

EHS Boys Soccer Booster Club
Agenda
June 29th, 2021

- Call meeting to order by Presidents- Amy & Janelle
 - Current Board
 - Co-Presidents: Amy Gibson/Janelle Wodele
 - Vice President: Kristine Lord-Krahn
 - Treasurer: Sara Lenertz
 - Secretary: Jessi Hackenmueller
 - Website Coordinator: Jake Wodele
 - Uniform Coordinator: Lisa Turfler

NEW BUSINESS:

- President's Report-Janelle & Amy
 - Upcoming schedule and preparations
 - Kick off meeting - overview and finalize details
 - Monday, August 23 in the commons. Anticipating a 7pm start time.
 - Goal Cards
 - Will be able to pick them up mid-July to start selling them.
 - Program needs/requests
 - Canopies
 - We will be purchasing them jointly with the girls' booster club.
 - These will be for home games only.
 - Most other schools provide them for the visiting team so we won't need to travel with them.
 - Farmington has nice ones with logos printed on them.
 - Coach Foley will ask for information on where they purchased them from and the cost.
 - Camera
 - The girls' boosters have a camera and a tower.
 - Boys' boosters paid half for the camera a few years ago.
 - Amy Gibson has been in communication with the girls' booster club to get ahold of the camera.
 - Would like to find a "home base" for the camera and tower where both teams would have open and equal access to it for practices and games.
 - Looking to get a schedule created for its use.
 - Tim will talk to Sandy about this.
 - School has a subscription to the Huddle app for storing and playing game film.
 - Usable by players for making highlight reels as well.
 - Upcoming dates – all updated and on website.
 - Would be helpful if players and parents could retweet or repost the posts announcing and reminding of the events in order for more people/teammates to see it.
 - Training with Coach Foley - Mondays and Thursdays 7-8:30pm through 7/22 with the exception of the week of July 4th, EHS practice turf

- Pre tryout camp - July 26-29 7-8:30pm, EHS practice turf
 - Captain's practices - August 2nd-6th and 9th-13th from 8-10 am at **Thresher Fields**
 - Tryouts - August 16th-19th (possibly 20th as well), 7-8:30 am and 7-8:30 pm for 10th, JV and varsity; 9th grade 10am-noon
 - Blitz night event for Goal Cards - August 22 5:30-7:30 at Lexington Diffley Pavilion, uniforms handed out at end of event
 - Season Kick off meeting - August 23, 7:00pm (team photos prior, schedule TBA)

- Uniform Coordinator Update-Lisa
 - Spiritwear Store (**closes June 30th**)
 - Clothes will arrive early August.
 - Store will open again after tryouts for a few days.
 - This order will arrive mid-September
 - Order is open to anyone.

- Treasurer Report-Sara
 - Fundraising goal for each fundraiser (Pahl's, Goal Cards, Direct Donation, Restaurant fundraisers, Cub Foods table)
 - Reminder of Booster fees due and how to pay
 - An email will be sent out when registrations are opened by the school.
 - \$150 due, this is beyond what is paid to the school for activity fees.
 - Fees can be paid by check or cash, but also via Venmo to @Sara-Lenertz
 - Be sure to include player name in the notes.
 - Be sure to note that it is for booster fees.

- Fundraising Update and Status- Amy
 - Goal Cards - review of program
 - There are incentives to sell.
 - These are \$20 each, with a minimum of 5 required to be sold per player.
 - Direct Donation Drive-\$25 minimum per player-option for family/friends who don't live in the area or are inclined to donate to support rather than purchase anything
 - Cub Table-August 28th & 29th and September 18th & 19th-selling goal cards/umbrellas/leftover coffee
 - Each team will cover a date.
 - Restaurant fundraisers-
 - Cane's
 - an August weeknight
 - Chipotle
 - July 10th 5-9PM
 - Dunn Brothers
 - Hoping to sell at the stadium on the day Duluth comes to play.
 - Friday, August 27
 - Possibly at some Saturday games.
 - OR at Dunn Brothers

- Sponsorship Program Update-Kristine
 - Overview of new shared effort with the Girls' team for sponsorships & game programs
 - MN Ortho future contract

- They signed a three year contract that ends after this year.
 - 3 years, \$3,000 per year
 - Name is printed on tryout jerseys
 - They have not responded to whether they plan to continue with another contract.
 - Approaching additional businesses as well.
 - Advertising opportunities
 - There is a social media benefit for advertising that we haven't had to offer before.
 - Still selling ad space for the programs handed out at the varsity games.
 - There are different levels of sponsorship.
- Equipment Update- Janelle
 - Pinnies requested for varsity practices
 - Would like two additional colors, not blue or grey.
 - Need a total of 24.
 - Practice Balls-being ordered through Planet Soccer
 - Need 36 new balls.
 - Coach Foley will order.
 - Looking for a new brand to increase longevity.
- Volunteer Needs for 2021 - Janelle
 - Using sign up genius: link in newsletter and on website
 - Ball Crew: Winnie Thai (1 parent)
 - Varsity Banners: Julie Larson (1 parent)
 - Senior Night: Coordinator: Sara L, Jen Bockenstedt
 - Varsity Banquet: (Coordinator & 3 parents needed)
 - Cub Foods Table 8/28 & 8/29 and 9/18 & 9/19 (two players and one adult per shift needed – two hour shifts)
 - Blitz Night drivers (3 needed)
 - 7 spots have been filled
 - Liability waivers will need to be signed
- Coach Report-Tim
 - Season overview
 - We have a strong schedule this year.
 - Coaches- introduce coaches for each team
 - Varsity – Coach Foley, Coach Justice, Coach Hemphill
 - JV – Coach Silva Jr.
 - 10 – Coach Martinez
 - 9A – Coach David Bland
 - 9B – Coach Gabby Bland
 - Blaine scrimmage-date/cost
 - Varsity and JV would attend, plus extra players.
 - \$125 per team
 - Buses needed round trip for approx. 45
 - 4 – ½ hour games
 - August 21
 - JV games will be played on turf
 - Add a pick-up game like the girls' team did
 - On the JV field

- Thursday, July 15 at 7 (in place of summer training)

- Open question/answer session
 - Would like to get a durable, reusable sign made for the team.
 - Would be used when we sell at a table at Cub, having a stand to sell coffee at the games, anywhere quality signage would help, etc.
 - Looking for connections and discounts to have it done.

- Adjourn Meeting

Next Meeting: Tuesday, July 27th at 7:00PM- EHS room 122 (in-person only)

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