



**Flower Mound Baseball Booster Club
September 6, 2016 Membership Meeting
7:00 – 8:00 PM – FMHS / Multi Purpose Room**

2016-2017 Booster Club Executive Officers

- Travis Jacobsen – President
- Jim Antonelli – Vice President of Fundraising
- Trista Abernethy– Vice President of Concessions
- Kathy Stiller– Treasurer
- Ginger Russell– Secretary
- Danny Wallace – Head Baseball Coach, Flower Mound High School

2016-2017 Select Committee Chairs

- Field Operations Committee Chair – Steve Burgess
- Media Production Committee Chair – OPEN
- Events Committee Chair – Marie Jones
- Spirit Wear Committee Chair – Debby Houser
- Game Day Operations Committee Chair – OPEN

Meeting was called to order by Travis at 7:01 pm and welcomed all participants and reminded them to pick up all handouts. The board members introduced themselves. Travis described the handouts – Agenda, Audit report, Treasurer Report, Proposed Budget.

1. Approval of May 2016 FMHS Baseball Booster Meeting minutes Travis Jacobsen
(Please reference minutes at www.fmjagsbaseball.com; first and second motion to approve)

Motion to approve minutes:

First: Allison Hill

Second: Darla

2. Budget Proposal for 2016-17 FMHS Baseball Booster Club Travis Jacobsen

Presented itemized budget. Looked at the financial needs for the year and expect to raise 136K
The vote to approve the budget was unanimous.

3. 2015-16 Financial Audit / Financial reports (see handouts) Kathy Stiller

The audit committee had completed the 2015-16 audit, and the only recommendation was to update QuickBooks software. Went through summer budget expenses and deposits and let participants know we will review monthly budgets at Booster meetings. Kathy reviewed current budget and stated we have approximately \$13,000 between savings and checking accounts.

4. Jaguar Baseball Golf Tournament Fundraiser update

Marie Jones

Marie went over the plans for the golf tournament fundraiser at Tour 18 on October 30, 2016. Big push is to get golfers and you can sign up on SignUp Genius. This week will get the link out to start signing up. We will also send out emails to get volunteers for before and during the event. There will be a contest for the boys on how many golfers they can get. Another level added this year – adopt a Jag Alumni – can pay for Alumni to come play golf. The price is \$150 per golfer.

5. Fundraising report and sponsors update

Jim Antonelli

Jim is re-engaging with past sponsors; reaching out to sponsors right now that we have had for the last few years. Jim is asking each of us to either talk to companies we do business with or provide Jim with the lead and he would reach out for the sponsorship – could be any local company that our members are involved with. We need your help!

6. Concessions – Fall 2016 concessions

Trista Abernethy

Travis spoke on behalf of Trista – any freshman parents who would like to volunteer for the Freshman games should contact Trista if you can help. Trista will send out email to ask for volunteers for the Fall baseball games.

7. Fall Baseball, Fall Uniforms, Fall Coaches, Liability Forms, Payments

Travis Jacobsen

Fall baseball starts this week so please:

- Fill out waivers
- Pick up uniforms
- Pay for Fall Baseball - \$150 Freshman and \$200 JV, Varsity

The freshman will wear blue hat, JV/Varsity will wear the Blue/white hat. The schedules and rosters are posted to website. Coach Wallace spoke to how he selected the players for the Varsity/JV rosters. If you have a question about how the rosters played out you can contact Coach Wallace. Fall coach contact information is on the website.

8. Field Work Day

Field work day is this Saturday 9/10 from 9am to 12pm. The more people we have the faster it will go. Need wheelbarrows, blowers, brooms; will also be touching up paint. Even if you can come out for an hour please do.

Wallace talked about the photo shoot with BSN and how they donated 25 types of nets at the baseball field. BSN about to redo their magazine and website. BSN is going to do a photoshoot and they need 4 baseball players and 4 softball players. Field has to be game ready for the photo shoot. Boys will be in our uniform so we get publicity plus all the new nets they are leaving.

9. Spirit Wear Fall Sales

Debby Houser

Debby was selling spirit wear. We will have seated bleacher chairs in October.

10. Committee Chair volunteer opportunities

Travis Jacobsen

2 open positions – Media Production and Game Day Operations. Please let Travis know if anyone is interested.

11. Communications with the Booster Membership (web, Twitter, texts, email) Travis Jacobsen

Travis explained the ways we communicate with the public via website. In addition, Twitter baseball @FMJagsbaseball & @FMJagshardball, email system is sent out by team (freshman, JV, Varsity) and texting. Also Marie posts on Facebook. All contact information is available on the website.

12. Coach's Corner

Coach Wallace

Coach Wallace welcomed everyone. He then expressed his thoughts about Social Media and that Coach Wallace keeps up with players' social media. Please follow your child's social media. One bad retweet, one bad post can lose scholarship offers. Coach Wallace talks about this with the players frequently.

- Fall Class: Freshman and JV/Varsity doing the same class; starting the long toss program; double check with your child if they are sore or hurt while doing this program. Next 6 weeks they are going to get sore. If it is past sore then we will send them to the trainers.
- Coach Sartor is now in the baseball class; first time to have an additional full-time coach in the class. Coach Sartor is in charge of the Pitchers and Catchers.
- Try out for Fall baseball: Coach Wallace did conduct a fall tryout and only kept 14 Freshman for first period baseball class. For the third period baseball class, we have 35 Seniors/Juniors/Sophomores in the class.
- Pilates Program: The program is going to be at FMHS Campus. Kristin with Pilates District will conduct the program three days a week; it will only be Pilates for core work.

13. Conclusion (first and second motion to end meeting)

Travis Jacobsen

Please register on our website so you can get the information we are sending out.

First Motion: David Landers

Second Motion: Randy Stuempfig