

Blue Tide Kick-off Mtg.

January 11, 2018 – 5:15 PM at Silver Beach Pizza

Attendance: Stephanie Daniels (President), Phil Kalamaros (Vice President), Angela Bell (Secretary), Angela Martin (Treasure), John Proos (Golf Outing Co-Chair), Alyssa Konkell, Aaron Green, Jennifer Green, Stephen Milanowski, Patricia Milanowski, Kathy Tidey, Curt Tidey, Maria Frank, Tom Strzyzkowski, Neil Carter, Sean Juza, Cari Groppe, Stephen Groppe, Lora Marsh, Kevin McLoughlin, Megan McLoughlin

- **Welcome by Stephanie**
- **Introduce Board**
 - a. Stephanie Daniels – President
 - b. Phil K. – Vice President
 - c. Angela Bell – Secretary
 - d. Angela Martin - Treasurer
- **Introduce Athletic Director and Assistant Athletic Director**
 - a. Neil Carter – Athletic Director
 - b. Tom Strzyzkowski – Assistant AD
- **Activities and Fundraisers**
 - a. **Past Activities**
 - i. Golf – \$20K – August 24th, 2018 at Lake Michigan Hills
 - 1. Goal to make it a family event and to reach out to the elementary school
 - ii. Apples Sale
 - iii. 50/50
 - iv. St. Patrick’s Day Dinner – Saturday, March 17, 2018
 - 1. Need help selling tickets
 - 2. A few volunteers are needed for the
 - v. Parking during Art Fair and Fireworks
 - vi. 2018 5K – end of summer or beginning of fall – Marco Tomasi
 - b. **Bring ideas for Fundraising to Stephanie**
 - i. Stephanie will connect you with the school and pick a date.
 - ii. Quarter Auction – suggestion from Angela Martin
 - 1. Home sales people donate an auction item and participants pay a quarter for a raffle an item.
- **Brag Book – Accomplishments from the year**
 - a. Baseball – District Champs, Regional Champs
 - b. Golf – one state qualifier
 - c. Middle school CC were conference Champs
 - d. Football Conference Champs
 - e. Doubles Tennis went to state
- **What Blue Tide Pays For?**
 - a. We help offset some of the costs for parents so everyone can play.
 - Uniforms - football uniforms were the biggest expense - \$6000
 - Paint for fields - \$1500
 - Mower Gas - \$500
 - TruGreen - \$4000
 - Hotels for State qualifiers - \$1500
 - MS Soccer Bags - \$925
 - Running Sweats - \$1000

- Varsity BBall Boys - \$3364
- Volleyball Banner - \$400
- Little Laker Soccer TShirts - \$350
- All Soccer Socks - \$500
- MS Girls BBall - \$700
- Bridgman Swim - \$750 per athlete
- ES Soccer Goal - \$1400

- **Budget for 2017/2018 - \$23,000**

- **Angela Martin will develop of plan and annual budget for 2018**

- Spending procedure

1. Coaches should go to Neil first when in need of items and if he doesn't have the item in the budget then he will send them to Blue Tide.
2. Blue Tide spending must first be approved by Stephanie and Angela before the purchase.
3. ALL purchases should go through the LMC business office and have a Purchase Order attached to track all expenses and ensure payments are made on time. – They should not be made on personal accounts.
4. Let us know now if there is something that you need for next year so we can plan for the annual budget

- Blue Tide will be making a generous donation to the SCENE Auction and Trivia Night.
- Earned \$85 in raffle money at this meeting.
- Next Meeting TBD