BHS Booster Club

Meeting Minutes for March 7, 2018

Prepared by Linda Persigehl, secretary

Board members present: Curt Bohn, president; Chuck Oborny, treasurer; Linda Persigehl, secretary; Shelli Oborny, Danita Diamond, Kairi Prososki, Angie Knudsen-Smith, Brittanie Butterfield, at-large members; and Greg Lamberty, AD. Absent: Brad Blum, vice president; Kim Lueders, concessions volunteer coordinator.

Curt Bohn called the meeting to order at 5:30pm. He motioned to approve the February minutes, emailed to board members ahead of time. All voted in favor.

Chuck Oborny gave the **treasurer’s report:**

Checking $23,401.15

Clothing $42,346.12

Savings $14,383.60

Chuck agreed to transfer $12,000 to Savings account, leaving remaining in clothing account for future merchandise purchases. ($30,000 set as clothing account cap.)

Brittanie Butterfield reported $1,050 in **clothing sales** at 8th grade/high school orientation night.

State boys’ basketball shirt sales generated $2,900 in profit.

She is waiting to gather spring sports clothing sales totals until all orders are complete.

It was suggested that Brittanie hold clothing sales for Junior High track meets, if weather cooperates.

Brittanie is looking into using clothing retailer BSN, which doesn’t pay out profits, but instead offers credits to buy sports equipment, such as safety sensor football helmets. Might be a good savings option for certain sports, Greg Lamberty said.

**New Business**

Picture day for boys’ golf, boys’ and girls’ track, and boys’ and girls’ soccer will be held Fri., March 10 from 8-11am. Danita is unable to attend (in-service day), so Curt Bohn will help Kim Thirkildsen with photos.

Stodden Phyisical Therapy provided $200 to cover winter sports awards night cookies, and has agreed to do so for spring sports awards program in May.

**Funding Requests**

Greg Lamberty said the Cube video display at Railyard outside Pinnacle Bank Arena will host’ Best of Luck’ messages for competing teams in Boys’ basketball tourney – We can post a message for Badgers for $25. It will run on video board through the weekend. Linda Persigehl motioned that boosters reimburse the school for the cost of the message; Shelli Oborny seconded the motion. All approved. Chuck cut a check to Lamberty for reimbursement.

**Upcoming Elections**

Kairi Prososki typed up a list of all elected board members, as well as supporting at-large board members, and their job duties, to be shared with future booster boards to aid in recruitment.

Concessions Coordinator and Treasurer are by far the most demanding positions. We discussed having other board members help out more with these duties, as well as possibly dividing concessions into several positions.

Curt Bohn said he is visiting with James Bartels, Tracy Benker and possibly one other about being on the board. Concessions Coordinator and Treasurer are the two position vacant for next year.

**Concessions**

Curt agreed to visit with Jenny Brunk, librarian, to see if there might be a high school student or two interested in helping with concessions – plugging in nacho cheese, restocking pop/supplies, and other tasks as needed.

Shelli Oborny will visit with Whitney Fagan about having special education kids help with concessions as well. Might be beneficial with life skills, teaching responsibility, etc.

We decided not to open concessions for the soccer sports scrimmage, as it is forecast to be too cold and always has a small parent-only turnout.

Signup Genius is up and running for spring sports volunteer signup on the booster website.

We may want to price out cost of replacing popcorn machine in main indoor stand, as it is getting slower and on its way out, Chuck said.

Chuck is coordinating with Rob Loptin with BHS maintenance about installing ice machine in football field concessions. They are looking at purchase costs, installation costs, brands and features. Likely to happen later this spring during concessions stand remodel.

Curt called meeting adjourned at 6:15pm.

Next meeting to be held Wed., April 4th at 5:30.

Board member elections notice should be sent out to all boosters, encouraging them to attend and vote.