

## **Athletic Boosters Meeting Minutes**

Date: 11/13/18

**In attendance:** Julie Albert, Rebecca Crimmins, Christine Giglio, Cheryl Cunningham, Craig Allen, Danny Erickson, Brian Fitzgerald, Brett Burbank

### **Financial Report:** Julie Albert

Last year at this time we were at \$107,647 this year for November we are at \$120,767.

Banquets are starting up this week for fall sports so we are being asked for money. Per Danny, \$400 allowed for banquets, \$100 for senior nights.

Varsity Football team gets \$30 a player for League title

Varsity Golf \$30 a player for League title

Varsity Volleyball \$30 a player for League title

On Oct 22 email scam ... involved email to Julie from Craig asking for a wire transfer asap. Bank alerted it was a scam where someone set up fake email account for Craig. With a wire transfer, if a scam, will never get that money recovered.

### **Team Rep Update:**

Danny is meeting with winter coaches it's on his list. More to come

### **Corporate Fundraising:** Cheryl Cunningham

For 2018 \$22,000 is what we brought in.

JML Custom Building and Design (Lamarr) new corporate sponsor and banner has been ordered per Danny

### **Membership Updates:**

Nothing new to report

Maybe a new mailing for winter sports for new corporate sponsors?

Danny to send home flyer with winter sports players for Booster Membership

Possibility of putting board up thanking our Corporate Sponsors as they enter hockey games.

Couldn't stay up permanently, but can be put up and taken down after game.

**Bulldog Gear:**

\$825 deposit was made.

**Coaches Report:**

No update

**Snack Shack:** Lauren reported through Craig

\$600 was made at South Sectional

\$1000 a game was average amount made at Varsity football games

Lauren could use another volunteer for second half of Thanksgiving Day game.

**AD Report:** Danny Erickson reporting

Fall recap:

3 Hockomock titles : golf, football, volleyball

Football first title since 1990

Golf second consecutive title

Volleyball huge success and resilient after last year

There has been a lot of talk about the boys/girls mixed teams. Danny has talking to MIAA for a year about this issue. MIAA hands are tied., this 's a mass state interpretation of the 14th amendment. MIAA loses every time if/when sued. Mass Supreme Court ruled in 1979 to support boy whose family sued MIAA for right to play FH. It's different in different states.

Equal rights as guaranteed by the 14th amendment.

Title 9 says if there is a boys team, boys have to play on this team. But if no boys team, a boy can play on girl team.

New Varsity Baseball Coach hired Ben Shuffain. Energetic and excited about the job.

Varsity Softball vacancy currently accepting applications expires at end of November.

Swim team is swimming at Randolph this season due to Blue Hills Renovations

Garage is going up at Memorial Field. Danny checked on adding the logo, but factory said it's too late to add now. Will wait until it's up and see what we want to do.

Both work out spaces at CHS are so much better...the number of kids working out much higher

Coach Hughes getting lots of praise from parents/student athletes. He is paid through the whole year. Coach Hughes paid \$3,000 a season through both Booster and Herr Foundation.

In next years budgets school will be proposing a \$75,000 - \$80,000 engineering design project for lower campus. Traffic, lighting, parking, all of lower campus being looked at. When built, just happened piece by over the years...there was never any real plan for it which is why it's so disjointed and doesn't flow. Traffic concerns, pedestrian concerns, etc.

Engineering plan that will also take look at turf and it's layout.

Request from Danny for up to \$5,000 to pay for removable softball fence for Walsh Field. During softball games the balls in left field keep on going with no fence to stop them. Fence would go up in spring and then come down after the softball season.

Swim team got approval from Danny for Snapraise. Other than that no teams have gotten approval.

**Miscellaneous:**

**\*\*Next Meeting Date - Jan 15th @7:00pm at CHS Teacher's Room cafe**