

HOLLIS BROOKLINE ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB MEETINGS

March 11, 2019

Present: Deanne Martin, Mike Coutu, David Belanger, Mike Marshall, Lori Bonnette, Sheryl Paquin, Tracie Thorp, Susan Holroyd, Jennifer Razzaboni, Tom Whalen

Meeting called to order at 6:35pm.

Tracie Thorp was present to discuss items pertaining to Field Hockey:
Clinics – The team would like to run clinics during April Vacation as well as a summer camp in August. No firm dates have been set.
Tracie also is requesting disc cones and poles for agility training. Will send request and information if more than one quote with details.

Treasurers Report: Mike reports \$34,000 remains in Ski Swap Account. Still waiting to receive bill for use of the gym. There is \$25,000 in Turf Account that has been put into a 9-month CD earning 2% interest. There is \$122.00 in General Account presently.

New Business:

Sports Awards Night will take place Wednesday 3/13/19 in the auditorium. Starting this year, the Booster Club will continue to purchase the name for the plaque for the Spaulding Award but it will no longer include a cash scholarship. Susan Connolly put together the brochure for Sports Awards.

April 3, 2019 will be the parent meeting with coaches, parents run by the Athletic Department. Tom will speak about the Booster Club and encourage parental involvement. Sheryl will pass out flyers and possibly sell bottles/stickers. Deanne will assist Sheryl.

The Athletic Department has given approval to pay for half the cost of the golf bags that have been requested. Booster Club can front the money promised to order the bags probably in July. Sheryl will confirm details on ordering plans and report back.

The baseball training camp brought in \$220.

Golf Outing: May 24, 2019

The goal this year is to get \$5000 in merchant cash.

Tom plans to speak to the Rotary Club. There is a form online that he will fill out for a donation from the Rotary Club and will also make connections with individual

business owners as potential donors/participants as well. Tom will bring sponsor packets to the meeting.

Tom brought the merchant list for review. People can sign upon the Google doc businesses that they can contact. Tom will send the link with the forms for people to send out.

Dave reports that the Unified Team may be able to help with registration again this year.

Senior Balloons were discussed and all present agree that it is worth doing again this year. The students and families look forward to this tradition. Deanne, Susan Holroyd and Farrah will take on the project.

Deanne will contact the office to request the same raffle donation as last year, which included two sets of 4 front row graduation seats along with one parking spot for each set.

Spirit Squad would like to provide a babysitting service at the town meeting for a fee as a fundraiser. Discussion regarding this took place amongst attendees and decision was that the fee per child concept as a fundraiser did not fit the criteria outlined in the fundraising rules for sport teams. However, all present agreed that this does fit the mission of community service, which the ABC would like to promote through the HB sport teams. A suggestion was made to donate \$200 to the Spirit Squad for them to provide this service to the community. Dave Belanger made a motion to donate \$200 for the service to the Spirit Squad; Tom Whalen seconded the motion. All present agreed. All agree to trial this approach and reassess after the event.

Boys Soccer Team plans to run a summer camp. The HBHS players will run the camp for players ages 8-14. The camp is planned to take place the week before tryouts. Timeframe for the camp would be in the evening from 5-7. It would run for 4 or 5 days. Tom Whalen made a motion to approve this camp. Dave Belanger seconded the motion. All present agreed.

Next meeting will be Monday 4/1/19 at 6:30.

Deanne Martin made a motion to adjourn the meeting Susan Holroyd seconded the motion. All present agreed. Meeting was adjourned at 7:58pm

Respectfully submitted,

Deanne Martin