

Karen Lechtenberg, President, called to order the Booster Club meeting on August 14, 2023 at 5:35pm.

In Attendance:

Kelly Jerstad - Track Field, Orchestra, StuCO Jessica Knigge - boys golf Paige Rock - booster club Becca Hohn - footbll Alyssa Metzger - cheer Marissa Oppenheimer - girls soccer Mike & Kristi Behrend - football Jen Dubois - stuco football Maria Pfeifer- golf Cathy White - cheer and sideline Eric Kouri - wrestling Stephanide Skuodas - boys golf Stu Horsted - girls socder Claire Evans - softball Molly Mathison - softball Angie Stewart - girls basketball, volleyball Suzie Hernes - treasurer

Bethany McKenzie - boys tennis Allison Crawford - tennis My Littel - drama Molly Davis - volleyball Louis Winter - bowling Lori Blom - chorus band Amy and Topher Cisar - wrestling Desiree Langel - football track Joel Sonnichsen - soccer quard Nicole Mindt - baseball Megan Pederson - golf, cheer Emily Geraets - tennis, golf April Loverin - TFA Jennifer Lunders - baseball Libby Hintgen - volleyball Karla Stateman - tennis Christine Hendrickson - cheer

Introductions

Administration - Mr. Maxwell, Assistant Principal Activities

Met with coaches/directors over the past month & attended Breakfast of the Bands. Encouraged members to approach him with anything we can do better

Secretary Monthly Report

Report reviewed and accepted as submitted..

Treasurer's Monthly Report

Balance of \$238,461.02 as of 7/31/2023. general account of \$4018 before RWB deposit. Motion to approve by Allison Crawford, 2nd by Megan Pederson.

- *Allocations given to activities by end of August.
- *New budget time line: fall & year round activities due 8/31, winter activities 10/31, spring activities 1/31
- *Budgets currently required before Pres. Bowl funds distributed to activity. May do away with budget submission in future as discussed by David Maxwell.

Old Business

- *Patriot Power Day Recap: Plan to move table for activities passes in future *next to* Mr. Maxwell for convenience.
- *Booster Club Attendance: Reminded members our job is to communicate with our parents of *all* LHS activities, not just our own activity.
- *Airshow Fundraiser Update: Successful despite cancellation of 2nd day. Band had 3 souvenir tents & Cross Country (XC) 1 tent. XC made over \$2,000. Next is in 3 yrs.

New Business

- *Student Council: Jen DuBois asked for funds to feed Homecoming lunch of pizza/cookies/Coke beverage for all students. Last year cost was ~4.7K. This donation greatly increased # of students who stayed for lunch & allowed participation of kids from all socioeconomic groups without them having to ask for help to pay for lunch. Suggestion to ask for donations from Coke, etc. Motion to approve funds for this year AND years going forward by Amy Little, second by Emily Geraets. *PST Night: Volunteers asked to make plug for RWB club. Consider sending emails to parents of your activity with QR code. Get email addresses from head of each activity.
- *President"s Bowl: 120K raised 2022, 130K so far this year. Each student to sell 10 tix at \$10, \$15 at gate.
- *Replacing Mike Miller basketball classic now on Dec 29/30.
- *Activities for games to keep kids excited and school spirit up: T-shirt launcher purchased. Students feel recommend pushing *advertisement* & *awareness* of activities. Maxwell will start putting activities in daily announcement. Discussion of activities calendar fundraiser.
- *Booster Club Membership: We are the only school w/o t-shirts. Donation not required for membership.
- *Unified website: Looking to purchase different website ("Tech Soup" or other) and volunteer to spearhead it where everything from apparel to President Bowl tix can all be found in one spot.

LHS Happenings

Girls Tennis, Band, Football, Boys Golf, Girls/Boys Soccer gave updates Maxwell looking for event workers at \$40/hour. Sr. class party concession volunteers needed for home JV football and soccer games.

2023/2024 Booster Meeting Dates

9/11, 10/16, 11/13, 12/11, 2/12, 34, 4/8, 5/13

Meeting adjourned at 6:42pm

Respectively submitted by Kelly Jerstad, Assistant Secretary