

FOFA Monthly Meeting Minutes

Date and Location	Tuesday, August 7, 2018, 7:00PM – 8:05PM, Bredeaux Pizza at 101 N. James St., Grimes, IA 50111
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Attendees

	Joy Augustine	X	DeAnn McAninch
	Wendy Becker	X	Eric Mohlis
	Sully Blessman	X	Lynn Patterson
X	Steve Britt		Erin Schmitz
	Amy Forbes		Jim Shutt
X	Kathy Fortune	X	Heidi Stegar
X	Stacey Frett		Janelle Stein
X	Lisa Gomez	X	Janet Stevens
X	Heather Halverson	X	Lisa Thompson
X	Valerie Hawthorne	X	Addie Vance
X	Ben Ihde	X	Jeff VandeKieft
X	Julie Koch		Ben Zaugg
X	John Maxwell		

Topic	Person Responsible
<p>Call to Order <u>Meeting Minutes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kathy called the meeting to order. 	Kathy Fortune
<p>Secretary Minutes <u>Meeting Minutes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June minutes were reviewed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Motion to Approve: Lisa Thompson ○ Second: Jeff VandeKieft ○ All approved 	Lisa Thompson
<p>Treasurer Report <u>Meeting Minutes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial Summary as of 7/31/2018 was reviewed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Motion to Approve: DeAnn McAninch <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Second: Kathy Fortune ▪ All approved 	Jeff VandeKieft
<p>Committee Reports Membership [FOFA Amazing Race]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Over \$10,520 was raised in just over 2 hours! • Lessons Learned <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ “Keep going” vs. taking count at 8:30PM. 	Julie Koch

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Pair upper classmen with younger students. ○ Target neighborhoods that are more profitable. ○ Set date now for next year! ● We had approximately 70 students and a lot of parent “driver” volunteers; had to turn 7-8 away due to there being no students to support. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 2014 = ~ \$7,400 ○ 2015 = ~ \$8,000 ○ 2016 = ~ \$12,000 [Year we had significant band involvement] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The band has decided to solicit memberships on Friday, August the 10th from 4PM to 6PM in Dallas Center <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Action Item [Julie Koch] Drop off maps/envelopes at the school office on 8/9/2018 – Complete ● There will be a need for parent drivers and others to count funds. ● Membership list will be completed by 9/30/2018 and be updated in January and again in the spring for publication/print <p>Other</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Action Item [Lisa Thompson] Forward 2018/2019 Committee Chair document to Kathy Fortune for review and finalization at our 9/5/2018 monthly meeting – Complete – Complete 	
<p><u>Old Business</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● None 	N/A
<p><u>New Business</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● None 	N/A
<p><u>New Teacher Reports/Requests</u></p> <p>Steve Britt <u>Meeting Minutes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The Pebble Grant being received over the next 5 years will help tremendously; however, would appreciate FOFA’s support of the sousaphone. [FOFA Funding Request form] submitted. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Given the priority, it was recommended that Steve leverage the \$3,378 available vs. waiting for formal approval of the FOFA Funding Request Form. <p>Lisa Thompson on behalf of Ivy Christianson <u>Meeting Minutes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Would FOFA consider affording a stipend to the yearbook? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Agreed that given the curricular nature of the program, should be supported through the school district <p>Eric Mohlis</p>	

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<p><u>Meeting Minutes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cattlemen’s Beef Quarters: All volunteer spots have been filled. Yeah! • DCG Singers Retreat: Working to coordinate lunch but need volunteers to fit tuxes/dresses from 3PM – 5PM. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Julie Koch, her mom and Kathy Fortune will assist – <i>thank you!</i> 	
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Next Meeting

Date and Location	Tuesday, September 4, 2018, 7:00PM, DCG High School Choir Room
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FOFA EVENTS			
Description	Date	Time	Location
Marching Mustangs Band Camp	Wednesday, August 8th	8AM - 12PM	DCG High School
Marching Mustangs Band Camp	Thursday, August 9th	8AM - 12PM	DCG High School
Marching Mustangs Band Camp	Friday, August 10th	8AM - 12PM	DCG High School
Marching Mustangs Band Camp	Monday, August 13th	8AM - 12PM	DCG High School
Marching Mustangs Band Camp	Tuesday, August 14th	8AM - 12PM	DCG High School
DCG Singers Retreat	Saturday, August 18 th	8:30AM – 5PM	DCG High School
Cattlemen’s Beef Quarters	Sunday, August 19 th	2:45PM – 9PM	Iowa State Fair
Marching Band Football Game vs. Pella	Friday, August 24 th	5:30PM - 9:30PM	DCG Stadium
Dallas Center Fall Festival	Saturday, August 25 th	9:00AM – 10:30AM	Dallas Center
Marching Band Football Game vs. Norwalk	Friday, August 31 st	5:30PM - 9:30PM	DCG Stadium

2018/2019 DECISION SUMMARY	
Description	Date
Investments	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Invest up to \$4,500 to support the costume needs of the Mixed [JV] Show Choir 	6/5/2018