



Buffalo High School Football Boosters Meeting

Date: April 18th, 2022 @ 7:00 PM

Location: Buffalo Civic Center (Purple Rink Conference Room)

Meeting Called to Order @ 7:00 PM

Booster Roll Call			
x	Lena Gawtry	President	Term Expires 2023
x	Ted Radloff	Vice President	Term Expires 2023
x	Nicole Winfield	Secretary	Term Expires 2023
	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	
	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		

Guests: Jill Radloff

Reading of Minutes from Previous Meeting

The BFTL held their previous booster meeting on March 21st, 2022. Nicole read the meeting minutes from February. Motion was made to approve the minutes first by Ted Radloff and second by Carey Kelvie. No discussion. All approved, 4-0.



Treasurer's Report

Reporting on the month of March 2022. Julene not present at meeting so Lena gave the most current treasures report.

Current Booster Balance	\$15,809.71
Booster Expenses	\$14.00
Booster Deposits	\$0
(Coach) Gold Card Balance	\$43,296.79
Gold Card Expenses	\$0
Gold Card Deposits	\$0

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

Secretary's Report

Nicole- Recapped last meeting.

Vice President's Report

Ted- No updates

Volunteer Coordinator's Report

Carey Kelvie- No updates

Coach Lachowitz's Report

Coach added St. Francis and Apollo scrimmage on July 29th, 2022

Worked with J&J athletics to finalize apparel information for the year. Some kids had asked about travel gear and coach gave information on what it would cost. After discussion the boosters and coaches agreed that we would pay 50% of the traveling uniform which will be shown on J&J athletics apparel form. This discount would be for players only.

J&J Athletics will be present at the spring sports meeting to show apparel options and people can try on apparel to determine sizes.

Boosters will provide hotdogs, brats, chips, water and cookie at the May 16th, 2022 spring meeting.

Booster will provide Lunch for Willmar practice July 14th, 2022.

Two bus trips needed 1 to Willmar, 1 to St. Cloud



Summer schedule includes:

Three 7on7 games

Six regular practices

Three practices against other teams

Still looking at adding a team bonding date. TBD

Friday August 19th, 2022 will be picture night and Jr. Bison circuits. This night will be a good opportunity to take pictures with seniors and their parents.

President's Report and Meeting Agenda

Lena-

Online store possibility for parents to order through J&J through the boosters.

Spring meeting and having people help with the event was discussed.

Sponsorship Opportunities including tier levels and what each tier would offer was handed out and shown.

Discussion on opportunities for home game fundraising opportunities including using small footballs to throw onto the field or signed football or posters from all the players.

Program deadline is around the end of July.

Food license will be finalized within the next month.

Inflatable helmet quote was submitted. Waiting on quote from company.

Dip n Dots will continue into the upcoming football season. Selling Dip n Dots, candy and water at the 7on7 games.

Home games and themes discussed as follows:

9/16 Hero Appreciation and Jr Bison Night

9/23 Homecoming Night

10/7 Tackle Cancer and Teacher appreciation Night

10/14 Senior and Parent Night

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.



Important Upcoming Events/Dates

Date	Event
05/9/22	May Booster Meeting at 7:30p *note time and date change
6/20/22	June Booster Meeting
7/18/22	July Booster Meeting

New Business

At the next meeting details on spring sports meeting, fundraising and sponsorship will be discussed.

Next Football Booster Meeting

Monday, May 9th, 2021 @ 7:30 PM at the Buffalo Civic Center (Purple Rink Conference Room).

Meeting Adjourned

8:39 PM

