

# Hays Athletics Booster Club - General Meeting Minutes

September 30, 2019

6:30pm



- **Welcome / Call to Order**

*The HABC meeting was called to order by Jessica Bedwell at 6:32 p.m. Approx. 15 in attendance.*

- **Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting**

*Mike Miller motioned to approve.*

- **Financial Updates**

*Holly Raymond provided financial report updates. Moving to Chase Bank soon.*

*Negative donation amount for spirit wear bounced check issue. Changing vendors for spirit wear....discussion about individual sports selling spirit wear and not HABC. Basketball uses BSN team shop and Coach Preuss will contact them about expanding for other sports. Most spirit wear sales during football season.*

- **UIL & District Booster Guidelines & Reminder about VIPS system**

- **UIL:** <https://www.uiltexas.org/policy/booster-club-guidelines>

- **District:**

- [https://www.hayscisd.net/cms/lib/TX02204837/Centricity/Domain/90/Hays\\_CISD\\_Booster\\_Club\\_Guidelines\\_Rev\\_8\\_2018.pdf](https://www.hayscisd.net/cms/lib/TX02204837/Centricity/Domain/90/Hays_CISD_Booster_Club_Guidelines_Rev_8_2018.pdf)

- **VIPs System** - In addition to running a background check for on-campus volunteers, this is where volunteers can enter and track their volunteer hours:

- [https://hays.ezcommunicator.net/edu/hays/login\\_form.aspx?app=0](https://hays.ezcommunicator.net/edu/hays/login_form.aspx?app=0)

*Logging of parent volunteer hours reflects well on HABC.*

- **Membership Drive**

- Currently @ almost 150 members. (up about 40 since last meeting) Keep inviting and encouraging participation!

*Laura McMahon reported goal is 300. 160 in 2018-2019. Brandy Oglesby requested breakdown by each sport to encourage more participation in HABC. Trying to up sponsorships so more participation in HABC reflects well.*

- **Bleacher Creatures** We will still take walk up additions at each game.

*Need volunteers to assist with putting up/take down of sponsorship banners...this needs to be done for every game.*

- **Parking Passes** (126 sold of 160 as of 8/24; at this time last year 75 of 150 sold.)

**Volunteer SignUps for both parking and Bleacher Creatures are online here:**

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0d4caba629a2f58-football>

*Multiple events coinciding with football game parking making for some confusion on where to park. Mike Miller requested more coordination with other events in coordinating parking in the future. Volleyball to communicate to park at Bales Gym.*

- **Sponsorships Updates.**

- We have raised **\$10,600 in sponsorships** in four different packages: Game Day (\$1000), Banner (\$500), Bleacher Creatures (\$500), and Individual/Family/Booster (\$100).
- Help us especially thank our game day sponsors. Next up is Arby's of Kyle (10/11 Austin High game), Premiere Events (10/25 Westlake game), and Judge Beth Smith (11/8 Del Valle game).
- Need some help to handle putting up/taking down the sponsorship signs. Please look for the game day help signup genius.
- We are looking to put together another round of sponsorships for winter sports, including basketball.

- **Committee Updates:**

- **Committee Chair - Sponsorships / Fundraising:** Rebecca Franchione (interim)
- **Committee Chair - Red & Blue Rallies:** Jessica Maholick
  - Winter Red & Blue is Wed, December 11 at 6:30
- **Committee Chair - Concessions:** Brianne McCabe (Vice President)
  - Bridgette Haymond & Brandy Oglesby (VB)
  - Mike Miller (Tennis)
  - Carolyn Doherty & Mary Noble (SB)

\*This committee should include representatives from each of the “concessions sports”, this can be seasonal membership.\*

*Brandy reported roaches in the concession area. Will contact Erica for pest control. Volleyball parents will coordinate concessions for Barton/Wallace volleyball game.*

- **Committee Chair of Sports Coordinators:** Trish Miller
- **Committee Chair - Membership:** Laura McMahan
- **Committee Chair - Weiner Dog Races:** Meri Krause
- **Committee Chair - Website & Social Media:** Jennifer Williams (interim)
- **Committee Chair - Scholarships:** Mary Noble

- 2019 Scholarships Paid Out:

Recipient Name	Registration Information Received?	Date Scholarship Paid	School
Bayler Jordan	Yes	7/15/2019	Trinity
Blake Hatcher			
Daniel Garraway	Yes	8/19/19	A&M
David Delgado	Yes	8/16/2019	Univ of TX
Garrett Moore	Yes	8/1/2019	A&M
Hannah Wilson			
Jamison Eddleman	Yes	8/12/2019	Arkansas
Kayla Tello	Yes	9/27/2019	Texas State
Kory Estrada	Yes	8/26/2019	ACC
Matthew Hyde	Yes	8/19/19	A&M
Michael Mireles	Yes	9/17/19	A&M
Nicolas Williams	Yes	9/17/19	Texas State
Noah Fultz	Yes	7/15/2019	ACC
Preston Jones	Yes	9/17/19	Univ of TX
Sierra Dittmar	Yes	9/17/19	ACU

- **Introduction of Coaches & Updates from Coaches**

*Coach Goad reported biggest concern now is grades as grade reporting period ending on 10/11. Coach Preuss reported on golf tournament. Basketball starts in 3 weeks. Tennis Team beat Lehman- 1<sup>st</sup> time in 5 years. Swimming doing well. Encouraged parents to submit information to Jen Williams for social media p[ost]ing.*

- **Any OLD business?**

- **Any NEW business?**

*FanStand app discussion.* <http://www.fanstandatx.com/>

- **Meeting Adjourned.** @7:23 p.m.

#### **REMINDERS:**

- All sports schedules are on **GoHaysRebels.com** website.
- Please make sure that you're planning ahead for all of this year's booster club meetings. The meeting dates are set as:
  - **November 4**
  - **December 2**
  - **January 13**
  - **February 3**
  - **March 2**
  - **April 6**
  - **May 4** (\*2020-2021 officer elections)

#### **Booster goals:**

- Fill the stands, bring the spirit, support our Hays HS student athletes! Celebrate the H! **ALL IN!!**
- 4 primary areas that Boosters fund: general athletic fund, Red & Blues, scholarships, operating expenses.
- 4 primary areas of focus: membership, inclusiveness, communication, procedures.