

2/7/22

Stadium HS Booster meeting 6:00pm

In attendance: Suzanne Faker (Football) Tammy Fossett (Wrestling, Theater), Tracey Czar (Girls XC, Track), Tamara Jones (Girls Swim and Dive, Flag Football), Shannon Marshall (Principal), Janice Jackson (Girls Basketball coach), Mike Parker (NJROTC), Melissa Smith (Cheer), Liz Jacobsen (Theater and teacher), Karen Dinacola (Football), Joan Waldrop (Track), Jason Saldana (Volleyball), Jana Fullerton (Library), Heather Washington, Deborah Palaki (Volleyball), Corinne Ellis (Football, Flag Football, Girls Soccer), Bridgette Lopez (AD, Flag Football), Amanda O'Halloran (Boys Basketball), Rachal Bouma (Boys Waterpolo, Girls Soccer), Samantha Hughes (Booster VP, Wrestling), Kristin Hall (Booster Secretary, Girls Cross Country, Track, Volleyball)

- 1) Minutes- KH reviewed. Amendments to spelling of names, mini-booster membership.
- 2) Financials – no update.
- 3) Principal's Report – Shannon Marshall: Tomorrow election day. Please return ballots. Post on social media to encourage voting. First day of second semester. Organizing next year's scheduling for 22-23 school year. No school Feb 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>. Juniors taking SAT Wed. March 2. Hiring updates: Sharon Alison retired, Ms. Connie taking over. New attendance secretary, Ms. Singer. Ms. Ellis is back to run the entrepreneurship class and yearbook class. Hiring a math teacher to replace Ms. Jordan for remainder of year. COVID cases on decline. District has allowed Stadium to hire another contact tracer. Bridgette Lopez is our new Athletic Director. District has revamped the position, now full time, all five high schools rehiring due to new classification. This will allow AD to better serve our schools. Goal to grow and improve Stadium Athletics.
- 4) AD Report: Bridgette Lopez. Introduction: Former security officer for 10 years at Stadium. Went to Lincoln played multiple sports. Played sports as an adult. Several college, post college degrees. Director of security for mall for 9 years. Joined army. Worked at Stadium for 10 years. Coached multiple teams for Stadium and other organizations. Excited to work for Stadium's continued success. Spring sports meeting: Feb 23 at 6pm. Girls Flag Football won the championship. No football coach yet, but prioritizing spring sports hires and secretary. Positions for baseball and track open for spring.
- 5) Grants – None.
- 6) Auction- Rachael Bouma. Reserved same Auctioneer as last time (2020). Friday, May 13 will be the auction. Will be mostly virtual with a pickup of food and drinks in a packet for your private watch party. Auction meeting this Wednesday at 5pm. Contact Rachael Bouma for details. Kentucky Derby theme. Ask mini-boosters to help with procurement. Any businesses interested in sponsorship please contact Rachael Bouma. There is a

donation letter. Rachael will put on the Booster website ([www.stadiumboosters.org](http://www.stadiumboosters.org)) or you can ask Rachael to email it to you.

- 7) Concessions: Samantha Hughes. None thus far. Some interest in concessions for spring. Meeting to discuss options for spring. Checking with the health department. Report next month.
- 8) Sunshine: Lori Wilcox not present. Teacher appreciation in April.
- 9) Membership: Rachael Bouma. New super-booster in California. 110 parent members and 15 staff members. Joan Waldrop is updating the Booster website, including active members.
- 10) Tiger Mania: Rachael Bouma. Made it to several basketball games to sell in person. Have netted about \$22,000 in merchandise to date. Restocking new things. There is a new sweatshirt that is black.
- 11) Items from the floor.
  - a. Thank you, Rachael Bouma, for your many contributions!
  - b. Ms. Jackson: Building girls basketball. Planning celebration, summer season and mini-booster.
  - c. Liz Jacobsen: Over 155 kids auditioned for spring musical, Grease. Thank to boosters for support. Hard to not be able to take all. 120 with cast, crew and pit. Kids are very eager and excited. Safety precautions are being taken. 8 performances the two weekends in April after spring break.
  - d. Joan Waldrop: Track coaches still needed? Sprint coach being sought as is baseball coach. Sherri Woolworth (Stadium parent and former D1 sprinter) interested in track position.
  - e. Sam Hughes: Senior parents sought to organize graduation activities for seniors.
  - f. Sam Hughes: ASB having a pet food drive.