



GLENBROOK NORTH

HIGH SCHOOL

GBN BOOSTER CLUB BOARD MEETING MINUTES 3/10/2021

Erin Denk opened the meeting at 6:10 p.m. Some joined the meeting in person and some via Zoom.

MEETING ATTENDEES:

Name	Position	Attending
Erin Denk/ Garry Denk	President	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Brian Lydon	Public Relations	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Cari Stoneburner	Treasurer	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Lisa Raju	Secretary	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
John Catalano	Athletic Director	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Paul Vignocchi	Asst Athletic Director	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Matt Purdy	Asst Athletic Director	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Kathi Burow	Senior Banquet	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Heather Wilensky	Spartanwear	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
David MacMillin	Yard Signs	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Kari Knebelkamp	Jamboree	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Cathy Burnham	Membership	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Todd Speed	Concessions	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Patrice Bazianos	Team Representatives	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Melissa Schmidt	Party Boxes	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
TBD	Booster Bash	N/A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Presidents' Report

Meeting dates for 2020-2021 school year:

Wednesday, August 12, 2020	Exec Only
Wednesday, September 9, 2020	Exec, General, Team Reps
Wednesday, October 7, 2020	Exec Only
Wednesday, November 4, 2020	Exec Only
Wednesday, December 2, 2020	Exec, General, Team Reps
Wednesday, January 6, 2021	Exec Only
Wednesday, February 10, 2021	Exec, General
Wednesday, March 10, 2021	Exec, General,
Wednesday, April 7, 2021	Exec, General, Team Reps
Wednesday, May 12, 2021	Exec, General
Wednesday, June 9, 2021	Exec

- The February minutes were approved.
- Spirit bags were distributed to the Winter athletes similar to what the Booster Club did for Fall athletes. We will be doing similar bags for the next few seasons
- Booster Bash was discussed. The current Covid situation is still in flux and while we did discuss the event, we continue to hold off making plans on it until we can decide if it is safe to hold an event.
- Senior Banquet was discussed and it is still on hold.
- Booster Club gives out scholarships. Nomination forms go out to all the Coaches and they nominate student athletes. Then the head coaches meet up and decide who receives awards and the scholarships are awarded from these nominations.

Athletic Director

- The athletic training room has been renovated by D225. While it is mostly completed, we are still holding off on ordering the tables. Director Catalano is waiting on color samples. He is also working on new signage for the room. There was a motion to approve tables for the training room. Motion was approved for \$5,300 as a donation from the Booster club to pay for the new tables.
- We are working through the issue of fan attendance at athletic events, especially for the football games. We are allowed by the State of Illinois to have 20% of stadium capacity filled for the football games. Indoor sporting events will still have limited spectators and be ticketed events.
- We are also trying to stream some of the events so fans can watch remotely, including Football games.
- We only had 1 complete team be quarantined during the Winter season. We had a few individual athletes quarantining. Each week the saliva testing finds a few inconclusive tests. Some have turned out to be positive, but not all.
- We do have a facility issue when all the sports will start to overlap. We have taken over some of the Park District fields to help with the overlap. The Park District has been very helpful in finding us extra fields to utilize.
- We have 14 coaches that are overlapping sports teams. They are working incredibly hard to support our student athletes.
- IHSA has said they are having a traditional playoff series for sports who did not get a playoff tournament last year.

Treasurer

- We have \$80,850 in our bank local account. Roughly \$10,000 of it is being held for a Dylan Buckner memorial. There is \$70,624.60 in the GBN held funds.
- Articles of incorporations have been accepted and we are waiting for an EIN Tax ID number
- After that is awarded, Cari will file for the 501(c)3 designation.
- Fall sports donations came in from all teams but Girls' Varsity Tennis. We've started to get money in for the Winter sports in. Gentle reminders have gone out for those who have not donated.

Public Relations

No report

Secretary

No report

Membership

- We have 4 new families! We have 399 total families and brought in \$23,325 from memberships.

Team Representatives

- Most reps are in place. We can't find JV and Freshman Badminton reps, if you know anyone let Patrice know!
- We are still not sponsoring team bonding events due to covid-19.
- We are doing a ticket distribution for each event for a certain number of tickets allowed in different venues so we do not exceed the 50-person limit in a room.

Spartanwear

- Birthday signs are going great! We've sold them about 40 times. We've replaced the bases a few times.
- We only sold 10 winter hats initially. We will continue to sell them.
- The next order will be for 8th grade graduation. This is usually a big seller for us.
- We will talk about bringing some items online for sale vs. manually. That would be a new direction for us!

Jamboree

No report

Yard Signs

No report

Concessions

No report

Party Boxes

No report

Booster Bash

No report

Senior Banquet

No report

Respectfully submitted,
Lisa Raju, Secretary