



Booster Committee and Coaches Meeting Minutes
March 26, 2013

Present: Al Forbes, Doug Kuhblank, John Bandy, Marcia Wilcox, Sammye & Paul Johnson, Shelly Sutherland, Linda Spracklin

Absent: Ann Ehler, Jim Snyder, Tonya Bandy, Amy Moon

Proceedings: Meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. at Rockledge Presbyterian Church by Al Forbes, President.

Next Meeting 4-30-13 @ 6:30 Rockledge Presbyterian Church, 921 Rockledge Avenue

RHS Lacrosse Coaches

✓ **High School Lacrosse:**

• **Coaches:**

1. Picture Day: Wednesday, April 3rd or Sat April 6 (backup) at practice field
 - a. Group picture of players: Coach Kuhblank suggested that JV wear white, Varsity black. Coach Ehler, via email, said that girls will be ready. She has already sent emails and printed hard copies of the photo selections and prices for the girls. She promised that they will "smile pretty!"
 - b. Group picture of booster club members: All booster member should be present.
2. RHS Senior Recognition Night: both boys and girls will be recognized on **4/5/13** at Melbourne game.
 - a. Board agreed to get flowers for moms
 - b. Recognition of accomplishments: Al will send email to parents of seniors to request information
 - c. Pictures & Position certificate: Amy will handle. It was decided that, due to time constraints, framed pictures/signatures from players will be presented at banquet rather than senior night.
 - d. Boy and Girl lists were verified. Boys list is correct; Girls- remove Anja Stichter; add Marissa Williams
 - e. Other: Sammye indicated that several seniors play on JV. It was suggested that they allow the seniors to play on Varsity for the Melbourne game.
3. Year-end Banquet

- a. Player trophies/letters will be handed out to players ; Coach Ehler, via email, suggested that all players get a certificate of participation.
- b. Food Options: After discussing catering vs. pot luck, it was agreed to get catering prices from: Big League Eatery, JDs, Slow n Low, Malibu's, Sonnys, and barbecue trailer next to Blinds of All Kinds on US1. Coach Ehler, via email, suggested baked ziti. Linda will call to get prices for approximately 200 guests.
- c. Event location: After much discussion and an evaluation of finances to date, board agreed to have luncheon/dinner/awards ceremony at Rockledge High School cafeteria/auditorium. Date was confirmed: Saturday May 4. Boys (JV & V) will have luncheon at 1:00; girls will have dinner at 5:00. Doug will confirm date with Bonita Holland .
- d. Other: pictures, letters, and awards will be passed out at this time. We also talked about giving a 1st year lax momento to all players. Ideas were glass trophy, key chain with lax medallion and year/first season. Coach Kuhblank talked about criteria for receiving a letter – for senior players, coaches can possibly give a letter to a player who is on JV. On the table will be: letters, senior framed certificates signed by all players, trophies (MVP, Scholar, Most Improved, Good Sportsmanship, IronMan). Coach Kuhblank suggested that players will nominate and vote MVP; coaches will have final say.
- e. Linda Spracklin and Sammye Johnson will manage tickets, decorations (black & blue tablecloths; balloons) and food. John Bandy volunteered to order 2 cakes. Board discussed selling tickets for the event –Al will generate a flyer; Linda will create tickets. Tickets will be \$10 per attendee.

RHS Lacrosse Boosters

✓ **Booster Members**

- **President:** Al Forbes
 1. FBL Meeting – Senior night is scheduled for 5/11. Girls will play at 5pm; boys immediately after. All seniors will play against an outside team. They will also receive a special team pinnie with their name on it.
 2. BPS Wall Ball
 - a. We will use the team pictures taken this year, as well as Booster committee picture, to create a plaque for the wall.
- **Vice President:** Amy Moon (Fundraising)
 1. Al Forbes gave us updates on upcoming fundraisers
 - a. Food & Beverage card: We will postpone this fundraiser until next season due to lack of sponsors
 - b. Ruby Tuesday's: March 29 & 30
 - c. Car Wash: April 20 – possibly at Auto Zone or Tropical Smoothie – Shelly will look into a location.
 - d. Golf Tournament: Al has scheduled tournament for 11/2/13

- **Secretary:** Linda Spracklin
 1. Created laminated player cards for boys varsity/JV. These were distributed to Varsity parents. Since season is almost ending, we will make sure that player cards are created and distributed early next season.
- **Treasurer:** Marcia Wilcox
 1. Marcia distributed updated budget report and player fee account status. Several players still owe money and are currently sitting out of games until payment is received.
- **Auxiliary Director:** John Bandy
 1. Concessions:
 - a. Profits: John reviewed profits made from concessions this season. Trend indicates that Friday nights bring in good profit; however, games during the week are not very successful. He and Tonya have decided to drop Chick-Fil-A from the menu since it is not very profitable. They make \$.50 off of each sandwich. They will replace this with pizza and hotdogs.
 - b. Volunteers: John expressed his concern over lack of parent volunteers for the concession stand. Even though parents are signed up, they do not show up for their shift. If parents do not step up next year, he suggests that we do not have a concession stand. We discussed the volunteer opt-out (\$50) and will have to address this next season. John indicated that the concession stand will close early if parents do not step up to fulfill their obligations. Both John and Tonya have been working concession when parents do not show up.
- **Equipment/Grant Director:** Shelly Sutherland
 - a. Muscle Milk Recovery Grant: Coach Ehler offered to work with Shelly on writing the grant.
- **Improvements for next year**
 1. Concession/volunteer opt-out
 2. Parent volunteers
 3. Player cards
 4. Sign for McClarty Stadium (on Murrell)
 5. Away games – getting equipment to games
 6. Evo shields fundraiser
 7. Away games – pay for food for players

Meeting Adjourned at 8:00 pm

Minutes submitted by:

Linda Spracklin, Secretary

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