

Skippers Booster Club Meeting Minutes September 11th, 2018 Minnetonka Writing Center

Attendees: Stacy Joslin, Traci Peterson, Carol Koyonen, Mary Rivers, Sue Cruikshank, Beth Homeister, Shannon Heupel, Angie Trapnell, Christine Galbreath

Call to Order: Meeting was called to order by Stacy Joslin at 6:46 p.m.

Activities Distribution: \$100 was distributed to each of the following clubs:

Alpine Ski Team, Breezes Newspaper, DECA

Activities Director Report: None

Co-President's Report:

- Homecoming Parade
 - Same t-shirts from last year
 - If you need one, please pay \$15 to Lori Orman and she will place the order
 - Looking into printing signs for a reasonable cost
 - o Stacy sent an email requesting students to hold signs from various clubs & teams
 - Beth will order and bring tattoos- 500 qty
 - o Considered tossing footballs, decided too costly
 - Sue will print 100 Membership flyers & cut into ½ sheets
 - Parade at 3 p m, please arrive at 2 pm
- Continuing to look for new board members

Vice President's Report: None

Secretary's Report:

- Carol motioned the approval of the August meeting minutes. Traci seconded the motion. Board voted and motion carries. Minutes were approved.
- 2018-2019 meeting dates
 - 10/09, 11/13, 01/08, 02/12, 03/12, 04/09, 05/14, 06/18

Treasurer's Report:

- Distributed the Profit and Loss & bank reconciliation for store and club
- Officially separated Club and Senior Party in Quickbooks
- Streamlined RevTrak for separated Senior Party account
 - Working on setting up new accounts for separate events
 - Plant Sale, Clothing, Yard signs, etc.
 - o Getting rid of Merchandise category since it is too general
- Merchant fee expense may all be going under senior party
 - Mary working on splitting the percentage fee we get charged from RevTrack
- Raised \$90 from Amazon Smile, Kowalski's receipts and Bread packages
- Mary is working on reconciling uncashed checks
- Gave Angie the Squares for the Senior Party

Communication's Report:

- Will update social media with Evereve information
- Print membership flyers for homecoming
- Start some print media for Paint the Town
- Put information about bread packages fundraising
- Has slowed down on membership info because of promoting currents events/activities

Committee Reports:

Membership/Website:

- Nicholle will update the website banners to coordinate with posters
- Shannon will update RecTrack
 - Update membership receipt about picking up activity passes
 - Confusion at last home football game with members picking up their passes
 - Maybe rethink our process of distribution
 - Tough to make it into the store between 11-2
 - Possibly mail passes with a thank you
 - People picking up passes drives business into the store
- Will send membership flyer email as a follow up to the letter that went out
 - Continue to send to past donors even if they don't currently have kids in school
 - Send email from Booster Store email not personal email account
- Jeff Erickson will send out an email about membership
- Denise sent membership flyer information to current volunteers
- Gwynn will hand out for PAC meetings each season
- Current membership 45 donors, \$6,225
 - Last year total was 69 donors, \$7,625

Booster Store:

- Revel systems are all running smoothly
- New volunteers were trained on 8/21
 - o About 30 new volunteers this year
- MMW did the \$50 new teacher coupons
 - Christine will invoice MMW and add the revenue to Revel
- Discussing using the Excelsior Chamber email for homecoming
- Booster Store will have a table at the Minnewashta elementary holiday secret shop

 Waiting on date, time and more information
- Deb working with Jackie at MHS to see if any glass displays are available in Nov/Dec to display holiday hours and merchandise
- Gently used Tonka Apparel donations in ongoing
 - Deb will reach out to MHS and middle school counselors to let them know we have items available for Minnetonka families in need
- Will get store gift cards up and running soon
- Spent \$53,000 for back to school merchandise, planning on \$11,000 reorder for conferences
- Working on getting new holiday merchandise
- Sales through August almost over \$1,000
- September sales have been great so far
- Discussed allowing MHS teachers to use the new octopus pdf
 - \circ $\;$ Agreed to allow the use for posters and teacher ballots
 - o Will inform them our concern over the use on other items ie: T-Shirts

Volunteer Coordinator:

- Everything is going smoothly
- Mostly full, very few openings

Fundraising:

- Evereve event will be on October 28th, 3-5:30 pm
 - We receive 15% back on sales
- Paint the Town Campaign
 - Paint our "M" logo for a fee on driveways
 - Chaska Booster made\$7-8,000 with this fundraiser
 - Charge \$25 per driveway
 - Stencil cost is \$75-100
 - o Do 2 colors
 - Pay through RevTrack
 - \circ $\,$ Mary looking into tax to make it an even \$25 $\,$
- Discussed the cookie/trail mix sale that was proposed at the last meeting
 - $\circ \quad \text{We will not proceed} \\$
 - Possible fundraiser for Senior Party
 - Too expensive to sell with purchase price at \$2.50
 - Would have to be approved by district since it is a food item

Senior Party

- Parent's Night Out at Peak Travel on November 1st, 2018
 - Cast & Cru donating food and staff
 - We pay for bartender
- Meeting at 6:30 at Hazelwood on Thursday the 13th
- Peachjar going out for bib and t-shirt sales
- The printing for the year was donated by a senior parent
- Mailer for PNO and the auction will go out to senior parents
- Looking into the possibility of each elementary school doing a canvas for the auction
- 20 donations for the auction so far
- People have committed to \$3,000 in sponsorships but haven't received any money yet
- Currently focusing on fundraising
- Angela will connect with Rebecca from last year about the website and domain
 - o Last year site still active and appears on searches

Old Business: None

New Business: : None

Adjourn: Meeting adjourned by Traci at 8:20 p.m.