

Booster Club Minutes August 5, 2013

The meeting was called to order at 7:05. 9 members were present.

Mike Kadlec motioned the minutes of the July meeting be approved as submitted. Jim Miller seconded and the motion carried.

Jim Miller presented the Treasurer's report. Mike Kadlec motioned to accept the Treasurer's report, Mark Van Buren seconded. Motion carried.

The new Women's Volleyball coach, Mary Kay VanOrt was very excited to be both at Jefferson and at the Booster Club meeting. The team starts practice next week, with an almost completely new coaching staff. So far, the players have been working really hard and we are in a tough conference, but it should be an exciting year. She also thanked the Booster club and was going to see if they would be able to have the concession stand open for all the games for all levels, like they did last year. She'll try and hopefully it will work out.

Softball Coach Erb also thanked the Booster club for all that was done during the softball season. Because of the rainouts and not having those rescheduled, it wasn't as good as in past seasons, but all of the efforts were much appreciated. There may be some things in the Fall with some of the youth groups on Sundays, so we'll see how that goes.

Chris Deam mentioned that the final 3 volleyball coach hirings are almost done, as well the football coaching staff. The Softball team finished the season in 5th place and had numerous All Conference and State accolades. Congratulations to the team! He needs to get the number of slots for each team to help in the concession stands figured out so he can let them all know. One thing he is thinking about is "prorating" the funds for the team if not all the slots are filled. That is still in the thinking phase though, but will certainly work on trying to get the teams parents/students to help out more. He will present his financial report to the Booster club at the next meeting hopefully. This year's Homecoming Dance will be a week later than Homecoming. It will be September 21st because of another event that Erin Kuba is doing...a Cancer Awareness Dance the Saturday of Homecoming week.

We received a letter from Mary Crane who works at the Hines Company. The company is rethinking their donation policy and so there is a chance that we might not be able to get the chili and taco meat from them. We will have to wait and see. Also got an email from football Coach Webb about the scrimmage on August 23rd, but wasn't sure what he was for, if anything. Mark will follow up with him.

The Volunteer hours for July totalled 188.5 This was for three softball events and the club officer's time. Softball concessions were down about \$1300 from last year due to the rainouts that were not rescheduled. We will no longer be getting buns for the stands from Wonderbread. Price comparisons were done with Farner Bocken, Sam's and Sara Lee.

But since Farner Bocken will deliver the buns, it was decided to go with them rather than have to make trips out to Sam's or run around distributing buns all over if we get them from Sara Lee. We are looking for a stand manager for the Volleyball/Swimming events.

The Fall schedule for Kingston is done and all dates are correct now. The sign up is also available online. So far, 63 of the 450 slots are full.

The menu and prices are all set for Kingston and Mark will take the menus around to the stands. Kingston worker passes are available and can be picked up from Mark. The popcorn crews are all in place...same as last year. The Runyan family will do the popping and Rob Martin and students will bag for Thursday events and Jeanette Kellerman and her crew will bag for Friday events. We will probably now order the popcorn, nacho chips and other things we got from Sam's from Farner Bocken now. It will just be easier than having to run out to Sams all the time for supplies. Pancharo's had offered a re-usable cup deal where they would provide plastic cups that people could use for popcorn and then bring it to Pancharo's for .50 off a drink there. It was a nice idea, but the thought from the group was that this could be a garbage nightmare, or would everyone really re-use it, so we will pass on this. The football scrimmage is August 23, but not sure if we will need to be involved or not. Should we have a table at the Open House on September 9th? Would have membership forms available that night then too. Jim Miller has an idea for the checks and balances for each stand. He will talk to Mark about it and share it with the stand managers.

The next booster club meeting will be September 9th, at 6:00, because of the Labor Day holiday the first Monday, and the Open House on the 9th.

Mark Van Buren motioned to adjourn. Jim Miller seconded. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 8:25.

Respectfully submitted,

Deb Winter
Past Secretary