FHS Softball Booster Meeting

Thursday, January 27, 2022

Attendees: Chad Hagedorn, Scott Hughes, Jon Ostgaard, Shelly Lickfelt, Danielle Mair, Paul Harrington

Approval of minutes from Nov. meeting - motion for approval from Chad, Second from Scott. Approved

1. Treasure Report

a. Sent from Crystal in an email - \$25,331.98 in the account.

2. Project/Payment Status Updates

- Field 3 fence was approved for funding of fence by booster club up to \$10,000.
- We need a small table in the F2 home dugout for the scoreboard controller, help finding one Shelly to bring table
- Field improvements dates more to come from Paul later
- Team Photographer Lynne Halterman has reached out, Chad will coordinate with her and Paul will coordinate date for photos. Agree to have seniors work on background preferences for individual/team photos.
- Youth night with FGFA need to work with FGFA on this Paul to reach out to FGFA on this = determine in March based on status of COVID, etc.
- Booster Fees Scott: Town sports t-shirt, long sleeves (no boards), sweatshirt option: single \$50, double short sleeve \$75, triple short and long \$100, grand slam short, long, sweatshirt \$150-175. Send out information a week before on booster fee and options Chad will send.
- 3. Optional Softball Attire link is out in email and on TFC website.

4. Review of Fundraisers (** See issues/etc. below):

- FHS Concessions see concessions report below
- Bingo March 5 Celt's Farmington need to get people there to make it worthwhile, help for meat raffle
- Steak Fry April 30th (tentative) Chad, help needed on the 29th for washing and wrapping potatoes, desserts, other prep work information to Chad from Paul and signup genius will be set up from Chad for working times. Typically get 500 or so but this is a different year. VFW sets the price ticket prices will go up will know in early Feb to obtain tickets in early Mar.
- \$50 for printing of tickets. Tickets handed out after tryouts and teams are formed. Turn in date for tickets to coaches date tbd. Steaks are ordered based on pre-sale amounts. To-go will be available and promoted. Curbside to go option with players staffing. Could the ticket indicate pick up or dine in? If COVID conditions do not allow us to proceed with steak fry, refunds will be facilitated. Raffle items for steak fry? Paul will send details from what was done in the past to Chad.

5. Website

- TFC site is up to date
- Keith's site will have roster and professional pictures with link to TFC that we will maintain

6. Mankato tourney - May 13 and 14

- a. Hotel rooms & meal discussion Chad
 - i. Pizza party on Friday night, hotel with breakfast is desired Holiday Inn Express Chad will book closer to March
- 7. Next meeting date 2/28 parents night discussion as needed, next meeting is typically the Sun. night before sections May 22nd?

8. Potential Future Projects/Improvements

• FGFA Dec. meeting – wanting information on what school is contributing first.

9. Varsity Banquet/End of Year Party

- Venue Crystal Lake Golf Course around \$20 per plate for two pasta option, room rental \$300, \$1600-\$1700 for 50 people. Build in player cost into booster fee?
- Paul confirmed this will remain a varsity only event.
- Select June 14th for date.
- Ensure all seniors can attend this day?
- Jon, motion to approve, Shelly second motion approved

10. Other items

- a. Concessions Danielle report completed liaison shifts and we are now filling our staffing shifts for softball. Liaison role changed to have to open for softball when our people are doing shifts for softball. This was not communicated by TFC ahead of time.
- b. Chad to verify sign up genius is being filled for our concession slots
- c. Strike out Cancer Shirts get in May and mix into rotation of uniforms performance dry t-shirt around \$25 per shirt prices have gone up: \$1,800 estimate for players/coaches
 - i. strike out cancer shirt
 - ii. Wed. May 11th for strike out cancer night/fundraiser with prior lake?
- 11. Teacher appreciation night add this into the game schedule for home games
 - a. Scott will assist certificate with paragraph for teacher, gift card, team picture
 - b. Senior night May 12th?
- 12. Scott Herda recognition apparel options and helmet stickers are ordered ask FGFA if they want helmet stickers for their program as well. Moment of silence for all home games. Hair ribbons?

Motion to adjourn - Jon, Danielle 2nd - adjourn 9:08 p.m.