



# Band Boosters

MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, May 3, 2022

2021-2022 Officers/Committee Chairs Present

Board Members	
Title	Name
President	Alma Murillo
President Elect	Kara Garcia
Vice President	Josie Pereyra
Vice President Elect	--Cindy Coon for next year--
Treasurer	Deanna Heranda
Treasurer Elect	OPEN
Secretary	Shantrice Bush Cayton
Parliamentarian	Christina Bankji

Committee Chair	
Title	Name
Chaperone	Kara Garcia (needs shadow)
Color Guard	Deanna Heranda
Percussion	Josie Pereyra
Merchandise	Jennifer Borders and Dawn Han
Flags with Pride	Manny DePau (needs assistant)
Equipment	Paul Hogue and Mike Hough
Communications	Jennifer Dwight
Uniforms	Sharon Davis
Membership	Nora Vasquez
Food	Maria Paniaqua and Karina Trujillo
Publicity	OPEN
Fundraising	Cindy Hogue Ann Hough
Budget	Dawn Han

## 1) Motion

- a. Meeting Opened- Motion to open occurred at 7:05 pm
- b. Meeting location: Cyfall HS Band Hall
- c. Meeting Closed-Motion to close occurred at 8:16 pm

## 2) Introductions

- a. President – Alma Murillo ([board@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:board@cypressfallsband.org))
- b. President Elect – Kara Garcia ([board@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:board@cypressfallsband.org))
- c. Vice President – Josie Pereyra ([board@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:board@cypressfallsband.org))
- d. Treasurer – Deanna Haranda ([treasurer@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:treasurer@cypressfallsband.org))
- e. Secretary – Shantrice Bush Cayton ([secretary@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:secretary@cypressfallsband.org))
- f. Parliamentarian – Christina Bandkji

## 3) Director's Report – Ryan Mohney ([ryan.mohney@cfisd.net](mailto:ryan.mohney@cfisd.net))

### a. Updates

This is Our last meeting for this school year!!!

NEW BOARD MEMBERS FOR 2022-2023 SCOOOL YEAR

- President- Kara Garcia
- President Elect-Open
- Vice President-Josie Pereyra
- Vice President Elect-Cindy Coon
- Treasurer- Deanna Haranda

- Secretary- Shantrice Bush Cayton
- Parliamentarian -Cindy Hogue

b. Football Schedule: None

c. Upcoming Events

1. Drumline auditions on May 5, 2022 (3:15-5:00pm)
2. Scale auditions close on May 6<sup>th</sup>
3. Leadership Applications are due on May 9, 2022 at 5:00pm
4. Etude Auditions on May 9, 10 and 11 (3:15-6pm)
5. Leadership Auditions on May 12, 2022 (3:15pm)
6. Leadership interviews on May 13, 2022 at 3:15 pm
7. Visual audition video is due on May 19, 2022 at 11:59pm
8. Band Banquet Sunday, May 15, 2022 at the Berry Center (5pm)
9. May 8<sup>th</sup> is the scholarship deadline
10. Color guard is also having auditions at this time
11. Upcoming rehearsals for CFGEMB- May 16 and 17<sup>th</sup> (3:15-5pm)
12. Auditions count as part of their exam. On exam day, they are taking attendance and that is it. One exception: (have to do a graduation band, take top band and a couple of 2<sup>nd</sup> band for graduation.)
13. Graduation rehearsals (select Students): . Rehearsal is on May 23 and May 24<sup>th</sup> (from 3:00pm-5:00 pm) only required for students who are going to play-top band and top orchestra
14. On May 24, 2022, Graduation is at 8:30 pm. Kids will stay afterschool to practice and and they will be bused to the location.
15. Leadership Training, May 25 (3:15-5pm)
16. Disney trip: **reminder the questionnaire answer by Friday, May 6th**
17. Summer band starts the last week of July. There will probably be something for the newbies before that. There will be 3 weeks of band camp. Monday through Thursday. **These three weeks are really important!**
18. Festival at the falls-this week on Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup>. **Festivals at the Falls** on May 7, 2022-we do not have to perform; it is a fundraising event. Middle schools bring their concert bands to Cyfalls. This is a fundraiser. Mostly run by student volunteers. **Need someone to help with feeding the judges. Need a runner between 11:45 and 12:30. Lunch is at noon.**
19. Physicals at the school is on the May17<sup>th</sup>:
20. **Physicals** will be held at Cyfalls on May 17<sup>th</sup> (12:45pm – 4:45pm). The cost is \$20. Paperwork is on the website.
21. **Kickoff camp**---the parent meeting is n Friday night. Directors meeting on Saturday. All mandatory meetings!
22. Results for placement for Ensemble, Leadership, and percussion will be May 16<sup>th</sup>
23. **Kickoff camp**-Memorial Day weekend -- Friday morning and Saturday morning. **Everyone is required to be there.**
24. **Astros game performance** on August 14, 2022- transportation paid for by the district. Everyone has to pay for their own ticket to the event (spectator and students performing). **MUST PURCHASE TICKETS BY JULY 15TH**

- 4) **Treasurer's Report** – Deanna Haranda ([treasurer@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:treasurer@cypressfallsband.org))  
 March brought in \$2,719.20/spent \$17,225.68  
 APRIL brought in \$9,464.91/ spent \$25,161.71  
 \$239,000 for marching show last year. **\$195,206.00 for this upcoming year.** Motion passed. Budget amount approved.
- 5) **Chaperone: Kerri Gutierrez**---no updates.
- 6) **Color Guard- No announcements**
- 7) **Percussion – Kerri Gutierrez**  
 i. Kerri will take over next year.
- 8) **Merchandise –Dawn Han** ([merchandise@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:merchandise@cypressfallsband.org)) and Jennifer Alfred will serve next year.  
 i. We have a lot of new merchandise  
 1. NEED volunteers to help with inventory...  
 ii. If you would like to order anything, please do so on the website  
 iii. Website to Order merchandise:  
 1. <https://www.store.cypressfallsband.org>
- 9) **Communications-Jennifer Dwight—No Announcement**
- 10) **Flags with Pride--Manny DePau** ([flagswithpride@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:flagswithpride@cypressfallsband.org))  
 i. Stephanie Gunderson has volunteered to assist next year.  
 ii. **Need a coordinator for next year because Manny's last day will be in July 2022.** If interested email the Board and we will help you get in touch with Manny.  
 iii. Next distribution date is Memorial day weekend  
 iv. Pick up on May 27<sup>th</sup> from 12:00-2:00pm and Drop off is June 4<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm (if a different time please text Manny)  
 v. This is our biggest fundraiser!! Fundraisers reduce EVERY student's band fees.  
 vi. Text @flagcr to 81010 to sign up to deliver flags  
 vii. Shadow needed  
 1. Subscriptions  
 2. Distribution  
 3. Troubleshooting  
 viii. Renew or purchase a subscription - <https://www.cypressfallsband.org/flags-with-pride/>  
 ix. This fundraiser lowers every students band fees  
 x. The more people that volunteer, the lighter the load.  
 xi. \$40 will post an ammerican flag on the 6 federal holidays. Only 5 times a year because 2 holidays are combined.
- 11) **Fundraising:** Cindy Hogue and Ann Hough  
 i. There is a form for the Disney Trip, We need those numbers. We will do additional fundraisers if we are going to Disney  
 ii. Free Money  
 1. smile.amazon.com  
 2. will put a link on charms  
 3. Can sign up with Kroger  
 4. If bank at Cyfair Credit union, you can choose Cyfalls band as a place to donate
- 12) **Uniforms**-transitioning back to marching uniforms

- i. Need help getting the pants back in order. She will send an email when she gets a date and time to
- ii. We are getting new tuxs and dresses
- iii. Will need help with boxing, unboxing and out it in order. Fittings should take place before school ends.

13) **Membership** – Nora Vasquez and Dawn Han ([membership@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:membership@cypressfallsband.org))

- i. **Band Banquet May 15<sup>th</sup> 2022**, 5 pm – 10 pm, Sunday, Berry Center, Conference Center.
- ii. Seniors attend for free; Parent will need to pay for their tickets as well as their dates
- iii. Will be decorating at noon. Need volunteers.
- iv. Usually we set up an amazon Wishlist to decorate for the kids
- v. This event is a student lead event
- vi. Parents are welcome to attend-must purchase tickets.
- vii. Freshman through Juniors have to purchase their tickets.
- viii. Dates are welcomed to attend -- they must purchase tickets.
- ix. Check in starts at 5, will serve dinner at 6.
- x. Tickets will be available on April 11 through March 2.
- xi. Parents can watch for free to watch the award portion.***
- xii. The kids will generally dress up...(church wear to prom wear)***
- xiii. For the AMAZON WISHLIST go to Amazon and search for Cyfalls banquet 2022***
- xiv. Will get a meal ticket for the buffet***
- xv. Will need parent volunteer to sit at the check in table***
- xvi. Will need a membership shadow for this upcoming year (8<sup>th</sup> grade, pink out, sr night, rock-a-thon, raffle for rock-a-thon and band banquet (are the events that you will coordinate)***
  - If made a donation through amazon wish list, please talk to Dawn to make sure that we have received it
  - We still need candy for the band banquet

14) **Equipment** – will be building props, late spring and early summer, so be on the lookout for reminds and emails

- i. **If would like to be on the list to volunteer, please let Paul Hogue and Mike Hough know—wedling, drilling and woodwork**

15) **Food – No Announcement**

16) **Budget-NO Announcement—for feeding everyone is \$7 per child/adult**

17) **Color Guard** – Lauren Hall ([guard@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:guard@cypressfallsband.org))- No announcement

18) **Communication-** Jennifer Dwight ([communications@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:communications@cypressfallsband.org))

1. No announcements.

19) **Meals/Refreshments** – Maria Paniagua and Karina Trujillo ([refreshments@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:refreshments@cypressfallsband.org))

2. No announcements.

20) **Uniforms** – Sharon Davis ([uniforms@cypressfallsband.org](mailto:uniforms@cypressfallsband.org))

3. No announcements **Chaperones**

21) **Volunteers**

All Chaperones must be approved by CFISD. If you are already a CFISD volunteer, call the VIPS office at 281-894-3950 and ask to be added to the list of schools that you will be volunteering at. You can also email [gaby.pozas@cfisd.net](mailto:gaby.pozas@cfisd.net)

- ii. To become a CFISD volunteer:   \* Go to CFISD.net  
  \* Select 'Volunteer'  
  \* Create a 'Volunteer Portal Account'
- iii. Sign-Up for events will be posted in Charms  
    To sign up to be a chaperone at an event :
  - 1. Go to Charms account ([www.charmsoffice.com](http://www.charmsoffice.com))
  - 2. Select 'Volunteers'
  - 3. Use drop down menu 'Volunteer Needs'
  - 4. Select 'sign-up' to volunteer/chaperone
- iv. Must send screenshot of Volunteer approval once approved:  
[CHAPERONE@CYPRESSFALLSBAND.ORG](mailto:CHAPERONE@CYPRESSFALLSBAND.ORG).
- v. \*\*\*If your student has any type of allergies, has a medical history, and/or is on any type of medication, please notify your band director so that it is updated on your student's file.\*\*\*
- vi. Mr. Mohny will send out a 'Remind' via text message once the 'Volunteer/Chaperone' sign-up has been posted to Charms.

## 22) Sponsorship

- vii. Sponsorship can be merchandise or monetary (supplies, food, drinks, or any other items that the band may need).
- viii. If you or anyone you know is interested in supporting the band via sponsorship donations, please contact Josie Pereyra ([board@cypressfallband.org](mailto:board@cypressfallband.org))
- ix. Wish to sponsor the band - <https://www.store.cypressfallsband.org/product-category/sponsorships/>