

Board Meeting Minutes

Monday, April 8th, 2024 6:30 p.m. WFHS Room 112C



In Attendance: Anna Hettenbaugh, Dawn Petersen, Andy & Ashley Bakkegard, Steph Lauritsen, Allison Witt-Mahar, Kristen & Matt Larsen, Dan Kackman, Josi Schultz, Jamie Aasen, Heather Morris, Lisa Skari, Jennie Bigalke, and Kim Matteson Guests: Penny Hoppe, Amanda Geiger

II. Call to Order/Introductions:

III. Presentation of Requests

- One West Fargo (Alexa Johnson): Celebrate culture and community. Open mic night to include singing, poetry, dancing, etc. 26 students in the club, 12 students will be performing at the show. Requesting \$500 for paper products and food and any leftover money will be used for décor. Heather motions, Jennie seconds – approved.
- Post Prom/Post Grad (Missy Halvorson): \$2,000 per event. They charge \$5/ticket for post prom=200-300 kids. Grad night is free for the student and a guest. Dan motions, Andy Bakkegard seconds, approved.
- Packer Backer Scholarships (vote on number): 10 applicants for scholarships. \$500 scholarships. Josi motions for 4 scholarships, Erin seconds. Motion approved.
 Scholarship recipients: Preston Geist, Aubrey Schaffer, Caitlyn VanDam, and Avery Suder

IV. Approval of March 2024 Meeting Minutes

Anna motions, Ashley Bakkegard seconds, motion approved.

V. Treasurer's Report: Andy and Ashley Bakkegard.

Lisa motions to approve, Matt seconds. Motion approved.

VI. Activities Department Update: Justin Behm. Spring sports have started. Would like to try to get softball and baseball games streamed on Hudl, but is not sure if that will happen this year.

VII. Committee Reports/Updates:

Membership: Chairs: Angie, Randy, Heather, Jennie, Kristen, Jill & Arin

• Fall membership items. Randy and Angie are working on membership packages and will present for the May meeting. Possibly have a spring sale to sell leftover membership items. Justin is also trying to sell extra football jerseys from previous years.

Concessions: Chairs: Dawn, Joyal, Josie

- Had some one-off events that provided some additional income. Will be trying some new food items.
- Square Reports
- Water Advertiser Opportunity: a local insurance agent will donate water bottles with his ad on it. Concessions goes through about 30 cases of water a week.

Advertising: Chairs: Lisa, Dan, Matt & Anna

- o Review advertisers from last year and send out mid-June. Back by August 1st.
- o Looking for more members for this committee for next year.
- o Grill Sponsorship (reach out to companies). Maybe Ace Hardware.
- Utility Vehicle Advertising Contract is over. Will add this to the advertiser mailer as we need to secure another company/person.

Information: Chair: Kim, Chris, & Jamie

- o Social Media
- Website
- o Also need members for this committee for next year.

Technology and Maintenance: Chair: Dan, Joyal, Arin

o Responsibilities may change for next year.

VIII. Old Business/Recap:

- Board Terms/Voting. In the by-laws, Past president to still attend meetings and in an advisory role and cannot vote. Dan motions to change so the past president can vote, Lisa seconds. Motion approved.
- Lights need to be changed. Dawn has submitted a work order for the lights to be changed.

IX. New Business:

- New Members- Committees. Vote at the May meeting.
- Still needing a Vice President.

X. Calendar Reminders:

Next Board Meeting May 6th

XI. Adjourn. Heather motions to adjourn, Josi seconds, approved.