

BRM

Booster Meeting Minutes

Monday, February 9, 2026

The meeting of the BRM Band Boosters started at 7:00.

The Big Red Machine Website:

The website is www.crestviewbrm.com

To access the “Member” section, you must input the password:

crestviewhsband

Information needed for the BRM will always be on this website. Check it often for current information.

Facebook Group:

The group is called **Big Red Machine Band Boosters**. You will have to answer some questions to be approved. Once approved, this is a source of all band information, updates, cancellations, and other vital information that needs to reach the band family.

From the Band Booster Vice President:

A reminder from the Booster President to regularly check the BRM website for any updates in the upcoming months. All pertinent information will be listed on this site.

--The weekly BRM Instructions/Agenda have resumed for the upcoming year. They are published on the FB Booster Group page, through

Remind, email, and text messaging. If you are not receiving any notifications, check the BRM website to register.

--The Festival Concert, aka, Pre MPA, has been moved to March 2nd instead of the 3rd. There will be three bands in the MPA: Symphonic, Symphonic Winds, and Wind Ensemble. The time of the concert is 6:30 PM.

--The Solo/Ensemble will be on February 20th at Pensacola State College. It is a school day, and the school will provide transportation. Students who participate will receive Student Leave. The times of this event are 8:44 AM through Noon. The students will then go to lunch as a group. All are welcome to attend. If you wish to check your student out, you may do so with proper identification.

--There will be no Jazz Concert on April 11th, as this is within the timeframe of the upcoming band trip. It will be rescheduled. Watch for weekly updates.

--March 7, 2026, MPA: Three groups are participating—Symphonic, Symphonic Wind, and Wind Ensemble. There will be a need for chaperones, and this will be posted through CUTTIME. The Symphonic group will perform in the morning, on March 7th, and the other two groups will perform in the afternoon. The Morning group will return to the school after their performance. Symphonic Wind and Wind Ensemble will leave in the afternoon of March 7th. There will be more information provided in the Weekly Update/Itinerary. If parents wish to attend, they may do so and will be allowed to check out their students early, with the proper identification.

--Boston Trip: Information, room assignments, chaperone meeting, and trip itinerary will be provided soon. It is **MANDATORY** for all chaperones

to attend the next Band Booster meeting for training and information regarding the trip. This meeting will be on March 9, 2026, at 7:00 PM.

--Water Donations: Our bottled water supply always needs to be replenished. This water is used for all events, and any donations would be greatly appreciated.

Treasurer: ALL PAYMENTS need to be completed ASAP—trip, fees, supplies, etc. If you need assistance in this matter, contact Traci Conin, Cronintr@yahoo.com, or brmtreasurers@gmail.com. You can send payments to the band room in a regular envelope, with instructions for the money and its payment information. This envelope should be placed in the Brown Box. All Seniors' accounts must be zeroed out before the end of the school year.

Fundraising: No report

Head Chaperones: Make sure your application for chaperoning, particularly for the upcoming band trip, is up-to-date. If you need to verify your application, contact Jessica or Brandi. Make sure you attend the Booster meeting in March for the upcoming trip training.

From The Band Directors:

--Please check the BRM website and our Facebook Group Page for any upcoming events and updates.

Watch CUTTIME/Email/Remind for any schedule updates or changes. If you need to contact any of the Directors, send an email.

--We now have a new check retrieval company. When a check is returned for insufficient funds, the company returns the check to us, and it is up to us to retrieve the funds. All checks must have current contact information.

--We have a new Intern with us for the Second Semester. Please welcome Kate Hatfield from FSU.

--The new Storage Room is still a work in progress. Once completed, all percussion, props, and band-related items will be stored in the environmentally controlled room.

--We are busy with practices for all of the upcoming functions-Solo and Ensemble, Festival, and MPA. Your Band Student should be practicing every night. These are mandatory functions and must be attended.

Here are your current Band Directors and Officers. Their contact information is located on the BRM website:

Mr. Dunn, Director

Mr. Dyke, Asst. Director

Ms. Whaley, Asst. Director

President: Lisa Church

Vice President: Susan Myhre

Treasurer: Tracy Conin

A detailed roster for all offices is listed on the BRM Website.

Respectfully submitted,

Diana Bozeman, Secretary