

## **Athletic Boosters Meeting**

**January 8, 2019**

Attendees: Andy Eiser, Angie Ford, Bill Frantz, Julie Brem, Melissa Beverly, Rob Buehner, Bobby Davidson, Laura Hannah, Brandon Heffernan, Dave Heilmann, Matt McConnell

Last months meeting minutes were approved.

### **Track**

- Sign ups have only been out for a couple of days, we currently only have 1 sign up for track
- Andy has spoken with the IHM coach and he is willing to help us through the track administration process if we end up with enough number of students to field a team, last year we had 15
- The IHM coach said that our kids can join them if we do not have enough for a team
- No commitments on a coach yet, but we will need parent coaches to help with each of the grade groupings
- We can use cross country uniforms for the older kids, will get t-shirts for younger kids
- The league is CTCYO, Rob will attend a meeting on January 31st

### **Boys Volleyball**

- 2 sign ups so far
- League meeting on the 22<sup>nd</sup>
- We will need to wait and see how many boys sign up
- Historically we have had to combine grades, we can also look at combining with other local schools
- We do have one volunteer for a coach for the 4<sup>th</sup> grade

### **DMO Tournament Update**

- All the team slots are full, except 3 girls teams
- Sign Up Genius for Volunteers out by end of the week
- Referees are all taken care of
- 30 sponsorship letters are out, several committed
- Dave to speak with Art department about making the sponsor signs
- Gate Fees
  - Need to make sure people don't have to pay twice in the same day. We talked about possibly giving people a ticket here and at NBN when they pay then turn the ticket in at the other location if they have to play in both places then they wouldn't have to pay. We would then compensate NBN for the tickets they collect.

- Food
  - Little Caesars - Friday
  - Walking Tacos
  - Pork BBQ Sandwiches
- T-Shirts
  - Possibly look at 2 different 2-shirts so that the winners have different shirts
  - Pre-Order t-shirts
  - Rob will work with Doralyn on exploring the t-shirt pricing options
- Trophies
  - Brandon will be ordering
- Music/Announcing
  - We need a speaker – Andy will check on speaker; Angie said she has one as a backup that you can also plug a microphone into
  - Rob will work on getting a dedicated device that we can leave there for the music
  - Our preference is not use the music department’s sound system in the gym

#### **Girls AD Updates**

- Getting quotes on new volleyball uniform shirts for fall 2019; there were 115 shirts
- Tentative dates for Volleyball Tryouts – looking at a Friday and Monday – starting to work on coaches for evaluations as well as A team coaches

#### **Boys AD Updates**

- Basketball going well; haven’t really had any issues reported with parents or coaches
- Some of the coaches of the younger grades have commented on struggling a bit with coaching the kids, struggling with skills, etc. Rob suggested referring those coaches to him if they are looking for help. We also might want to encourage the coaches to reach out to the more experienced coaches.
- We also need to provide more specifics to the coaches on administrative processes (paying refs, etc.) Info provided at coaches meeting but possibly create a document that can be distributed for reference
- We could look for a coaches clinic to offer to the coaches or even try to run something ourselves

#### **VP Update**

- Pictures and 8<sup>th</sup> grade banners are in.
- We agreed that we will host part of the end of season league tournament on the Saturday and Sunday only

#### **Concessions Update**

- Update instructions on nuggets to be cooked longer
- Reminding coaches that they need to have parents there to help with open
- We asked Melissa to send out a reminder to the coaches for the open/close schedule for the rest of season

### **Financial Update**

- We received a donation from a family to the Boosters
- The donation for the 2017 and 2018 Pink Outs has both been made
- We will need to discuss the golf fees to make sure we have the fees correct for the costs of the program, shirts, etc.

### **President Update**

- Whiteboard up in girls locker room
- Additional Banner tracks are up
- New TV up in servery that connects to the camera
- We will need to have the gym floor surface coated; he will work on the quote
- Officers that are up for re-election
  - Concessions
  - Corresponding Secretary
  - Other?

**Next meeting will be Feb. 5th**