

WHS ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB



AGENDA – August 14, 2019

- **Approve July 2019 Minutes**
- **Treasurer's Report – Tony Bender**
- **Athletic Directors Report – Mitch North**
- **Fundraising Updates**
 - Golf Tournament Summary
 - Gold Card Update
- **Open Items for Discussion/Update**
 - Getting More Parents Involved
- **New Business Items**
 - Coaches Requests:
 - Bowling Equipment Request
 - Paw Painting Planning
 - Fall Pocket Schedule
 - Waterloo Homecoming Table & Chair Set Up/Tear Down
 - WHS Homecoming Parade Committee
 - Orange and Black Scrimmage
 - Rock and Blues Fundraiser Concert
 - Alumni Football Game (09/14/19)
 - Senior Banners Laux Update
 - Student Concession Stand Work
- **Concession Update**
 - Clem and Cindy Ruemker
 - Indoor Concession Stand
 - New Items Purchased for the Concession Stand
 - Yo Toppings
- **Fall Sports Reps**
 - Cheerleading
 - Cross Country
 - Football
 - Boys Golf
 - Girls Golf
 - Boys Soccer
 - Girls Tennis
 - Volleyball
- **Open Discussion**
- **Adjourn**

Next Meeting Date
September 11, 2019 ~ 7:00 at Washy's

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July 10, 2019

Meeting Minutes



Attendees (32): Chuck Kueper, Jackie Hausmann, Tony Bender, Tricia Bockhorn, Emilie Newbury, Michelle Fink, Breeyn Lane, Cindy Ruemker, Clem Ruemker, Gary Schmidt, Ann Luedeman, Ed Luedeman, Mark Vogel, Chad Holden, Matt Beck, Dane Walter, Whitney Blanchard, Linda Reese, Matt Hubbard, Pam Lloyd, Ryan Wade, Jeanette Wade, Kristin Chiasson, Chase Guescio, Larry Huffman, Carla Schwehr, Greg Schwehr, Tammy Brumley, Garrin Brumley, Brittany Imm, Brett Ivers, Dave Stites

Chuck called the July 2019 meeting to order. The June 2019 minutes were presented. Pam Lloyd motioned to approve, Ann Luedeman 2nd, the June 2019 Meeting Minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report – Tony reported a June beginning balance of \$57,428.68 and a June ending balance of \$52,079.85. Chase Guescio motioned to approve the Treasurer's Report, Jeanette Wade 2nd, the Treasurer's Report was approved.

Athletic Director's Report – Mitch is out of town so no report this month.

Fundraising

- **Golf Tournament** – This year's date is August 10th. Emilie reported the Lane Group will be the dinner sponsor this year. We currently have 10 Hole Sponsors and 17 teams registered with 34 teams being out max. Online registration is open for teams and hole sponsors. **We are still in need of goodie bags and items to fill them as well as raffle items, silent auction items and attendance prizes.** If you know of resources for these, please reach out to Emilie if you have items to donate. Emilie is meeting with Full Throttle this week to get a quote for golf towels and koozies with the Booster Club Logo on them.
- **Gold Card Kickoff** – Thursday, July 18th is the kickoff for gold cards. We will have the same prizes as last year. Our goal is to sell over 2,000 cards. We do have an extended period this year until the Orange and Black on August 23rd. The athletes can go to some local business to sell.

Open Items

- **Honor Board** – Carried over every month, this is a big project that will require help from District. The idea is to have a stone wall/entrance to recognize championships.

New Business Items

- **Coaches Wish List**
 - Cheer is requesting K bands and backpacks for a total of \$550. Ed Luedeman made the motion, Pam Lloyd 2nd, motion approved.
 - Boy Golf requested 24 hats and 36 dozen golf balls (to share with Girls Golf) for \$862. Pam Lloyd made the motion, Jeanette Wade 2nd, motion approved.
 - Coach Crawford thanked the Boosters Club for the recent purchase of an AirCat machine for the volleyball program.
- **HelmetFit for Football** – Anna reported we do not check air in the players' helmets on a regular basis. There is a system that communicates with an app that records pressure in helmets. The biggest expense is the pump that plugs into app. One pump cost \$1,035 or 2 pumps for \$1,532.50. The players will be able to check their own helmets. There will be annual fee after the first year of \$395 a year. Breeyn Lane made the motion, Cindy Ruemker 2nd, motioned approved.
- **Paw Painting Planning** – Breeyn Lane will find some dates and get approval from the city. We need volunteers to help paint! An email will be sent out as soon as we have some dates set.

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- **Pocket Schedules** – Chuck will get with Mitch for final schedules and he will also check with the bank for donation.
- **Freshman Orientation Table** – Freshman Orientation is August 13th. A table will be set up for freshman parents to see what the Booster Club all about. Chuck, Michelle and Emilie plan to be there.
- **Waterloo Homecoming Stand** – The City of Waterloo Homecoming is August 23rd & 24th. Historically, we have done Chick-fil-A. There was discussion on whether it is worth our time because we don't make any money and the crowds keep declining. All agreed we will not work it this year because it is the same night as the Orange & Black scrimmage.

Concession Update

- Clem and Cindy Ruemker reported not much going on. They will get in the beginning of August to clean up. They are also going to look into cheese cups instead of the bags of cheese. All equipment seems to be working.

Fall Sports Reps

- **Cheerleading** (Kristin Chiasson)
- **Cross Country** (Schwartz & Sliment)
- **Football** (Julie Bender & Jeanette Wade)
- **Boys Golf** (Pam Lloyd)
- **Girl Golf** (XXX)
- **Boys Soccer** (Linda Reese)
- **Girls Tennis** (Tammy Holman)
- **Volleyball** (Carla Schwehr)

Open Discussion

- **Baseball Sign** – Looking for a sign for this year's 3rd place baseball team. Coach Crawford researched and found a company \$136.89 for plaque on for the backstop. Chase Guescio made the motion, Whitney Blanchard 2nd, motioned carried.
- **Booster Club Rep Responsibilities** – The board will be reviewing each sport and discussing with coaches what the expectations are for the sports reps. Emilie discussed revamping the duties of the sports rep. It is important for new reps to know what they are responsible for. We are asking current reps to send a description of what they have done as a rep. The board will get a general description for all reps. If parents in each sport want to do more, they can get together with the rep and discuss the options. Coaches need to support their reps, introduce to parents with expectations of reps and parents. There was also discussion on how to get parents more involved in concessions as it is a significant fundraiser for the athletic teams.
- This was Chuck and Jacki's last meeting. They were thanked for their service over the past several years. Michelle Fink will be taking over as President and Breeyn Lane as Vice President.

Motion to Adjourn - Chuck asked if there were any other new items to discuss, none noted. Whitney Blanchard moved to adjourn the meeting, Greg Schwehr 2nd. The July 2019 WHS Athletic Booster Club meeting was adjourned.

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