

Solon Athletic Booster Meeting

June 26, 2018

Athletic Director: Mark McGuire (not there)

Secretary: Anna Laubscher

- Suggested having a Tailgate with the Boosters on Friday, Aug. 31st at the first home game against Twinsburg from 5-7 p.m. We would have membership tables and spirit wear tables and concessions would sell drinks and provide free snow cones. Ideas included food trucks (56 Kitchen? Caterology?), bounce houses and corn hole boards, asking the track people (Scott McColl) to set up their tents that we purchased and having posters/signs showing what the Boosters do and what we have donated this past year.
- Need to run idea by Erin Short and Mark McGuire, then advertise – signs around Solon, Twitter, Facebook

Treasurer: Kevin Weaver

- Suggestion made to hand out Scholarships on Senior Awards Night – will need to change application form.
- \$127,904 in our checking account and \$17,437 in Paypal.

Budget: Pete Brown (not there)

President Report: Nancy Westrich

- Tryout times posted for all fall sports. Final forms have been reset.
- Request: Swimming request from last month was discussed again with coach and he came back with different request. Instead of asking for Power Towers (3-4 at \$2760 each), he is requesting 2 power racks at \$1695 each. Total would be \$3390 + shipping. The current racks are old and rusty. May possibly need to purchase 5-10 additional warmups as team size is growing. Also considering the purchase of a top 10 board but unsure. Coach mentioned that Solon Stars swimming group has purchase a lot of equipment and is sharing it with them. Motion approved.

Advertising : new chair: Amy Schuman (not there)

- \$12,600 pledged to date. Are in the process of creating a tri-fold SC calendar for all fall sports. Suggestion made to hand out at back to school nights for those who sign up as members.

Communications: Marc Braun – (not there)

- Offering for \$100 a chance to put your company's logo on our Boosters webpage – logo will link to your company's website.

Membership: Carrie Caldwell

- Will keep early membership sign ups until Labor Day.

Parent Representative: Anne Harmody – (not there)

- No news

Concessions: Judy Rich (not there)

- Judy will be returning next chair with a co-chair – Lori Schwartz.

Spirit Store: Lisa Catalano (not there)

- No news

Athlete of the Week - Anna Laubscher

- Need to check with D& R to see if they would like to continue.

Scholarships: Shannon Wong

- No news

Golf Outing: Debbie Marks

- Outing is August 5th, need golfers! Starting earlier, light breakfast, tee time will be 10 a.m. lunch and dinner provided by Winking Lizard. Golf umbrellas as give-away (sponsored by Elk & Elk). Need 1 more large sponsor and more hole sponsors. Continue to sell ball drops.

New Business

- Now that levy has passed, discussion about approaching Mayor Kraus and Superintendent Joe Regano to set up a meeting. Needs are freshman soccer field, practice turf, indoor field house.

Meeting adjourned 7:35 p.m.