**Football Booster Club Meeting Notes**

November 4, 2019 at 7pm

Attendance: Michelle Slider, Jami Hess, Ben Slider, Scott Martin, Jim Ellis, Kim Keefer, Jenny Martin, Paula Gunzenhauser, Faye Swanger, Dwight Palm, Kris Miller, Amber Heinsey

* Secretary Report: motion Kim Keefer, seconded Jim Ellis
* Treasure Report: motion Ben Slider, seconded Paula Gunzenhauser
  + Deposits – programs, gold cards, advertising, 50/50 bringing total to $14,338
  + Expenses – QuickBooks online, player reimbursements, bingo tickets, player packets, pre and post game food, and photos bring current ending balance to $14,274.87 for November so far.
* Banquet –
  + New location will be Ephrata Business Center, time and date will stay the same.
  + Cost is a bit higher but they are working to accommodate us.
  + They have a mic and sound system but no projector. Jim Ellis volunteered to bring his Epson projector to try at bingo and see if it will work for what we need. We could borrow schools if it doesn’t work.
  + Bulletins – Dwight did them last year and still has mock up. He will do this year just need itinerary and info. We will print at staples.
  + Linda has the frames and helmet boxes are ordered for senior gifts.
  + Need volunteers to help set up the way we want and decorating. Ordering table cloths from restaurant store and Jenny’s mom and cousin’s are going to handle the food management.
  + Mitchner’s is doing the awards this year. Added a few more this year to recognize a few more kids.
  + Coach Gifts - We have 3 volunteer coaches on both teams that are not paid, Coach miller said he has them covered do not worry about them.
* Coach Miller’s Report –
  + Felt we had a good year and players did well gathering themselves after their 3 losing games to finish out the season with 4 wins to finish strong. This is the team’s first winning record since 2003.
  + Book study went well, conversations were beneficial to the players, helped them through some tough times. Would like to do it again next year, thoughts on the book, The Energy Bus, Librarian is looking to see what deals she can get.
  + Off season is off to a good start, 42 kids in weight room today, team draft was done Tuesday for off season competition.
  + League All-stars announced December 4, 2019, plans on making a presentation at the banquet. Can nominate 8 players from Offense and 8 from Defense, guaranteed 2.
  + Team Camp is at Millersville, July 10, 11, and 12, 2020, will still cost $290 again
  + 2020 Practice schedule will start August 10, 2020
* Board Positions –
  + Take nominations at the banquet for January vote, if any nominations come in for any and all positions.
  + Coach will send out an email naming positions and give a heads up about nominations at banquets.
  + Annual Meeting is January 9th, email should be sent out to invite all with minutes, they are online and we will say available upon request instead of sending out 12 months worth of meeting notes and reports.
* Bingo –
  + Sold $5200 in tickets so far
  + Have 30 tickets for sale at the door for those that show up with extra people and need to buy them a full ticket, everyone with paid ticket will get band, no band no entrance.
  + Only spend $600 so far, everything else has been donated for prizes.
  + Estimated expenses would be $1000
  + Vendors are coming with buy and take away immediately.
  + Youth will be selling poinsettias and wreaths
  + Sign-up genius went out today for food donations
  + There are a few kids who have not turned in tickets yet so those tickets will not be honored if they show up at door.
* Team Meals -
  + Wrapping up – they went very well, kids enjoyed the hot meals before, all cold meals after JH and HS games were received very well. HS Cafeteria did an awesome job having everything laid out and ready, clean up was a breeze.
* 2020 Schedule –
  + New schedule is out, picked up more 5A games, first 5 games are non league.
  + We host 2 scrimmages this year and next (due to Cocalico’s field). Do we want to contact Cocalico’s booster club and see if they would like to help out?
* Adjourn – motion Jim Ellis, seconded Ben Slider

**\*\*Next Meeting will be Tuesday, December 12, 2019 at 7 pm\*\***

\*\*Email vote taken 11/26/19 to have Power Train of Manheim create monthly workouts for the players which will cost the Booster Club $200/month, vote was unanimous

\*\*Email vote taken to have team building activity at Refreshing Mountain again for the 2020 season, vote was yes.