

## Winder-Barrow High School Touchdown Club

Meeting Minutes – June 20, 2017

President Dan Landis opened the meeting at 7:00pm.

#### **Team Update presented by Coach Webb**

- Over 90 players / day have been present for summer workouts
- 10<sup>th</sup> grade parents: 10<sup>th</sup> grade is most difficult year of football because they are now playing against much older boys and no longer just their peers, so they may feel frustrated; keep encouraging them.
- Important Dates:
  - o June 26-27 part of team will go to Parkview for camp; rest of team will be off
  - o June 29: FCA 7 on 7 at Athens Christian; practice will be held for remaining players
  - Riverside camp will have 5 other teams there; staying on campus; Coach Webb will advise if parents can watch camp.

#### **Financial Update Presented by Steve Canup**

Steve Canup reviewed the YTD Financial Management Report as of June 20, 2017. Copies of the report and bank statements were present and available for review by any member wishing to do so.

- Income highlights:
  - \$15,057 in cow raffle ticket sales; still need to purchase cow and freezer; approximately
    55 playrs have paid the majority of their fees via the Cow Raffle
  - \$3,000 in game sponsorships, which are used to feed players before the game
  - \$5,957.05 in TD Club Memberships despite the limited number of TD Club Memberships sold thus far. Parents are encouraged to join the TD club. Depending on the level of membership at which you join, a portion or all of the membership fee will apply to your player fees
  - \$2,406 in Future Bulldogg Camp registrations; registration is still open
  - \$7,270.88 from Greeson Open registrations, raffles, sponsorships and donations
  - \$4,206 Spring Game + an additional \$1,664.10 from concession stands and \$1,957.00 in spirit wear sales. Thanks to everyone who volunteered to make the event a huge success!
- Expense highlights:
  - \$1,250 in Coaching Bonuses
  - \$1,100 paid out in Gridiron for GGals scholarships
  - \$1,000 in camp expenses
- Player Fee invoices coming soon now that cow raffle is over

#### **Recent Events Recap by Dan Landis**

- Spring Game doubled profit from last year's spring game; thank you to our volunteers
- Greeson Open fell slightly short of our goal, but was still a good event



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Cow Raffle – Mary Combs was winner

#### **Questions from TD Club Members for Coach Webb:**

- 1. What camps do fees cover? Fees cover Riverside camp; other camps are covered by reserves
- 2. When will Nike store purchases be in? Merchandise should be in within next 2 weeks
- 3. Can players wear face guards on helmets? Yes, but they must be clear

#### **Open Board Position presented by Dan Landis**

 New school system policies and regulations discourage school system employees to be on boards of booster clubs, so Amy Hill has stepped down from her position as Secretary. We are seeking nominations for a new board Secretary. Election will be held at the next Touchdown Club meeting.

#### Bulldogg Buggy - 2017 & Beyond presented by Dan Landis

• The Bulldogg Buggy (TD Club's spiritwear shop) has several leaks and is great need of repair. We are looking for volunteers to assist or help identify someone who may be willing to donate their repair services.

#### Team Pictures / Senior Pictures presented by Christine Smith

- Senior pictures with Parents will be on Wednesday, July 19. Unfortunately the photographer did not have any Saturdays available except those bookending the mandatory dead week; therefore we opted for a midweek evening time rather than interrupt planned vacations. An indoor location will be identified prior to 7/19.
- Team pictures will be Monday, July 24 during regularly scheduled practice time. Players should report for roll call as normal.

## **Upcoming Events presented by Christine Smith**

- Gridiron for GGals is a ladies only luncheon to benefit the TD Club's senior scholarship fund.
  The event will be held on July 15<sup>th</sup> in the field house from 11-1pm. Flyers are available at the meeting or online. Space is limited so register early.
- Kickoff Classic has been scheduled for August 5<sup>th</sup>. The Winder Moose Lodge is sponsoring and hosting this year's event, and all proceeds will benefit the WBHS Touchdown Club. The event features a reverse raffle with a grand prize of \$10,000, dinner and dancing. Tickets will be \$100 each and include 1 entry into the raffle and admission for 2 to the party/dinner.

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### **IMPORTANT DATES**

June 26 – 27: Parkview Team Padded Camp

June 29: FCA 7 on 7

July 3-7: Dead Week/ No Practice

July 15: Gridiron for GGals Senior Scholarship Luncheon

July 20-22: Varsity Summer Team Camp @ Riverside Military Academy

July 19: Senior Pictures @ 6:30pm

July 24: Team / Individual Pictures (During Practice)

August 5: Kickoff Classic

Next TD Club Meeting: July 18

A brief meeting with Senior Parents who were in attendance was held immediately after the Touchdown Club Meeting. The parents agreed it was more important for each player to have an opportunity to play. Therefore Senior night will be held at Northview game instead of last home game, which will likely have playoff implications (thereby limiting the coaches' ability to play everyone); other senior week traditions will still be honored later in the season.