## Washington High School Booster Club October 3, 2022 5:30 PM

- Call to order- Rhonda Johnson and Sheremy Haas
  - Other officers present: Tami VanHeerde and Jody VerHey
- Welcome Coaches, Activity Directors, Liaisons and Booster club members
- Introductions
- Approval of minutes- Motion made by Elizabeth Briedenbach
  - Seconded by Jess Kolb
- Secretary's Report- minutes posted to Website
- Treasurer's Report-approve August Financials motion made by Michelle Enget, seconded by Matt Glasrud.
- Committee Reports
  - Membership 180 last year, 181 this year. Plan to go to boys basketball and girls basketball meetings coming up soon.
  - Looking into a sign we can use for membership table at activities.
    - Megan Thill is making one for us free of charge. Thank you Megan. Consider supporting her business The Little Craft House by Megan LLC and visit her website <u>LCHbymegan.com</u>
  - Liaisons-If you are a parent liaison for your student's activity, please let us know. As listed on the WHS Booster Club website the responsibilities are as follows:
    - Be a paid registered member of Booster Club
    - Attend monthly meetings
    - Provide activity reports and announcements from the coach or activity leader that you represent
    - Solicit volunteers from the parent support base of each activity
    - Inform your sport/activity parents of information learned from booster club meetings
    - Promote WHS and the WHS Booster Club

Boys soccer- playoffs start tomorrow

State boys- golf starts tomorrow

Boys Basketball- greenery selling now

Cheer and Dance- End of the month state in Watertown

Debate- large number this year- roster doubled this year. Last year was very successful with national qualifiers as well. Season is starting this weekend.

Volleyball- playing tonight and tomorrow night

Football- Varsity 3-3, JV 1-3, Freshman 2-3. Future Warrior Day on Oct 10 at JV Game.

NHS- new officers, kicked off first service project, thanked custodial staff Renaissance- honor all of the achievements at Washington, Honor Fest in Spring, Student of the month, several other academic awards Oral Interp- great year last year- went to 5th consecutive Nationals last year

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- Celebration
- Website- have been looking at ways to change the website so can pay and sign up to be members. Rhonda has some information from RHS Booster Club
- Social Media-updates can be sent to Kyle Lingen for social media. Text him at 605-251-8275
- President's Bowl- Basketball Tournament in November. No totals from President's Bowl yet. February or March will be when they start planning for next year.
- Principal Report
  - Check out news and events on WHS website: <u>https://www.whs.sf.k12.sd.us/o/whs</u>
    - New website launched by the SFSD
  - October is a busy month for Seniors in particular
  - Dates to know:
    - Oct. 18 Jostens @ WHS to meet with Seniors during Reading Period about ordering Caps and Gowns for Graduation
    - Oct. 19 All Seniors take the NCRC test during periods 1-3
    - Oct. 24 (in person) and 25 (virtual) Parent Teacher Conferences; 4-7:30 pm
    - Oct. 25 Jostens @ WHS to take orders for Graduation Caps and Gowns
    - Oct. 26 Flu Shot Clinic from 3:00 4:00 pm
    - Oct. 27 Midterm/End of 1st Quarter
- AD Report

--Fall Activities have been going well. Some sports are ending their seasons

--Boys Golf - Currently in State Tourney today/tomorrow in Mitchell

--Girls Tennis - State Tourney in Rapid City this weekend

--Soccer - Playoffs start this week

--<u>Marching Band, Cross Country, Cheer/Dance, Football, Volleyball</u> are still in their seasons and are working towards finishing strong!!

--Debate and Oral Interp will start seasons this month

--WHS Hall of Fame is Friday October 28<sup>th</sup> at Washington Pavilion. Inductees are:

Matt Hermanson, Brandon Mohr, Devon O'Farrell, Alex Holm, Rachel Walters, Sami Smith, Mercede Stotesbery, and Marc Murren

Ticket info - please call WHS Activities Office.

--Winter Sports: Winter Sports Athlete/Parent meetings are upcoming. Parents will receive an e-mail via ParentLink with Sport meeting dates/times/locations. See your Winter Coach if any questions.

--Construction Update - Main Gym now open. Continued exterior work on northside of building and also exterior restroom and storage shed. Field turf and lights work scheduled for next Summer 2023.

--Please see WHS Calendar at <u>www.metroconferencesd.org</u> Master schedule for Activities. Contact information for coaches. Most up-to-date calendar.

--We are continually looking for workers for various athletic events. These are paid positions. Please contact Nate Malchow or Michelle Wilson if you are interested in working events.

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- New business
  - Had none this month
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  - Still looking for a co-Vice President
  - Senior Class Party Updates??

- Calendar of Events
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    - $\circ~$  Parent Teacher Conferences: October 24, 25 & March 21, 27
    - No classes:
      - September 2, 5
      - October 10, 11
      - November 11, 23, 24, 25
      - December 22-30
      - January 2, 13, 16
      - February 6, 20, 21
      - March 10
      - April 7-10
    - Semester tests: January 11, 12 & May 23, 24
    - Graduation: May 21, 2023 at 4:30 p.m
    - Last Day of School: May 24

Next meeting: November 7th at 5:30 pm in the WHS Library

Motion to adjourn Lori Miller, seconded Haley Beckstrand