
- Haven't had a chance to move expenses to proper account categories yet, but Holly is still in the process of completing this. Some areas on the financial report may be in the negative just due to movement in the accounting software.

Secretary Report: Brenda Garrett

- Minutes from the March meeting were made available to those in attendance. March meeting minutes were posted to the Davidson Band website (link posted below).

Chair Report: Michelle Diercks

- Filed with Secretary of State, got EIN, need to register with the AG office. Have emptied out and sorted storage. Still need to separate financials from the other bands. Will need to draft bylaws. Will use the bylaws from corporate and make changes to fit the needs of our organization.
- Should be able to get QuickBooks for free and Dave will help Holly set up a new account. Will need to open new accounts.

Director Report (Band): Shawn Malone

- Concert band evals are happening this week for placement for next year. Percussion evals took place yesterday, winds started today and will run through Friday.
- Next concert is May 7th. Spring Jazz band concert is May 13th.
- Jazz band has had some guest players that have come in to work with them.
- Winterguard wrapped up their season. The three groups have all showed good success and progression throughout the season!
- Field Commander clinics started today. There are ten applicants for field commander for next year and other underclassmen have joined the clinics. Tryouts will be held on April 23rd.
- Show reveal is May 6th from 3:00-4:00. Should be a lot of fun!
- Mr. Malone would like to bring in a composer next year. He has reached out to Shawn O'Laughlin to see if he would be willing/available. Would like to bring him in the week of the fall concert (approx 2nd week of November). This may or may not include 6th grade and Weaver. More information to come. Cost: fee for 2 days approximately \$2,000 plus transportation and accommodations (total approximation 4-5K). Similar experience to Dallas Brass Band.

Committee Readouts

- **Photography** (Leslie): No updates

- **Pitt Crew:**
 - Bridget will talk to Matt Sparks and another parent about splitting pit crew lead next year
- **My BlueBoard** (Vicki/Kelli)
 - No updates
- **Winterguard** (Shawn/Vicki)
 - See director's report
- **Elections**
 - Bridget has volunteered to take over for Chapter Chair.
 - Jessica will stay as Deposits Treasurer
 - Eunice Habermehl will be Payments Treasurer
 - Secretary Kristen Goessl
 - A motion was made by Brittany Mellick to approve the proposed slate of new board members. Motion seconded by Brenda Garrett. Motion approved by majority vote.
- **Choir**
 - Working towards state OMEA performance 4/24
 - Continuing to work on Pops spring concert on May 14th. Tickets go on sale May 1st through Hometown Ticketing.
 - Auditions for acapella groups starting tomorrow.

Additional Discussion:

- Would like to meet in May with all of the committee chairs to get things planned for next year.
- Committee Chairs so far for next year:
 - Uniforms: Allison Bruner
 - Cookie Patrol: Taryn Mayer
 - Photography: Mackenzie White
 - Pit Crew: Possibly Matt Sparks and another parent to share
 - Chaperones: Angie Whitfield
 - Tag Day: Sharon Greiner
 - Invitational: Mary and Michelle
 - State Finals: Michelle and Bridget
 - Ice Cream Social: Bridget? Will reach out Kara Waldron to see if she would be interested
 - Parent Mentor: need someone
 - My BlueBoard: Kelly and Mary may split responsibilities
 - Concessions: Kristen/Carrie

Adjourn

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm.

Next meeting will be on May 12th at 7:00 pm, Davidson HS

Booster meeting minutes can be found at the following link:

<https://www.hilliardschools.org/fine-arts/davidson/davidson-band/boosters-parent-info/>