

## Platteview Boosters Meeting Notes from 9-13-2023

Attendees: Jaime Tex, Lisa DeWeese, Mark McLaughlin, Steve Stehlik, Josh Siske, Jeremy Brunssen, Karen Neneman, Connie Kean, Stacy Fahrenbruch, and Beverly Grosdidier.

Meeting opened at 6:35 PM, closed at 7:58 PM at Platteview High School library.

**Adopted consent agenda.** Motion to approve packet. All in favor. Mark McLaughlin approved, Josh Siske seconded it.

### Financial Report

Beverly Grosdidier presented the treasurer's report.

Membership drive results:

- 66% YOY Membership fee growth–
  - ◆ Prior year -2022 fee growth was less than 10%
  - ◆ \*Due to inclusion of activity passes this year.
- 41% YOY Member Growth–
  - ◆ Currently 209 members, prior year average 150 members
  - ◆ Corporate & Corp. Plus membership +3 )\$1000+)
  - ◆ \$250 Trojan Plus +40%\*

Wishlist Summary:

\$13K 2023/2024 to be paid.

\$3K 2022/2023 to be paid (Strength & Conditioning & Instructional Music).

Additional Expenditures:

Booster funded HOCO T-shirts which were provided to all students/staff.

Funded \$1400 to Wrestling Wishlist request for new warmups (new coach).

Stacy Fahrenbruch approved treasurer's report and Mark McLaughlin seconded it.

### Old Business

- Homecoming follow up= Great team effort by everyone involved!! No bonfire for next year. Move back to the pavilion at Fairgrounds.
- Membership Drive Recap- 2024 changes/improvements: See Treasurer's report. Also noted to add a "send receipt" to the purchaser so they know their money and information was received. Switch from Paypal to Venmo possibly.

### New Business

- By-law changes
  - Steve is speaking with an attorney for proper wordage for 3 changes.
    - 1. coach/sponsor highly recommended to be a Booster member
    - 2. Timeline for use of funds
    - 3. Have 1 signer on checking account
- Holiday Apparel Store
  - Stacy is working on it. Asking Trojan Zone to help with design. Stacy is contacting vendors. Would like orders received by the second week of December.
- Bowling Fundraiser
  - Jeremy spoke on what needs to be done such as picking a date and gathering donations. He will contact Papio Bowl for a date in January/early February. Next step is to gather donations. Karen and Connie are willing to help with this task. Lisa has a list of contacts who are willing to donate items as well. Mark brought up having sports teams donate "baskets/items" to raffle off as well. Discussed getting a Venmo account set up for the raffle money.

### Open Discussion/Q&A

- Activity Passes- Jacky explained the process of how & why the athletic department depends on athletic pass money. There are needs in the athletic department versus the wants that we provide for the team and activities. We will reevaluate price points for next year.

Meeting adjourned. Lisa DeWeese approved, Karen Neneman seconded it.

Committees:

Social Media = Stacy Fahrenbruch

Bowling = Lisa & Jeremy Brunssen Co Chair= Karen Neneman

Membership Volunteers =

Scholarships = Rhonda Riha

Homecoming =

Apparel (X-Grain)= Mark McLaughlin

Fundraising/Membership-

**Next Meeting - ????(Sometime in Nov/Dec to plan Booster Bowling Fundraiser**

2023-2024 Platteview Booster Officers

Steven Stehlik - President

Lisa DeWeese - Vice President

Beverly Grosdidier - Treasurer

Jaime Tex - Secretary