

# **Manzano High School – Football Booster 2022-2023**

Meeting Minutes December 19, 2022

Scheduled Meeting Time 6:00 pm

## **I. Call To Order:**

- a. Lynelle Vautier– Booster Secretary called to order the meeting for the Manzano Football Boosters at 6:00pm
- b. Location- MHS Coach Office
- c. Roll Call Lynelle Vautier conducted Roll Call. The following people were present:
  - President: CaraMia Begay-Absent
  - Vice President: Denise Garcia-Absent
  - Treasurer: Stephanie Stachura
  - Secretary: Lynelle Vautier
  - Parent Representative: Samantha Rivera
  - Head Football Coach: Stephen Johnston
  - Parents:
    - Danielle Cofran
    - Michele Taylor
    - David Mize
    - Candace Smith
    - Jennifier Topley
    - Daniel Topley
    - James Vautier
    - Heather Casalino
    - David Bustamante
    - April White
    - Sandy True
    - Ayannia Hall
    - Jimmy Hall

## **II. Adoption of the agenda:**

- a. December 19, 2022
  - Motioned to except agenda -Samantha Rivera
  - Seconded to except agenda Jennifier Topley
  - All present in favor

### **III. Approval of Summarized Minutes of the from last regular Booster meeting:**

- a. Booster Meeting November 16, 2022
  - Motion to approve Minutes –Samantha Rivera
  - Second motion-Heather Casalino
  - All present in favor

### **IV. Booster Reports:**

- a. President CaraMia Begay–Not Present
- b. Vice President Denise Garcia- Not Present
- c. Treasure Stephanie Stachura-
  - Balance \$6222.24
  - Bus check is pending.
  - Banquet cost not determined.
  - This season only 28% player obligations were paid in full. 16% player obligations were partially paid.
  - For up coming football season (2023) we will have a spreadsheet to accurately identify our budget.
  - We need community buy in to help support our team.
  - Two coaches were paid. 1500.00- will discuss how we are paying other two coaches.
- d. Secretary Lynelle Vautier- Banquet turned out nice and all seemed to enjoy it.
- e. Parent Representative Samantha Rivera –This season we worked on communication with parents. We used the Band app, Sports U, and emails. Soon we will be asking parents what worked, and what did not work.

### **V. Coach Johnston Report:**

- **Thank you to All Boosters for the hard work this year.**
- Need to make clear what a Boosters is for.
  - It is in place to help fundraise and support the program financially. Ladies worked hard.

- Money raised this year bought new uniforms and other things needed by the players.
- **Things he did not like about Boosters:**
  - He is the Head Coach, and through his direction he will direct the board on what needs to be done, not what the boosters to tell him how to do things or spend money.
  - The Booster Board will work under his direction. If a person is unwilling or unable to do so, it is ok to resign their position from the board.
  - Coach will not be told whom he will or will not talk to in order to get a task accomplished.
- **Future Board members need to Work effectively with one another.**
  - Communication is key and he will be notified of all matters regarding Boosters.
  - By Laws will be updated.
  - Coach suggested that Samantha sit in the position of President. He works well with her and they communicate effectively.
- Two coaches have not been paid yet due to a dispute of how to pay them.
  - It is a priority for coaches to get paid. They work hard and get paid very little.
- Due to this issue and others the Booster came close to being disbanded.

## **VI. New Business –**

### **a. Elections of New Officers.**

- President- Samantha Rivera
  - Motion for her to be President – Michele Taylor
  - Second Motion –Candace Smith
  - All present in favor.

- Vice President- Danielle Cofran
  - Motion for her to be Vice President-Stephanie Stachura
  - Second Motion- Lynelle Vautier
  - All present in favor
- Secretary-Lynelle Vautier
  - Motion for her to be Secretary- Stephanie Stachura
  - Second Motion-Candace Smith
  - All present in favor
- Treasurer- Stephanie Stachura
  - Motion for her to be Treasurer Lynelle Vautier
  - Second Motion Danielle Cofran
  - All present in favor
- 1<sup>st</sup> Parent Representative-Heather Casalino
  - Motion for her to be 1<sup>st</sup> Parent Representative-Samantha Rivera
  - Second Motion- Lynelle Vautier
  - All present in favor
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Parent Representative- Ayannia Hall
  - Motion for her to be 2<sup>nd</sup> Parent Representative-Samantha Rivera
  - Second Motion- Lynelle Vautier
  - All present in favor

**b. Vote to pay for the following-**

- Pay 2000.00 to MHS Football to pay for 2 unpaid coaches.
  - Motion to Pay 2000.00 to MHS Football for coaches-Samantha Riovera
  - Second Motion- Lynelle Vautier
  - All present in favor
- Pay for Coach's gear.
  - Motion to pay for the Coach's gear- Samantha Rivera
  - Second Motion-Danielle Cofran
  - All present in favor
- Pay 450.00 Coach's Football Clinic.

- Motion to pay for Football clinic Heather Casalino
- Second Motion Stephanie Stachura.
- All present in favor
- Next Meeting January 26, 2023; 6PM – Coach’s Office

## **VII. Comments:**

- Parents-
  - “Thank you for a great booster/football year. I am sad this is my last year. The year before it did not feel like a family. Some of the Boosters made us feel like a community.”
  - “Coach I want to thank you for being a coach I can call anytime. You have made me want to be part of boosters and the football community. We need to build on our community – make people feel welcome. You all have started and I would like to help.”
  - “We need to build our YAFL programs so we can feed our High school program. I’m here to help”
  - “We need to do something about behavior in the stands. At times, it is horrible. We did not understand why we did not take a knee when players are hurt. Maybe the players can do something instead of kneeling, like lock arms.”
  - “Thank you for this year. Looking forward to building a strong football community.”

## **VIII. Adjournment:**

- Lynelle Vautier adjourned meeting at 7:10
  - Motion to adjourn meeting- Stephanie Stachura
  - Second Motion-Samantha Rivera
  - All present in favor.