

GBN BOOSTER CLUB BOARD MEETING MINUTES 9/9/2020

Erin Denk opened the meeting at 6:15 p.m. Many attendees joined the meeting virtually via Zoom.

MFFTING ATTENDEFS:

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

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, General, Team Reps

Wednesday, December 2, 2020 Exec Only
Wednesday, January 6, 2021 Exec Only
Wednesday, February 10, 2021 Exec, General

Wednesday, March 10, 2021 Exec, General, Team Reps

Wednesday, April 7, 2021 Exec Only Wednesday, May 12, 2021 Exec, General

Wednesday, June 9, 2021 Exec

- Minutes were approved.
- The fall athletes must be honored in some way. The Booster club put together a goodie bag for each of the fall athletes. The bags contained a Gatorade, candy and a laptop sticker. The remainder of the concessions items that are set to expire will be donated to a Food Bank. Patrice will coordinate with the team reps to distribute.
- With the Covid-19 limitations still in place, there was discussion about possibilities for holding the Booster Bash either this year or beginning of next year. Ideas for run challenges, online auctions were offered.
- The Senior Athletic banquet is on the calendar but there is no planning going on for it just yet. We are holding the date for it on the calendar.

Athletic Director

- We've worked out the issues with the new scoreboard. The company is adding 3 extra panels. Will be 3 panels high, 6 panels across and changing the border in order to center it. The scoreboard has video and can do many things. Cari will pay the last invoice.
- We are in the beginning of the contact days and open gyms that IHSA is allowing. Sports that
 missed out last spring (baseball, girls soccer, boys volleyball, etc.) have contact days in Spring.
 In October, the Spring and winter sports will have workouts. Some sports weren't able to use
 their facilities this fall, so they will have later open gym/preseason days. The first few days are
 going smoothly.
- No fans at most events currently. Daily discussion about this, but no changes on the horizon.
- There are some athletes that are self-quarantining due to exposure, but no Covid cases have been identified yet amongst athletes.

Treasurer

- Have about \$115,000 cash in the bank.
- Cari is working on getting the money and expenses consolidated from the two different locations, e-funds and our bank.
- The Booster Club Venmo account is up and running! We are using this for online payments for spirit wear, etc.
- Cari is working on making the Booster Club a 501(c)3 organization.

Public relations

- Brian is pulling together all the Booster Club logos and files, he's re-doing the website. Please
 review your section to make sure that we have the correct information before we roll it out. We'd
 like to do that rollout quickly, this week.
- Brian would also like to get our social media channels moving. Results and announcements should be shared!

Secretary

No report

Membership

- Membership Totals to Date: Spartan: 353 Silver: 11 Gold: 15 Total: 379 Families
- Money Collected: Spartan: \$17, 650.00 Silver: \$1,375.00 Gold: \$3,000.00 Total: \$22,025.00
- Membership Expenditures for the 2020-2021 School Year: Envelopes: \$140.00, Blankets: \$1,197.73, Key Fobs: \$848.25, Magnets: \$921.60, Total: \$3,107.58
- 317 families have already picked up their materials at Cathy's house!

Team Representatives

 Patrice gave us an update about what teams are running. She has booster reps for all teams and all the reps are our supporting the teams. She will work on getting more communication from reps to support the athletes accomplishments.

Spartanwear

- Freshman sales went well.
- We have plenty of black mask straps available.
- Shermerville hats are arriving tomorrow and we will still be using the new Venmo account to collect funds.

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

Team Rep Meeting Minutes:

- The goal of team reps is supporting communication, support your athletes and families. We would like team reps to keep the booster club updated on stories, competition results, etc. so we can spread this news amongst the community.
- This year we are changing the amounts requested by the team reps from athletes. We are
 asking for \$5 for a coach gift and \$5 for a basket donation for the Booster Bash. If people are
 having issues collecting these donations let us know and we can support you to work around
 those issues.
- Keep on the lookout for goodie bags for each player. We will get them to you and we ask that
 you distribute them on the Booster Clubs behalf.
- Team parties are not allowed and we are **not** asking for teams to get together in groups.
- We would still like to recognize seniors on Senior nights. The administration is meeting to discuss whether we can invite senior parents. We ask that you do decorate, make signs, etc to

support these athletes. Each sport has their own Senior night. They will communicate these dates soon.

- Encourage Booster Club membership amongst the athletic families if possible. Membership is down.
- Heather offered to support the team reps. If groups want to buy spirit wear, contact her.
- Thank you to all of the Reps for doing such a great job.
- Catalano We are planning to in some way to recognize the sports, but likely not with everyone.
 There are 300 student athletes right now. We continue to come up with tentative ideas, but nothing solid yet.

Reports From Individual Teams:

Boys Varsity Golf

CSL Ryder Cup - CSL South defeated CSL North at Veterans Memorial

Fremd Invitational - GBN score 288 and one First Place. Jason Gordon 5 under par 67 was winning score. Kevin O'Regan and Carl Gustin were in the top ten.

Won quad match against New Trier, Highland Park and Maine West. GBN shot a 147 Jonathan Chu shoots 35

GBN defeated GBS in a dual match. 7-4-1 Sam Kogen, Kevin O'Regan and Carl Gustin shoot 36.

Buffalo Grove Invitational - GBN 4th with a score of 309 - Kevin O'Regan leads the team with a 75

Boys F/S Golf

The F/S team has won 3 dual matches including our first CSL conference match vs Maine South. We are 3-1 overall, 1-0 in conference.

Rolling Meadows Invite - Placed 4th out of 10

Placed 2nd and 3rd in the 2 quads we have played so far.

Girls Swimming

JV won their meet against Main South last Friday, September 4th.

JV2/Freshmen won their meets against Main South last Saturday, September 5th.

This week, the girls swim against New Trier: the JV team on Friday, September 11th at 5:00 and the Freshmen team on Saturday, September 12th at 10:00 am.