



DHS Booster Club Zoom Meeting 5/6/20 Minutes

Attendees:

Tony Petrolle, President
Mindy Schwartz-Oliver, VP
Kellie Hottel, Treasurer
Nicole Kuskie, Secretary
Mary Ellen Cotton, Concessions
Kristen Peake

Carrie Butler, Nominating Chair
Ashly Richardson, Info. Officer
Robyn Baskot, Merchandise
Cliff Elgin, A.D.
Namita Dua

Call to Order: 7:05 pm

Tony made a motion to approve the 2/5/20 Meeting minutes and it was seconded by Mindy. The minutes were unanimously approved with no questions.

Reports:

President: Tony

Tony asked everyone to review the bylaws so we can be ready to votes on any changes at the June meeting. Tony is not recommending any changes.

Tony is working on the transition for the new board. We will vote on new positions at the June Meeting. Unfortunately, due to social distancing and school closure the Nominating Committee will work differently this year.

Currently the nominees for the 2020-2021 Board are:

Mindy Schwartz-Oliver, President
Kristin Peake, Vice President and Sponsorship
Nicole Kuskie, Secretary
Kellie Hottel, Treasurer
Ashly Richardson, Information Officer

At Large Directors:

Namita Dua, Concessions
Open, Membership
Robyn Baskot, Merchandise

We will vote on the new Officers at the June Meeting. Mindy offered to post the election information on Social Media and it will be placed in the DHS weekly announcements emails.

The Softball team is getting new dugouts thanks to a grant. It was decided to table new covers for the track pit.

Old Business:

No need to vote on a new sign for Signing Day Back Drop since Spring Signing Day was cancelled. This can be decided in the fall. Cliff and Mindy did a tribute to the 12 athletes who signed on Social Media. Tony hopes the Board continues Signing Day next school year as it is such an encouraging ceremony.

Tony made a motion to spend up to \$1650.00 from the General Funds for a tractor grader that will be used by the Baseball and Softball Teams. It was unanimously approved.

Treasurer: Kellie Hottel

Report is attached and was e mailed to all Board Members.

A small tractor/grader was purchased for \$6500 to be used for Baseball and softball fields.

50% will be paid from Baseball Funds

25% will be paid from the General Funds

25% will be paid from Softball Funds

The ice machine is no longer needed since the cafeteria got a new ice machine and will donate the old one for all athletes.

Old Line Bank has been bought by WesBanco.

Kellie will transfer \$250 to each sport. We will have a surplus of approximately \$7000.00 and there are currently no outstanding requests.

Merchandise: Robyn Baskot

Best Buddies is donating t-shirts for a fundraising raffle. Robyn will hold off as long as possible to order new merchandise for the fall due to the uncertain times. There was a discussion on selling Damascus Strong t shirts but it was decided the logistics would be too difficult because they would have to be mailed to homes and this would add to the cost.

Administration: Cliff Elgin, A.D.

Nothing has been decided for openings this fall. Currently don't count on schools being open this summer. Cliff also noted that live feed cameras are being installed in the gym and stadium.

Information Officer: Ashly Richardson

Since Models had gone out of business Ashly will look into the possibility of replacing their Fundraiser with Dicks Sporting Goods.

215 Senior Yard signs were purchased for \$1906.95 and were sold online for \$15 each. However, the website was not set up properly and so buyers were charged a credit card processing fee. Ashly is in the processing of refunding the fee and she should be finished tomorrow.

The mulch sale did not take place this year.

Concessions:

Mary Ellen is leaving and Namita Dua has been nominated for this position. Cliff recommended if Fall Sports are a go that concessions should open for the first scrimmage so we'll have time to be prepared for the first football game.

Membership: Tony spoke for Ed

Tony offered to call the PTSA President to discuss ways to get more members by working with the PTSA.

Scholarship: Tony

Molly Murray was the Committee Chair and had 8 applicants which was low most likely due to the school closure. Julia Clay and Britton Godredson were selected as the winners. They were notified on a Facetime call and will be mailed a letter and check.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:10pm