



Buffalo High School Football Boosters Meeting

Date: February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022 @ 7:00 PM

Location: Buffalo Civic Center (Purple Rink Conference Room)

Meeting Called to Order @ 7:01 PM

<b>Booster Roll Call</b>			
x	Lena Gawtry	President	Term Expires 2023
x	Ted Radloff	Vice President	Term Expires 2023
x	Nicole Winfield	Secretary	Term Expires 2023
x	Julene Vreize	Treasurer	Term Expires 2023
x	Carey Kelvie	Volunteer Coordinator	Term Expires 2023
x	Craig Lachowitz	Varsity Head Football Coach	
	Mark Lemen	Varsity Defensive Coordinator/Team/Booster Liaison	
	OPEN	Advertising Chairperson	
x	Erica Curtis	Member at Large	
	Jennifer Russell	Member at Large	
	Jeremy Halek	Member at Large	
	Nick Kelvie	Member at Large	
	John "Kirch" Krcil	Member at Large	
	OPEN	Member at Large	

Guests: Jill Radloff, Mike Winfield

**Reading of Minutes from Previous Meeting**

The BFTL held their previous booster meeting on January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Lena read the meeting minutes from January. Motion was made to approve the minutes by Carey Kelvie and second by Julene Vreize. No discussion. All approved. 4-0.



### **Treasurer's Report**

Reporting on the month of January 2022

Current Booster Balance	\$15,824.00
Booster Expenses	\$1140.00
Booster Deposits	\$0
(Coach) Gold Card Balance	\$33,647.00
Gold Card Expenses	\$4479.00
Gold Card Deposits	\$0

A motion was made to approve the Treasurer's Report for the month of January. First- Ted, second- Carey. No discussion. All approved. 4-0

### **Secretary's Report**

Nicole- No updates

Lena- Recapped last meeting

### **Vice President's Report**

Ted- No updates

### **Volunteer Coordinator's Report**

Carey Kelvie- No updates

### **Coach Lachowitzer's Report**

Coach is continuing to work on the summer schedule and will send update when completed.

Many of the coaching staff attended a coaches camp a few weeks ago. They are looking at new ideas for tweaking offense/defense play for next season. Also looking for a new route with the playbook system and how it is utilized by players/coaches. Coach met with vendors for new headsets. Current headsets are nine years old.

Coach discussed coming up with a coach's manual which could include drills and help with all level of the football program.

Coach has set up a elementary school reading program for the football players to visit Tatanka Elementary. First date is February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

Coach is finalizing staff for the upcoming season and will advertise in March any openings that we will have



## **President's Report and Meeting Agenda**

Lena-

New board members signed by-laws.

Ted (Vice President) will take over as the social media coordinator and may implement new types of social media for the Buffalo Football program. Adding Instagram was discussed so please watch for that and follow us on Instagram soon. Twitter and Facebook are already available.

Lena to meet with Nick Guida on March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022 to discuss upcoming season.

Many topics were discussed concerning the upcoming season so that the new board members have them on their radar, but no decisions have been made.

- Topics covered include:
  - Fundraising options and how big of a part the student athletes will play in the fundraising.
  - Spring and Fall sports meetings.
  - Volunteering on DIBS and making sure that time has been volunteered or checks be cashed.
  - Food Stand and License for events this season.
  - Booster equipment current and what we would like to purchase in the future.
  - Apparel options with J&J Athletics.
  - Advertising, Sponsorship ideas.
  - Game nights, pre and post game meals.
  - End of Season Banquet and other events including National signing day for this time next year.

Weight room updates were discussed with coach who is interested in getting new Mats for power cleans and a Left Sled or one-man blocking sled for explosive type practice.

The board is looking for new people who want to join as coordinators for the many events that we hold throughout the season. If you are interested in helping out with the board without having a full season commitment, please reach out to anyone on the board for details.

Coach Lachowitz thanked the Boosters for the recent signing day event success!



**Important Upcoming Events/Dates**

Date	Event
03/21/22	March Booster Meeting
04/18/22	April Booster Meeting

**New Business**

At the next meeting details on fundraising, proceed with decisions concerning game day events and review expectations for the season.

**Next Football Booster Meeting**

Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021 @ 7:00 PM at the Buffalo Civic Center (Purple Rink Conference Room).

**Meeting Adjourned**

9:02pm

