

Booster Club Meeting  
February 1, 2018

**Attendance:** Eric Moskow, Amy Burns, Jodi Schwedes, Sue Smith, Diane Schulman, John Goodson, Mandy King, and Nancy Romano

Meeting called to order at 6:30pm

**December Minutes:** Amy motioned to accept the minutes and Sue seconded the minutes. All other members approved.

**Update on 501 © (3):** The booster club is officially its own entity. There are many details that will need to be completed in the next few months to be in compliance with a non for profit organization.

**Ad Report:** Family Id will open up on February 4 for families to sign up their children for spring sports. Field 4 needs a scoreboard/clock before spring sports starts. Jodi made a motion to purchase a clock and spend up to 5,000.00 for the score board and put a banner on it that says all sports booster club. Amy seconded the motion and all other board members approved the motion. John is working to order our banner system for the gym.

**Fund the Red Rams:** Amy shared a new logo that Alison Kessler designed. This logo will be used for our booster club as that is one of the requirements to becoming a non for profit group. John Kieb and Amy are creating a new web site for us. John has been researching and trying to create a website where money can be raised through the site. There will be training for some of the board members on the new website and we may have a couple of senior athletes update the website for us. There will be many opportunities for us to run programs, activities, our logo store, and, pay pal, etc. Jodi made a motion to spend \$3549.00 to higher Freshy Sites to develop our website. There will also be a 10% discount applied to this pricing. Mandy seconded the motion and other board members approved this motion. Amy shared that the golf tournament is progressing and plans are well under way.

The fashion show plans are moving forward. The Red Ram Runway Fashion Show will be on March 11 from 3-6pm. All teams are donating a basket. We will continue to collect donations for this event. Students at the high school will participate in "Vote a coach" to participate in the cat walk during the fashion show. Students will vote during lunch hours. Tickets are \$10.00 for students, \$20.00 for adults, and \$30.00 for VIP seating.

Mike Vespi is creating a letter that will include all the needs of the athletic department. This letter will go out to parents, alumni, and vendors. The committee is working on forming a group called Athletes in Action. The purpose will be to get athletes involved in promoting attendance at sporting events and involvement in booster club events.

**Senior Banquet:** Jodi has confirmed the date, menu, and pricing with Nottingham. The price will be \$35.00 for athletes and family members who attend. The coaches will be paid for by the booster club. The invitations will be completed by the end of February break. We will meet again in April/May to finish up plans for the event.

Charity Basketball Game with CNY Central is going to be April 7<sup>th</sup>. The board discussed changing the charity each year. At the March meeting, we will choose a charity for this year.

**New Business:** All members approved a motion made by Nancie to add 3 new opener and closers. They are Jeannie Linkiewicz, Jackie Parker, and Darlene Baker. They will receive keys as soon as John has them made.

**Treasurer's report:** Our current cash balance is \$42,561.00. The revenue is in excess of expenses for the year ending July 31, 2018 is \$14,997.00.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:38pm. Our next meeting will be on March 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 in the Library.

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