

**WCHS Booster Club Meeting Minutes**  
**Wednesday, October 3, 2018 7 pm – Room 117**

**In attendance:** Draga Dubick, Georgina Feigen, Jesse Smith, Debbie Jacobs, Karen DePirri, Amy Pogorelc, Sandy Smith, Tamara Greenspan, Howard Isaacson, Daniel Freeman, Debbie Haramis, Tamra Hutton, Ruth Wu, Judy Leventhal, Julie Raab, Jeanine Resnick, Dana Ettinger, Vicki Langerman, George Calhoun, Dwight Fettig, Doreen Bunten

**Call to Order:** Draga Dubick 7:05.

Moment to review September meeting minutes. Motion to approve minutes from September meeting. Motion seconded and passed.

**Team News:**

- Boys Golf 2<sup>nd</sup> in districts 4 players made it to states to be held on Oct. 23/24;
- Varsity Football undefeated. First time since 2012. Friday playing Northwest – will be a very tough game;
- Spirit at last home game was incredible;
- Boys soccer has fundraiser on Oct. 15;
- Girls Soccer has clinic on Oct. 14;
- Volleyball clinic on Oct. 4 at 5:30;
- Poms doing Chipolte fundraiser right now;
- FH doing Fundraiser Athletes v. Epilepsy on Oct. 10;
- Soccer Senior night also on Oct. 10.

**Membership:** Reported by Judy Leventhal.

Total Membership Revenue: \$32,320;  
Total membership: 322 members;  
Changed family banner to Diamond Banner;  
Seven teams are at 100%.

**Athletic Director's Report:** Reported by Jesse Smith.

Still doing really well. Rain has been huge factor in rescheduling many games. Success helping with school spirit. Teachers are more focused. Planning teacher appreciation to coincide with community night. Asking all teams to write a letter to teacher who has impacted them. Small things for teachers to start a new tradition and getting teacher's support. Fields in good shape despite abuse. Some rough areas but not too bad.

**Treasurer's Report:** Report provided by Scott Greenspan

Feel free to ask any questions about fundraisers or how much money the team has in its accounts. Let Draga, Tamra and Daniel know about any fundraisers as they will blast it out.

Income: \$62,020.00

Expenses: \$41,296.34

Net Revenue: \$20,723.66

(copy of report attached to minutes)

Membership and Banner sales are on pace with last year. Concessions and school store went down but concessions is down because we didn't have a lot of the BIG games. School store had to get rid of a lot of old inventory and purchase new items. Not buying much more.

**School Store:** Reported by Tamara Greenspan

- New community night shirts arrived. Start selling them on Columbus Day. \$10.
- New UA shirts came in purple. Need to send back.

**Concessions:** Reported by Julie Raab and Debbie Jacobs

- Thank you for volunteers.
- Will have Rita's for this week's game.
- We have extra table for kids that are grilling;
- SGA grill is broken – football uses their own grill;
- Question asked – can we set up a separate line for hot dogs? Problem is then they want something other than hot dogs and causes too much. Part of reason it is so crowded is that kids will stand and wait until they are asked what they want. Trying to get volunteers to be more proactive in asking kids what they want.
- Could use some extra people on Friday night they have 14 – looking for 18.
- Volunteers for non-football games: have had some no shows. Some confusion on some games as to whether they are home games or not.
  - Trying to show on App if game is “away” game but is being played at Churchill.

**Spirit:** Reported by Dana Ettinger

- Football making it easier to get school spirit going.
- Battle of classes for attendance at next football games; Drop ticket in bucket. Whichever class has most tickets wins a prize.

- Making a spirit video. Football players made mohawks bc had more than 600 in attendance at last game. Football players doing a video as well to be added to spirit video.
- Community night Oct. 19. Selling Blue T-shirts. SGA has things planned as well. Bulldog will be there. Paw print tattoos for kids, honoring Fall sports captains at half time. Flyers sent to elementary schools and middle schools – the kids get in for free.
- Push for Senior night. Linda Bedingfield now on spirit committee. Making Instagram picture frames for kids to take pictures.
- Pulling kids name out of bucket for free concessions.
- Will be doing a community night for Winter and Spring seasons as well.

**Advertising:** Reported by Doreen Bunten

- Two companies that have not paid for banners we will take the banners down.
- 5 -6 family banners
- Remember that your team gets money if they get a banner.
- Banner advertisers also listed on web site.
- Reach out to businesses supported by our community.

**Gala:** Reported by Karen DePirri

- Feb. 2, at Bar Louie had to do it earlier so it will be from 6:30 – 9:30;
- Anyone interested in auction committee – having a meeting for auction committee on Oct. 23 at Leslie's House;
- Team Donations for auctions: For reps – each team is donating one item for auction. Team reps responsible for organizing item. Some teams collect money then item was purchased. Football donated apple ear pods; can donate tickets, or any team swag. Can also put a basket together.
- No wine wheel this year;
- Paula and Vicki doing banners again;
- Updating logos to get Save the Date out soon.

**Communications:** Reported by Draga Dubick

- Revamped way we are communicating with principals in lower schools. Sent out test email to schools to show push back. Blips that principals send out. Principal Heckert will send them out to all other school principals. It will then go into principal news letters. We will send it out to PTAs as well. Tamara working on double checking that they are actually going out.
- Still need VP Chair for Communications
- Tamra Hutton doing great job with Newsletter.

**Web Site/Social Media:** Reported by Daniel Freedman

On website there is a form for submitting information. Create title and write the post. Feature Image is a picture. But then can add any information that you want.

Scores on website are updated as soon as possible. It is a live update for anyone using Score Stream. Score Stream is a free app that can be downloaded.

**Adjourned:** 8:12 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Georgina Feigen, Secretary