

September 2024 Booster Meeting Minutes

6:34: Welcome and introductions

Teams represented:

-Golf

-Softball

-Swim

-Tennis

-Volleyball

-Soccer

-Boys Basketball

-Football

-Track

-Athletic Director and Booster board members

6: 36 Update from Bleikamp

-Strength and conditioning, efforts to motivate participation through challenges

- Gearing up for winter sports, conversations with coaches and schedules
- Homecoming 18th, Senior Night 11th, information about senior night festivities, beginning at 6:05
- Discussion about decorations and expenses, reusing Volleyball senior arch
- Hannah will ask Mr. Smith about pictures on football senior night, as well as Nora for yearbook
- City championship, Whetstone will be going to all championships.
- Question about skull session timing on senior/middle school night

6:43 Mr. McElroy

-Last call for homecoming requests for teams

- Question about entrance for decorating committee for the dance relating to security

6:46 Jennifer Young Treasury Update

- Everything looks good, thank you to Tom Knostman for sponsorship renewals
- Special Olympic money transfer for swim
- Reminder to notify Hannah about any planned fundraisers for sports teams
- Question about swim and dive team fundraiser of selling Poinsettias to be approved and coordinate with WAPA
- Possible swimathon or calendar fundraiser for swim
- Possible sub sale or other around Super Bowl fundraiser for football

6:50 Ryan Concessions Update

- Signup has been great and good sales
 - Lack of home games
 - Thank you to Terry for help opening at any opportunity
 - Thank you for fantastic volunteer involvement
 - Suggestion from Hannah to check previous years sales as last year was abnormally large sales due to an increased amount of home games
 - Very few complaints :)
 - Winter sport concessions require team sports signup with a \$50 dollar per sports team that volunteers to serve in winter concessions, information to be sent to parent lesions
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6:54 Motion to approve Treasury Report

- seconded by Ryan
- Approved by committee

6:55 Yard signs

-Thank you to Charlene for setting up the winter sign process

6:55 Sprinkler Systems

- Terry taken over on management of sprinkler system on the field
- Very large hoses for the sprinklers and a tough job
- Improvement of methods to create a more efficient system and more versatile for responsibility
- Possible investment in new hoses to help with ease of upkeep and involvement of Coaches as well as Terry and AD
- Buildings and Grounds crew is very appreciative of efforts
- Go Terry!

7:00 BOOSTER DRIVE

- Volleyball will miss for championship, discussion of volleyball just passing out door knocker later that day, as well as drum line that has an event that day
- October 12th
- Tom Knostman encouraged follow up fundraising to make the most of fundraising opportunities
- Last year brought in around \$14k before splitting between Sports and WAPA
- Possible meal provided by Ryan and Terry
- Please sign up in advance using the signup genius so we can plan the number of drivers and students in advance
- Go to coaches and make sure they are pushing sign up to their athletes, emphasis on reaching the spring sport coaches for involvement
- Idea to post on Clintonville Discussions taken by Meghan Zornes
- Make sure the students wear whetstone spirit wear!

7:08 Open for Questions

Question about lighting for homecoming dance

7:09 Thank you and Dismissal

Winter Sports Meeting October 24th

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- Chair holders asked to be at Coaches meeting on October 21st