BOOSTER MEETING MINUTES

April 8, 2025

* Send out budget financial link (Eric to-do item)
* Minutes from March voted in to approve
	+ Motion by Kelly
	+ 2nd by Eric
* Will presented Lacrosse Grant for transportation costs
	+ Costs have gone up 60% since 2023
	+ This year is almost 8 grand for what used to be 4 grand
	+ Requesting $4K grand to help pay for a portion of the cost
	+ Almost at 70% for booster membership
	+ They have 48 athletes, 33 are members
	+ We have $6,071 left in grants
		- No other grants have been requested for this year as of now
	+ Feedback received by Denise has been that there hasn’t been much volunteering from Lacrosse
	+ Will is now the Booster rep for lacrosse, needs to be trained
	+ Eric moved to vote on grant
	+ Kelly 2nd
	+ It was approved
* Swim and Tennis both mentioned they may submit a grant request
* Communication Report
	+ Parents that send in buzz reports, please send in extra photos
* President Report
	+ Budgets are due by April 30th
	+ May meeting is when we vote to approve the budgets
	+ Will schedule board meeting prior to May general meeting to review budget
	+ No line item for Huddle as ASB agreed to pay for it as part of the score table approval
	+ Denise answered some questions on ASB donations and payments from ASB as well as coach stipends
	+ Reminder Senior Signing Day is Wednesday, 5/28 – 8:30am – 9:30am
	+ Please remember to communicate to your coaches what the balance is for spending before the event so they do not go over budget
	+ Survey was sent to membership for booster feedback, Denise will summarize when received
	+ May meeting, we vote for the new board, if anyone wants to be President, please speak with Denise
* Athletic Report
	+ Jordan was not in attendance, sent report to Denise
	+ Golf tournament on August 4th
	+ School board meeting later this week to officially approve the score board table
	+ ASB team budget is due tomorrow, 4/9/25
	+ Special project updates:
		- Gym floor being redone this summer and new banners will be hung then
		- Will start an Issaquah Hall of Fame
			* Will do a banquet and establish a committee
		- Working on new website and will include a master calendar
		- Reaching out to city to rename 2nd ave to Eagle Way or something along that line
* ASB Report
	+ Tim was not in attendance
	+ ISD dance team finished 3rd in state
	+ DECA going to Florida this month
	+ ASB board was voted
* Treasurer Report
	+ Latest budgets are posted in folder, Eric will send link to folder
* Exec VP Report
	+ Parent rep training following May 13th meeting
* Parent Reps
	+ Cheer: new coach was hired, tryouts being pushed to next month
	+ Softball: having a great year, both JV and Varsity (ranked 1st in State) are doing really well. First year for JV team, shaking start, but now is dong well
	+ Girls Tennis: Only 14 on varsity team, not sure about JV, 10 play every match, 4 expeditioners, changed leagues this year so playing different teams. 14 games total, 4 non-conference. Tennis is very weather dependent so games are changing. Can only 6 girls to districts versus 9 last year. This is her last year, the membership incentive was a good boost to get membership up, first time they had senior banners, and that was good
	+ Football: had a meeting the other week and gathered parents to build some committees, will go for an Auction this year. August 22nd is tentative date. Want to sell things related to games. A lot of the highly involved parents graduated last year, trying to pull in new parents. Looking to do 3 fundraisers in total. Looking to do volunteer work, looking for ideas.
	+ Girls Basketball: Hope to start the search for a new coach soon
	+ Girls Golf: won 4 lost 3, went to Whidbey island for a tournament, got 4th place, great freshmen this year, looking to go to district with 4 freshmen.
* Membership
	+ At 452 total, have 16 new since last meeting. 114 lifetime, 14 new this year. A lot of spring sport membership come through.
* Concessions:
	+ Still need volunteers
* Logo wear
	+ Sales are done for the year, ended at $51,504, highest revenue year we ever had
	+ Alex is scoping other vendors to see if we can get better pricing
* Student Recognition:
	+ Requests have gone out to spring coaches to have nominees back by 20th anticipating banquets will be first part of May
	+ Thank you to those that responded to review Senior Scholarships, still need two more volunteers
	+ Only have 3 applicants, had more at this time last year
	+ Propose to change it to 3 awards at $2,500 each
	+ Will send email out through membership as well as sent email to councilors
	+ Spoke to Burgermaster as well at potential scholarship options, maybe a student of the month, etc.
* Another Eagle Goes to State
	+ Not in attendance
* Social Media
	+ Getting it less frequently, still a lot of sports that do not tag Boosters, tries to look at their feed and repost. Please tag!
* New Business
	+ None