

Ponte Vedra Sharks Booster Club

Minutes

Monday, March 6, 2023 at 7 PM

In attendance:

Mike Harrison, Stephanie Cills, Janine Rosati, Amy Cornett, Nicole Johnson (Boys Volleyball), Steve Smith, Linda White (Cross Country), Suzanne Gainer (Track and Field), Karen Macko (Cheer), Karen Hughes (Weightlifting Boys and Girls), Steve Okla (Football), Becky Schulz (Boys Lacrosse), Katie Hitchcock (Boys Soccer), Gwen Richards (Girls Basketball), Mary Maddux (Swimming)

- Called to order 7:03 PM
- Mike Harrison:
Recap of Boys Basketball, lost to Dwyer. Very proud of the boys.

Officially Done with Winter Sports, now into Spring. Busiest time of the year!

Track purchase order is official. Timeline to come, sometime this summer.

Purchase order for video board at the gym is complete and will be in this summer as well. Once it comes in we will get some parents and liaisons in to learn how to use it.

Added Gameday music as well, it will be 100% scrubbed clean music. Sponsorships available on here as well. Teams can use this to make their own playlist. Lacrosse is using it now. The teams will use this or no music. Not an option not to use it. We bought one station so we can play one event at a time. We may need to purchase more stations.

Turn around time for state rings is 3-4 months. Karen Macko asked for cheer. Ring order was placed already. Hoping to push to have them for graduation. Swimming has not received theirs yet either. Teams can decide how they would like to have them paid for.

Questions for Mike: Cheer: (Karen) County would like to have some competitions. You would get four competitions with other schools.

Football: (Steve) May kill website and go to team snap. The booster meeting for football suggested that no one goes to the website. Mike questions that there still needs to be means for a way for the info to be available to the public. Question is what do they do without having to continue to pay for the website? Weightlifting suggested that they link their booster page back to the school's website. Mike would like to find a platform to give a consistent look for all of the teams. Swim uses Swimtopia and it works very well for them. Mike will get with Mr. Costello the IT teacher to see if he can help. Teamtopia is coming... might be something to look into.

- Stephanie Cills:

Scholarship applications sent out. Bakers and Zander are coming up.

Baseball sold the most tickets to Booster Bash. They receive a \$500 bonus. The event was great.

We will auction off 4-5 more parking spaces in April or May.

Chip for Charity closed, and we do not have the breakdown of how each team did. As soon as received we will share results and distribute funds.

454 booster members. 405 at this time last year.

If anyone is interested in being on the booster board, please contact Stephanie. They would like to have a sponsorship person as well.

If you know you are not going to be a liaison next year, please think of who you would like to replace you.

- Treasure's report for general boosters: \$54,483

This includes with the scoreboard paid for. Gameday is also paid for.

Swim is doing two scholarships. They need to figure out how to get the check to the recipient. Stephanie shared to put in a check request and the check gets made out to the student and the school they are attending.

- SPORTS:

Dance: Went to Nationals for NDA. The girls had 3 numbers. 2/3 numbers went to finals. 5th in Jazz and 10th in Pom. Parent meeting for next year is in April and then tryouts.

Girls Wrestling: Wrapped up this weekend. Two bronze medals at states and they qualified for Nationals in Washington State. Jibbitz fundraiser.

Girls Basketball: Banquet coming up, great season, weeklong summer camp coming, 20 people already signed up.

Boys Lacrosse: 6-1. Senior night tomorrow. Head to DC on Thursday. March Madness still going on.

Football: Parent meeting April 24. Spring practices on May 1. Spring game May 25th at Beachside.

Girls Weightlifting: Districts 1st and 2nd for most weight classes. Next year they would like to recruit for the “holes” they are looking for in the weight class. 4 girls made it to state. Only have banquet left.

Boys Weightlifting: County meet on Wed. 10 will go. Just had their first senior night.

Cheer: Banquet on Friday at Marsh Landing CC. Would recommend for teams looking for a banquet. \$30 a person. Tryouts coming up, not date yet.

Track and Field: Off to a great start, dealing with injuries. Home meet and senior recognition on Saturday. Both teams won. This weekend headed to a new format, an invitational of N vs S in FL. The top four 3A/4A teams in N and S FL. Golf tournament fundraiser went well. Compliments on how well it was organized.

Cross Country: nothing to report

Swimming: Girls will be recognized at a St. John's Country School Board meeting to come.

Boys Volleyball: NEW Coach Brandon Reeves and has both college and club experience. Tryouts gave 16 on roster. First sponsorship drive = \$4k and \$2k in fundraising. Service project coming in Jax Beach and clean up beach. First game this week at Beachside. Coach going to Africa so they are collecting items for him to take to kids there.

Boys Soccer: Finished season in Feb. Excited for next year. Banquet at Marsh Landing CC.

- Next Meeting Tuesday, April 4th at 7PM
Meeting adjourned 7:54 PM