

Wildcat Football Booster Meeting
June 22, 2021

Attending: Brandy Hewitt, Shawna Haste, Jennifer Galloway, Emily Rice, Christina Sharpe, Amy Mlekodaj, Erin Pearson, Jessica Steed, Deborah Ferreira, Ed Ferreira, Melissa Williams, Ramon Oteiza, Keri Tarwater, Coach Gaddis, Coach Henderson

Brandy Hewitt called the meeting to order: 6:35pm

Approval of Minutes:

- April and May minutes sent out via email prior to the meeting, additional printed copies provided at the meeting.
- April and May minutes motion to approve Brandy Hewitt, seconded Christina Sharpe **Vote Carried 13/13**

Approval of Treasurer's Report:

- Report sent out via email prior to the meeting.
- Aubrey's Pancake Breakfast raised \$3,477.73.
- Lift-a-thon raised \$8,811.00.
- IRS taxes for 2020 were e-filed by Tracy Larabee.
- Motion to approve Jennifer Galloway, seconded Emily Rice **Vote Carried 13/13**

Coach Gaddis

- Summer practices are going well.
- We will have scrimmages versus Fulton and Maryville.
 - Fulton Scrimmage Home
 - Will provide food for both teams.
 - May have a community type event around meet the team, concessions (burgers etc)
 - Maryville
 - Will feed our team.
- At Maryville New Coaches this season
 - Rodney Ellison: QB/Offensive Coordinator
 - Vonce Henderson: Wide Receivers
 - Ted Mitchell: Wide Receivers
 - Matt Bates: Defensive Line

Pep Rally's

- Jennifer Galloway will work to set up the Pep Rally's with businesses in the community.

Team Meeting for next season:

- Varsity/JV Parent Family Mandatory Meeting Date is still a work in progress.

Blitz/Picture Day:

- Saturday, July 31, 2021
 - Have drive thru table at ORHS with Wildcat Cards and Swag
 - Jennifer Galloway will set up with local businesses to have Wildcat Cards and Swag for sale in town day of the Blitz.

Sign Up Genius:

- Emily Rice has set the SignUpGenius up for this season.
 - Melissa Snyder will be the coordinator/chair for the season.
 - Emily will assist Melissa as needed.

Pancake/Burrito Breakfast:

- Jessica Steed stated Pancake Breakfast went well.
 - Future Pancake Breakfast to be scheduled when Coaches are available.
 - Many compliments from members of the public that attended.
- Burrito Breakfast
 - Brandy Hewitt stated that a Drive Thru Burrito Breakfast (possibly in August) is still a work in progress. She will let everyone know when/if confirmed with Gallo Loco.

Freshman Coordinator & JV Coordinator

- **Freshman Co-Coordinators**
 - Elizabeth Bonner
 - Candace Eubanks
- **JV Coordinator**
 - Still in Need of someone to fill this position.

Membership Drive

- Brandy Hewitt stated that they are close to finishing the preparation for Booster Memberships.
 - As soon as all is confirmed will push out on website and social media.

Thursday Meals

- Jennifer Galloway will coordinate the meals.

Post-Game Meals

- Melissa Williams will be in charge of Post-Game Meals.

Half Time Snacks

- Deborah Ferreira will be in charge of all half time snacks
 - Emily Rice asked that Deborah Ferreira review the SignUpGenius snack volunteer slots for each team to ensure we are not asking for items/volunteers for things that Deborah Ferreira may have already covered.

Workday at the Field

- The Booster Club was approached regarding painting the handrails, stairs as well as working on landscaping in Walk of Champions.
- There was much discussion regarding this as the majority of all in attendance questioned why the school or the City of Oak Ridge was not maintaining their portion of Blankenship Field.
 - Boosters will reach out to both the School and the City of Oak Ridge to ascertain the break down of each group's responsibilities and request that those groups complete their tasks rather than ask the Booster Club.

Adjourned: 7:35pm