

Booster Club Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: September 14, 2016 Meeting Time: 8:00 pm Location: FMHS MPR Prepared by: Kellie Shay

President: Laura Adams

- Called the meeting to order
- Introduced Board and Coach Doyle.

Coach Doyle:

- Schedule is set: Start January 3rd with scrimmage against S. Grand Prairie. District starts mid-January.
- JV/V class doing well. Will split into teams near end of 9 weeks. Coach welcomes communication to discuss anything but playing time.
- JV2 off to a good start.
- New smaller district this year.
- Needs HE laundry detergent and fabric softener sheets!! Coach washes all the boys practice clothes and towels.
- Practice uniforms are in. Payment info to come. Leave practice gear at school.

President: Laura Adams

- Booster Club Membership: Important! 2 years of membership required to apply for LEF scholarship at senior year. Form also has sign up for volunteering opportunities. Forms will be on website and available at the next meeting and at Meet the Player Night.
- Many board positions will be open next year. Parent participation is booster club vital to support our soccer program. Please join the booster club!
- Spirit Ad forms (due Dec. 3) and Corporate Sponsor forms (due Dec. 6) are available. Debbie Farrell will be collecting all forms and payment. She will be putting our Programs together again this year.
- We have same photographer: Jana Lumley for individual and team photos, senior banners, and assist with program.
- Bench Covers were destroyed last spring in a storm. New ones are ordered. Sharing cost with girls' soccer team. We will have a large bench on home side, and small bench on visitor side. Plan to be heated on home side and have them bolted down to prevent damage again. Funds raised from last year's fundraising will cover costs.
- Yearbook left Soccer out of the book. Booster Club had soccer photo inserts made and they are available tonight for players who bought yearbooks.

Vice President: Fred Pretzer

• **Meet The Player Night** –December 6th in cafeteria. This is where Coach Doyle will announce the teams. Catered by Front Porch Barbecue (Fruendt family). Each player will be asked to bring an item such as desserts or drinks. You will receive more information later. There will be sign up forms available at this event, so be ready to volunteer. Kim Mulkey will chair this event.

- Jaguar Soccer Golf Classic- we had a successful golf tournament last year and are planning another one for the Friday before Thanksgiving break, Nov. 18. Play in the tournament, invite your friends, register ASAP, consider sponsoring a hole, and consider donating prizes. Sheri Steward will chair this committee.
- **LEF scholarships** are available to seniors whose parents have been booster member for at least two years. The booster club funds 6 \$500.00 scholarships to award to boys who meet criteria and complete the application through LEF. Community service is extremely important.
- **Community Service**. This year we are looking for ways for the boys to serve our community A few opportunities include: North Texas Food Bank on November 23, Mobile Home park cookout and soccer clinic.. Please let us know if you have any ideas. Nancy Mullins will chair this committee.

Treasurer – Tamara Kubala

• Reviewed financials. Beginning and ending balances.

Secretary-Kellie Shay

- Communication: Importance of email information. Your contact information was received from your player. If you are not getting emails, or need to update your information, contact me at <u>fmjagssoccer@gmail.com</u> to be added to the list.
- Please do not reply to Gmail account. Please reply to person sending the email. Their email should always be listed in the text of the email.
- We have a webmaster: Robert Pegg Check the website for information and forms www.fmjagssoccer.com
- We have Facebook and Twitter updaters: Tracey Lynn McElhone, Jack Shay
- Follow us on Twitter and friend us on Facebook. See Information packet or contact and social media info.

Fund Raising – Lisa Clayton

- Poinsettia Sales: Each player to sell 10 poinsettias. (October/November) This is an easy fundraiser. Local friends and businesses look forward to buying poinsettias near the holidays. Last year raised \$10,000.
- Player T-Shirts: Senior boys will design the shirts, both slogan and color. They must sell 6 to have their name put on back. More information to come in December. Last year raised \$12,000.

Spirit Wear - Chad Martin

• Most of last year's left over stock has been sold to the players and teachers this year. What would parents and players like to see included for spirit wear? Feedback is encouraged. Planning to have an online store and samples at next meeting.

Concessions-We have a new chairperson: Trish Fruendt

Final Comments – Laura Adams

- Tom Thumb Code is 12893. Please link to your card for simple fundraising while you shop.
- Golf Tournament –we need your involvement for a fun and successful tournament. Room for 144 players for this event!
- Lots of areas to volunteer. Look at the bottom of the Booster Club Membership form for most of these. Please "check" any areas you can help or even lead!!
 - Team Dinners
 - Game Day Signs
 - o Concessions
 - And many, many others. See the form!! Ask a board member if you want more details.

Upcoming Events –

- Next Booster Club Meeting: Tuesday, October 4th at 7:00pm in small cafeteria (MPR)
- Meet The Player Night, December 6th, FMHS Cafeteria

Adjourn-8:45 pm