

Booster Meeting 01/07/24

IN attendance on Zoom- 7pm- Kirk, Coach H, Mindy, Troy, Crystal and Kelly S

Kirk began by saying that Kelly E contacted and spoke to him about her personal schedule and the conflicts currently with being in a board position as co-secretary and has stepped back from that position - she will be remaining as a booster member and attending meetings as she is available and will still volunteer to help as she is able.

Bowling updates are next on the agenda- Mindy spoke on behalf of the committee as well as Crystal to say a meeting will be taking place this Thurs to jumpstart back up on the planning and sponsors for raffle and basket items. So far BIG ticket items secured have been a year ultimate pass for Zippy's auto wash and 4 tigers tickets to a game TBD by the winner and American 1CU who is sponsoring the tickets

Boys will be asked to sell BIG ticket item raffle tickets once the items are finalized and tickets are printed and hope to be passed out at the next parent meeting

Parent meeting will be held at MHS= coach to speak to Hull about getting the location, looking at possible 02/12 or 02/13 to go over Spring baseball season and what to expect, spring break trip, fundraising and booster club happenings.

Coach spoke about a youth camp the team and coaches will be hosting on Sat. Feb 17th - cost will be \$20 per camper and any players available to assist is appreciated - 8am registration and arrival

Coach to get flyer done and on social media for advertising and cash at door for payments so we can use the cash for petty cash on spring trip

Treasury report from Troy= he is asking for ledger from Rhonda for the year end so our records can be updated to start the new year= based on his calculations we are approx.\$14k in the bank going into 2024 calendar year

Upcoming expenses still include remainder of approved budget items to include Ripken final fees, Housing for Team for TN, and working on getting team store up and running for spirit wear, car stickers, yard signs were also discussed as being able to purchase like the other sports have for their players to display proudly,

Baseballs for Varisty have been ordered and will be in end of Jan
Helmets and Hats are currently at coaches house and look great
Helmet stickers are being ordered soon as well

Tryouts are scheduled for Mon- Wed, March 11-13 and first practice and team parent meeting will be the 14th. Players who choose to get ahead of the game will be told they can order white with black piping knickers or pants of their choosing - potential for new uniform school owned jersey is in the works too with BSN credits to replace the whites that are old

Parent Communication was discussed with coach and he will begin to send emails to the booster secretary/president then they will send from the boosters email to parents so only one main channel of communication is happening- both to streamline it but also to keep on record as needed.

Social Media was discussed also and Melissa will work on getting Facebook page going again

Coach would like to look into a "supports you" banner similar to those you see when teams enter the fields to display on the Varsity field near concessions

Open mic-

Troy will add dates to the website for events coming up

Seating project update - Kirk was able to lay all seating down so its not usable and ready to be moved once the construction begins, he has list of plaques with pictures to use for making a new sign to honor those who donated chairs in the past, a few seats were given to the local families that could be given = not all were possible due to arms being connected in the rows.

New sign will go up for the new season

Kelly will update the line in the bylaws to discuss reimbursements language about coach needing to approve due to him being the school employee with authority to approve

Bylaws will be signed and in effect at next meeting which will be in person at the Demars house on Jan 21st at 7pm

Homework -

Kirk will begin to work on sponsor stuff for banners

Coach to sent Group Me to player for couple of camps coming up for colleges

Coach to get with Hull about securing meeting space for parent meeting

Kelly to update bylaws

Troy to update website

Melissa to get with Gilles about facebook page and or create new one

Coach also working with SLI to get team store open and other items ordered

Coach also finishing grant application for equipment

Meeting ended 8:15pm