

Baldwinsville Girls Booster Minutes

November 5, 2024 @ BPL

Start Time 6:05 pm

Attendees: Mandi Dixon, Jill Offredi, Diane Davenport, Joe Simmons, Amanda Simmons, Jessica Rothenhoefer, Danielle Adams, Veronica Connors, Coach Saylor and Shannon Diep

Mandi started the meeting talking about the Thank you notes for the Ad Campaign. She has them ready to go in the mail. In addition we needed to add Stewarts, Sal's, Wegmans, Walmart and Bagelicious to the website as sponsors for their donations. In addition Mandi will ask Megan for a copy of the Tournament logo so that she can update that on the website as well. The rest of the businesses are updated.

Tournament: discussion was in regards to the fact that we didn't have as many teams at either and then also the placement of the Varsity teams. The fact that they were split evenly between Ray and Baker, however the concession items were not. We have to have better communication regarding that as well as having JV parents more involved. In addition we have approximately ½ of the teams that we are still waiting on payment from.

Heja: we agreed that it was a helpful and useful tool. People thought it was used appropriately for last minute reminders or updates when an email wasn't necessary or the information needed to be seen quicker. Would continue to use in the future at this point.

Apparel: We agreed that the Tshirts for the tournament should be preordered. We will have to work backwards to figure out the new timeline for that. We are ending up with too many extra shirts. Megan was unable to make the meeting, so Shannon Diep went through her notes that she had provided:

- Program shirts - the girls decided on Buzz set spike for the slogan for this year's program shirts. I'd like to get the shirts ordered in the next week or so. here's some open questions/tasks
- Design- I'll work with the girls to do the design if they are interested. I'll share the final design to the boosters for feedback when it's ready.
- Shirt Color - is there a preferred shirt color, or can the girls pick? If I remember correctly it's usually black? **Red or Black which ever looks best with design.**
- Sizes: I have the sizes for JV and V. How should Modified be handled? Will I be provided the sizes for each player, or I can just order a variety of sizes **Specific Sizes for Modified, teams are formed Friday, 11/8**
- Due date - these are due for the JV/V banquet in Dec? **Yes**
- Modified Apparel store
- Do we want to reopen the store for the modified team? **Yes** I will keep the changes that we made at the end of the last sale which included removing the fund raiser portion from the shirt price, and adding a cheaper T Shirt. Any other suggestions? **More options like pj pants, hats, scarves, winter items, cotton, dri fit, mens, youth. Also we'd like to make some profit on it, even if it's small.**

We then discussed that we all feel we should not do the program itself again. Maybe using one of the banners that can be pulled up and displayed before each game with our sponsors along

with including them on our website. We could have a QR code on the banner that is displayed that could take us to the website with the sponsors. Then it would be the same as today with a link to the business by clicking on their name. Still ways to get sponsors similar to how we've done it. However we wouldn't need to wait for the photos of the team etc in order to get it into production.

Jill advised that we made \$695 profit from the home concessions stand this year. We agreed that it is worth doing again especially if we keep it simple. We also made \$340 from the San Miguel's night that JV did. Everyone had a great time and recommended doing it again.

We were advised that Baldwinsville will be hosting a Sub Regional on Wednesday 11/13 @ 6:00 pm. They would like to have a concession stand available. We stated that since we have donated/sold all of our items that we would like to offer the Boys Volleyball Booster the chance to sell the rest of their items if they would like to. **However, we were advised that they are passing on that and that the Girls Team will be running the concession stand.**

We discussed who should be getting gift cards this year. We all agreed that Evie, Jenn AuClair and Shannon Phelps should be getting one. There was discussion regarding Jeff Hahn, since he is a parent of a current player. We will provide one this year, however there will need to be a discussion going forward on who should be getting one since we don't want there to be a conflict.

Also John Dehay has a youtube video of doing the scoresheet. It is done well and recommended.

Banquet: 12/8/24 @5:00pm. Mandi is coordinating the logistics of it. Couple of questions we had are: When can we get in to decorate? Can we get pitchers of water and lemonade on the tables? They are charging \$20/per person. We will pay for the player and 2 guests. Each additional guest is \$20. We will need to have the Seniors bring their posters or get them ahead of time. Maybe balloon strips for balloons to decorate with. Senior gift will be the fleece blanket that Jill will order through Nami's and then the photobook which Mandi will work on putting together. We thought approx 8x8 approx 20 pages. Veronica will send Mandi pics of the book to give her an idea of what it looked like last year.

We have Sal's night on 11/12 as a fundraiser.

On 11/6 the team will be staying after practice to watch the Liverpool/CNS game. Coach asked for food for the team. We agreed and Mandi will order subs from Wegmans along with some chips and drinks. 6:30 is when they'd like the food.

For Saturday we can decorate the cars after practice on Friday or before they leave on Saturday. Sal's is the potential location to celebrate after the win. Jill will be in touch with Meow. We won't decorate the bus for Sectionals but will for regionals.

Jill also thanked everyone for a wonderful senior night 😊

We discussed when they are having the Modified parent meeting and coordinating to make sure they feel involved as well.

We discussed the people that would like to take over positions. Danielle Adams would like to take over for Treasurer and Diane Davenport would like to take over for President. We will be voting on those in the Spring. However, great news so that they can start learning.

Shannon Diep to add Haas, Battaglia, Flood, Simmons to the varsity email and Heja.

Next meeting will be 12/12 at 6:00pm @ BPL.

End Time 7:30