



LHS BOOSTER CLUB

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

March 2, 2015

In Attendance: Tami Salvati, Alex Hoerner, Lisa Cachopo, Julee McArthur, Amy Cronin, Angela Morgan, Mike Piper, Brandis Roundy and Elma Hampton.

Meeting was called to order at 7:06 p.m. by Tami Salvati.

Minutes from last meeting were read and approved.

President's Report: Tami opened the meeting by discussing a scholarship request from the photography teacher. There are three kids who will be attending the regional skills competition which is a very prestigious event and these kids are obviously very excited and want to attend. However, the cost is pretty high (\$100.00 per student) so they are trying to raise funds and the teacher wants to know if Boosters can help. Alex made a motion to contribute \$50.00 per student. Alex also said those students are more than welcome to come and work in the concession stand which will help raise extra money for the class as well.

Tami also discussed an opportunity for us she received through the District which is to work at Edmonds Woodway concession stand. The folks who have worked it for years aren't doing it anymore and the District is FINALLY allowing all four schools who use the stadium to work in the concession stand. At the end of the year, all the schools would split the money. Alex and Jen will go to the meeting to get more details. Angela said it is a huge undertaking with big stadiums since attendance is so high and it will take a lot of man hours to staff and coordinate. Alex will let us know what she finds out at the meeting.

Tami discussed the issues she, Connie and Julee have been having with the District regarding our insurance. The District wants an umbrella with insurance covering all clubs. They want all clubs to be listed on the policy; Tami asked them for examples from other Booster Clubs within the District to see how they maintain their insurance. The problem is LHS is completely different from the other schools who carry insurance through the Booster Club. For example, Meadowdale has a huge band program and they have their own insurance, we don't have that going on here. We simply house the money for everyone, we do nothing else but the District doesn't understand our processes. Tami has been going back and forth and thinks she may need to actually go meet with someone at the District face to face to sort this out. If we are required to cover all clubs, our insurance premiums will increase greatly. Tami is continuing to work on this and will report back what she has learned soon.

Treasurer's Report: Connie wasn't present at the meeting tonight but Julee reports there is approx. \$32,000 in checking, \$21,000 in savings and \$8,100 in our own



account.

Concession Stand Report:

Alex reports the stand has been cleaned and organized and ready to close up. However we now have two more large events we may want to get involved in since they are big money makers. March 28th and April 25th are the dates for these events, (drill team competition and soccer event)? Alex said we will need to get volunteers to fill stand. Alex will have more information on those dates later. Alex said for the left over candy in the stand, she and Angela plan on making candy bouquets for the auction.

Membership Report:

No news to report.

Fundraising Report:

Angela reports we are down to it, big push to get everything going for the Auction. She still needs more volunteers, Lisa will send an email. Angela said the Chef school will do a little bit of stuff to help. Angela said we need parking attendants, runners; and a reminder that no kids can handle money. Angela needs to talk to Mr. Lyons to get the internet stuff set up. Angela also said we need tiered serving dishes for dessert. Ang asked how we want we want to do the program package when folks arrive, discussions about processes. Tami wants to know where to direct people to bring donations. Angela said some of the items we have procured for auction are gift certificates to Azul, The Lodge, private cheese and wine tour at Chateau St. Michelle, two preseason Seahawk, club level, 50 yard line, \$200-300 in value, Embassy Suite Package & restaurant, indoor soccer dome two hour party, date night basket, Helping Hands Vet. Angela talked about a company called Winspier that offers vacation packages we can auction off. We will choose a couple packages to auction off from this website. Angela is having folks coming Thursday to drop items off.

New Business:

Mike wanted to know what he can do for the Auction. Tami wanted to know if we could do a presale in the Staff Lounge. Mike said Wednesdays are good to come by and Tami said she and Angela can come at 11:00AM. Mike will send an email and bring coffee and donuts and help sell tickets. Tami wants to do a shout out/robo dial about Auction. Lisa will type up a script to be read by Dave Golden or Mike.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:24 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Cachopo
Booster Club Secretary