Dayton Boosters Business Meeting

9/4/23 Dayton High School Media Center

Members Present:

Jeff and Melissa McCowen, Lucas and Brianna Collier, Avren Childers, Deena Bell-Potter, Rachel Hutchens, Sam Korslund, Misty and Jessie Yost, Darby and ______ Souza.

Meeting called to order at 5:03 pm

Rachel Read the Minutes: Lucas moved to approve the minutes as read. Misty seconded, and the motion passed.

Angie went over the financial report which is attached to these minutes. Total expenditures for 5/1/23-9/4/23 was \$6537.64 and total income for the same dates was \$8,879.26. The total in the Bank of Am Checking account as of 9/4/23 was \$10,203.85.

Angie also read a thankyou card from Benny Bryan (Attached).

Sam reported that the first football game went well except for some small logistics. The boys are growing and learning quickly. The NFHS cameras need to be fixed. Friday is another home game. Volleyball has a Jamboree Tuesday at 3:30 and first home game Thursday. There is a MS Football jamboree on 9/11.

Old business:

Membership-As of the 4th, we have 22 business sponsors. Total collected is \$12,250 with a profit of \$8,998.80 after expenses.

Lucas reported that Chief Springs restaurant will offer a Bulldog Booster pizza and the Mexican restaurant will offer a Bulldog Booster dish and make a \$1 donation to Boosters when ordered.

Membership forms due date was discussed. If we turn names into Bo by November 1st that should be enough time to get names up on display before first games. It was discussed and agreed that the due date of Nov 1st will be listed on the form. People can sign up at anytime during the year, but that will be the due date for the name sign in the gym. Melissa threw the thought out of perpetual membership. It would be automatically renewed unless requested by the member.

Rachel Volunteered to be the HS Football rep this fall.

Registration at the school—Peg worked the table and she is the bomb (but we already knew that!) we gained 2 new members.

Swag sale at the FB field—Sold \$110 worth of stuff. Peg and Nancy will work the VB game on Thursday Jessie thinks there are some hats somewhere that we can sell.

Color Run this will be on homecoming week, Oct 16th. DJ is good for the date. We will need volunteers for the stations and be sure we talk to the custodians.

New Business:

Swag-Bring back the booster seats. Big request from people. Pre-order would be okay.

PomPoms to the first 100 guests for FB and VB at games.

Peg moved to do a "Pass the Helmet" fundraiser to raise money for a specific improvement. At the discretion of the group. Rachel seconded and the motion passed.

There was plenty of discussion about what "specific improvement" we would do this for. Many ideas were suggested such as scoreboards and a new sound system. This topic was tabled for the sake of time and will be discussed later.

Brianna Collier was at the meeting to talk about cheerleading uniforms. She is working on uniform orders.

Angie moved to donate for purchases and/or needs that Brianna has up to \$200 for cheer club. Misty seconded and the motion passed.

Brianna did ask that the Cheerleaders can help Boosters when applicable. Brianna also mentioned that they are working on a cheer camp for young kids.

Angie moved to donate \$1000 to the Cheer Club to purchase cold weather gear. Avren seconded and the motion passed.

There is a DHS Parent info night in November. Everyone is welcome. This event is an appreciation night.

Peg mentioned that Cheerleaders used to make posters to put in the merchant windows back in the day. Also, Fridays were always crimson and gold day.

Rachel moved to spend up to \$100 per HS sport FB, VB, BB, SB, Baseball, Track, Golf for spirit gear for fans. Angie seconded and the motion passed.

Melissa encouraged everyone to glance at the other fundraising ideas on the agenda and take one on if you are passionate about it.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:29 pm

Minutes submitted by:

Secretary, Rachel Hutchens