



# Sherando High School Band Booster Association

March 5, 2025 General Member Meeting Minutes

Call to Order: 7:04 p.m.

Attendance: X for those present.

x	<b>President</b>	Adam Stein	x	<b>Band Director</b>	Joel Cosner
	<b>Vice President</b>	Phil Benson	x	<b>Guard Instructor</b>	Kayla Wright
x	<b>Secretary</b>	Stephanie Mangino	x	<b>Perc Instructor</b>	Scott Kittrell
x	<b>Treasurer</b>	Sam Kilkus	x	<b>Band Assistant</b>	Devon Stein
x	<b>Logistics Coordinator</b>	Justin San Agustin	x	<b>Bookkeeper</b>	Sandy Smith
x	<b>Volunteer Coordinator</b>	Melissa Cotton			
x	<b>Communications</b>	Ciara Ray			
x	<b>Advancement</b>	Noelle Callas			
x	<b>Uniforms</b>	Jennifer Boycourt			
x	<b>Member-at-Large</b>	Shannon Damron			

## 1. Welcome - Adam Stein

## 2. Treasurer Report - Sam Kilkus

- <https://www.sherandoband.org/wp-content/uploads/YTDFeb25PL.pdf>
- Income - golf tournament sponsorships are at \$3,260 so far. Total AIA (Sherando Showcase) sponsorships at \$3,150.
- (Does not include a large sponsorship - see below)
- Made the Disney trip payments
- We're in good shape with the budget
- Guy Curtis added that Malloy Auto Group has donated a \$5,000 check for the corporate sponsorship package. They'll be recognized at AIA (Sherando Showcase), the May golf tournament, Touch-A-Truck, Fall Season, etc... It's the band's first year-long sponsorship.

## 3. Old Business

- 2025 Disney Trip Updates - Melissa Cotton

- **March 26 at 6 p.m. / SHS Auditorium**  
**MANDATORY INFORMATIONAL MEETING** for students, parents, and anyone chaperoning! All rules, regulations, and how it will play out will be covered.
- Devon Stein added that the trip shirts are in and the music is in Google Classroom
- Make sure final payments are in!
- **Fundraising Committees**
  - Golf Tournament - Guy Curtis
    - Next meeting, March 19, at 6:30 p.m.
    - <https://golf.sherandoband.org>
    - Will have a flyer available at Sherando Showcase to promote the event
    - April 15 is the early bird deadline
    - Still seeking beverage sponsor, prize gift sponsor
  - Sherando Showcase (March 15) - Kayla Wright
    - We NEED event volunteers, We NEED item donations!
    - 42 guards, 19 percussion, 1 winds. About 1,000 performers.
    - 5.5 hours longer than in past years. More volunteer roles as a result.
    - This has become a big fundraiser.
    - Those who volunteer for a role get free admission for the day. You can come get your wristband early and watch your child perform, too.
    - Can use cafeteria serving lines for food/drink - We are not using the concession stand
    - We will be able to stream performances (without sound) inside the building
    - Adam urges people to ask their friends to help
    - Adam thinks it will be a hectic, but really fun day
    - Devon - need more soda and gift card donations through the Amazon wish list
  - HundredX - May 2025. Adam Stein said the program overview should happen during the April Booster meeting.
  - Touch A Truck 2025 - June 7
    - Ciara Ray has reached out and doesn't think there will be any shortage of vendors. She said it would be a good idea to sell water again this year. Sandy Smith says she thinks there should be a table out in the parking lot for selling water. Sandy says they've got the helicopter for the event. Ciara said if anyone knows of people with vehicles have them contact her or Sandy. Sandy said she would love some farm vehicles, such as a tractor.

#### 4. New Business

- Opening Booster Board Nominations for the 25-26 school year.
  - Nomination / Election process review.
  - You can run for any position!
- JB Spirit Night June 10, 6pm-8pm.

#### 5. Important Dates

- 3/8 - Concert Assessment Performances
- 3/14 - Sherando Showcase Setup Night
- 3/15 - Sherando Showcase Indoor Competition
- 3/19 - Disney Performance Rehearsal
- 3/19 - Golf Tournament Committee Meeting
- 3/22 - Indoor Percussion / Winter Guard Comp - Mt Vernon HS
- 3/26 - Disney Performance Rehearsal
- 3/26 - Disney Informational Meeting
- 3/10 & 3/24 - RaiseRight Orders Due
- 3/29 & 3/30 - AIA Championships Competition - Hampton, VA
- 4/1 - Indoor Percussion / Winter Guard Community Night Performances
- 4/2 - District Jazz - Sherando HS
- 4/3 - **NEW DATE:** Band Booster Meetings - **IT'S A THURSDAY NIGHT!!**
- 4/7 - Disney Performance Rehearsal
- 4/8 - 4/11 - Spring Trip to Disney

#### 6. Percussion Director Report

Scott Kittrell – He said the kids are doing really well this year. Working hard. Made up a lot of ground at the most recent show. The kids are in a really good position this year, particularly being in open class, and he said they belong where they're at. On March 25, they'll practice at the Wilkins Athletics & Events Center at SU to get some experience in a larger venue like the championships venue. Any help in getting equipment in/out at there would be appreciated.

#### 7. Guard Director Report

Kayla Wright - She said the winter guard is also doing well. She noted that the biggest thing is prepping for the Sherando Showcase. Guard will run the AIA Instagram page for Friday and Saturday of the showcase. Community night is 4/1 at 6 p.m. She is also planning a spin clinic on Saturday, April 12, for middle school through college-aged participants interested in guard. Last year about 45 students attended.

## **8. Band Director Report**

Joel Cosner the bands are zeroing in on Concert Assessment. He offered a big general thank you to everyone who works on these big multifaceted things that are happening this month. Specifically with concert assessment, both groups are doing a really good job. Feeling pretty good about where they are, even with all the missed days from snow.

**Adjournment - 7:58 p.m.**