

TOUCHDOWN CLUB MEETING
September 11th General meeting

WELCOME

Crystal Brooks called the meeting to order at 7:15 pm

PRESIDENTS REPORT

Crystal kicked off the meeting and provided a quick update to the parents in attendance on the following areas:

- Spirit Wear- spirit wear is ready. If you have not yet picked up your spirit wear please contact Leigh Gibson to make arrangements to pick it up.
- Programs- our program is done and will be for sale at the upcoming Freshman and Varsity games. **COACH**
- The topic of tonight's meeting was the College recruiting process and information for parents who were interested

COLLEGE RECRUITING TOPIC

- Crystal introduced the parents who have sons playing in college as part of our panel for tonight's discussion.
- Kelli Swope introduced herself and shared that her son Connor is playing at Southeastern Oklahoma. He started as a walk on and is now a starting player and leading defensive player for the team. She shared their journey thru that process.
- The Hortons introduced themselves. Their son Dylan is playing at New Mexico State and they shared their journey where Dylan received his first offer in the spring of his junior and then the process of determining where he would play.
- There was an interactive dialogue that occurred between the parents in attendance and the panel and Coach Gibson.

COACH GIBSON

Coach Gibson shared his experience, the process from a coaches view and his perspective on college recruiting and playing football in college. Coach shared with today's social media and Huddle films that recruiters come knowing the skills of a player and typically want to understand from the coaches the player as a person and his family. He also shared that any player who has as true desire to play can find a school it is just a matter of the type and size.

IMPORTANT/UPCOMING DATES

- 9/16- cutting homecoming ribbons at Liz Jackson house
- 9/19- Team dinner at Keating's
- 9/23- Tie ribbons at the school
- 9/25 -Pep rally for Homecoming

With there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.