C.V.B.B. General Meeting Minutes – March 10, 2009

The meeting was called to order at 7:06 p.m. There were approximately 32 people in attendance.

Ann French, First Vice President chaired the meeting due to Phil McCormick being out of town on business.

The minutes from the February general meeting were approved with no changes.

Treasurer's Report: Gerry Balz reported that we are about \$9,000.00 in the negative so far for the year. This was expected since this is not our money making season. We have around \$55,000.00 in the account. Approximately \$13,500.00 of that is student accounts.

We sold \$143,000.00 in grocery cards last year. Five percent of that amount is a big number.

The trivia question for the evening was how many checks were written for C.V.B.B. last year. Clue: The answer is a multiple of nine. The correct answer of 450 was given by Mrs. McCormick.

A round of applause was given.

A motion was made to approve the treasurer's report. It was seconded and passed.

Director's Report: Mr. Ainscough was working with the Jazz Band and was not available.

Committee Reports:

Indoor Guard: Robin Zampelli reported that everything is going smoothly for the Indoor Show. The program is to print. A list of volunteers was available for review. Robin asked that people be reminded about the show especially if they were not in attendance at the meeting. Sodas are still being collected. (An announcement was made that Coke products were on sale at Target). Trophy sponsors are being finalized. A request was made that any family that indicated they were sponsoring a trophy should fill out a trophy form. We were offered bottled water products but they were not Coke products so we explained to the potential donor that we could not use them due to the district's contract with the Coke distributor.

Concessions will be in the concession stands but people can eat in the cafeteria. Signs will be posted. Any one available to help move everything should meet at the home side concessions at 6:00 p.m.

Fundraisers: Ross Burton reported that the Isaac's turn out for today had been good. Fliers were available if anyone was planning to go to Isaac's after the meeting. April 17th will be the Hoss' fundraiser night. Cards are required to get credit and they are available in the band room and at the April meeting. Saturday, April 18th will be the car

wash at Bobby Rahal. The coupon books for car washes are a big hit and make great gifts. We get credit for these too on the day of the car wash.

A request for facility use was sent to the district for use of the building on August 13, 2009 with the alternate of August 12, 2009 for our band Barbeque fundraiser. Family and Friends Pizza is a possible fundraiser option for the future.

Old Business:

C.V. Marching Band magnets are for sale for \$5.00 each. We are looking for someone to take over the sale of magnets. A suggestion was made to have them available in the concession stands and display them on the refrigerator.

The Mentoring Program is being worked on and the Executive committee is also working on updating the by-laws.

Seasoned parents are encouraged to be available at the new parents band meeting to help answer questions and make people feel welcome.

New Business:

No new business was addressed.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:42 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Cheryl Mack – Recording Secretary