

Booster Club Meeting - February 5th, 2025

Brett brought meeting to order at 5:30 pm

Approval of January 2025 minutes, motion by Machele, 2nd by Sunita, approved

Attendees:

Brett Ehlers, President

Sunita Boyer, Vice President

Steph Rasmussen, Treasurer

Leslie Hiatt, Secretary

Machele Dunning, Apparel

Melissa Freed, At Large

Amy Douglas, At large/social media

Jayne Bluhm, At Large

Rita Bohaboj, At Large/Concessions

Chad Colvert, At Large

Justin Crawford, At Large

Chandra Olbrich, Concessions

Mr. Kessel, A.D.

Guests:

Absent:

Beth Tefft, Volunteer Coordinator

Sheryl Cornett, At Large

JR Bryant, At Large

Megan Detjens, At Large

Greg Lamberty, Principal

Reports of Standing Committees:

Treasurer: Steph

+Balance as of February 4th, 2025:

Booster Club Clothing \$33,204.91

Booster Club Concessions \$36,790.78

Booster Club Membership \$85,839.04

Booster Savings Account \$51,004.96

+P & L July 1st 2024 - February 4th, 2025

Total Expenses: \$168,060.41

Total Income: \$236,017.45

Net Income: \$68,053.76

++Corporate Contributions: \$35,500

++TOTAL DONATION AMOUNT: \$27,425.86

Misc treasurer:

Outstanding invoices:

Bennington Baseball club, \$401.25 (split of grill)

VP/Sponsorship: Sunita

*Cutoff date for Spring programs, March 15th

*Spring picture date:

3/14 (no school) depending on what teams make it to State (specifically Boys Basketball)

Girls Tennis, Track and Field, and Girls Soccer on 3/14

3/19 could be 2nd option for those that make it to state OR split photos over 2 days (most likely)

Will coordinate date/specifcs with Kim T

Apparel: Machele/Amy/Megan (Social Media)

*State shirt designs are ready for Winter sports for any teams that make it to State

*New process for pick up and social media alerts (Machele handed out a form explaining it) much for efficient for both us and ArtFx

*Wait on putting in a new blanket order until next Fall

Concessions: Chandra/Rita

*Moved working warmer to BHS stand

*2/13 - Do Canes for the boys game (make up for the game that had bad weather)

Volunteer Coordinator: Beth

*People signing up late so it's hard to know what to expect (Booster members typically have to fill in or clubs just do it)...not many home games left.

New Business:

****Coach Pokorny, Head Wrestling-** \$10/athlete for meals end of year party (70 athletes/coaches) This is something we automatically do for teams.

REQUEST: \$15/day per athlete and per coach for meals for anyone who qualifies for State tourney

Approx 12 boys, 4-6 girls, all coaches each day (2 days total for meal reimbursement)

Chad made motion to approve State meals for athletes + coaches (total tbd), Rita 2nd, all approve

****Strength & Conditioning REQUEST** (Coach Mimick and Coach Suing):

SHREDmill - help with athlete training, software based (diff than a treadmill) Athletic Dept will fund the software. Was shown a video of how it works. Will be located in weight room that all athletes use.

https://simplifaster.com/articles/performance-circuits-shredmill-large-groups-limited-space/?gad_source=1&gbraid=0AAAAAC6A0Z0yNx9Rn7STZNoD48sVOc_TG&gclid=CjwKCAiAwaG9BhAREiwAdhv6Y4rR0eUziSVhRkQzbh4XkCdjQRrh4r7xthHrZABYnhqkNNulhR0hThoCm44QAvD_BwE

Request one for now. If they use it consistently, possibly request a 2nd at a later date.

\$11,900 total (school pays shipping of \$1700)

Chad motion to approve \$11,900 for purchase of SHREDmill, Amy 2nd, all approve

Unfinished Business:

- Melissa, Chad, and Sunita will review Foundation scholarship applications
Haven't received the link yet from Foundation to start the approval process
(should have it by 3/1)
- upcoming elections for Board members (elections in April)
 - *Secretary position (Leslie will move to At Large, Melissa up for Executive vote as Secretary)
 - *Machele and Chad leaving At Large positions
 - *Megan move to Apparel chair
 - *Beth will leave as Volunteer Coordinator
 - *Also need additional (1) concession chair to help Rita/Chandra

Exiting the board: Machele, Chad, & Beth

****Ask any potential parents that we know and have them come to the March meeting (would consider 3-4 new adds to At Large). Need people that would be committed to serving more than just once/month**

- *Note:* Oct 4, 2023 BC approved \$11,100 for warm weather coats for all outdoor sports teams to use. At the time, only 57 could be ordered....discuss if we order more to equal the amount we approved

***Meeting adjourned at 6:44 pm
Next meeting March 5th, 2025***