

## SOLON ATHLETIC BOOSTER MEETING MINUTES 3/16/2022

**Athletic Director's Report** – Winter sports big success. Many fans and people were in attendance.

- Boys Basketball – GCC champs
- Girls Basketball – GCC champs, district runner up
- Wrestling – GCC champs, 4 athletes made it to states
- Girls Swimming – GCC champs
- Diving – Dominique Robert – State Champ
- Bowling – District qualifier
- Indoor Track – 25 qualifiers for states, 4x8 team qualified for nationals meet in NY

Spring sports has started. Scrimmages started and games will be starting this weekend.

Coach Wiz (football) attended the meeting. Football requested 12 new headsets for a total of \$11,000. Old headsets are unable to be repaired, almost obsolete. Allison Jenkins motioned to approved the request, Rob Farley second. 10 unanimously approved the request.

**Secretary Report** – minutes from last meeting are posted.

**Treasurer's Report** – Key Bank checking deposits were driven by February Fundraiser activities, Spirit Store sales, concessions. KeyBank Credit card expense were driven mainly by February Fundraiser activities. PayPal deposits for this period were driven by February Fundraiser registration.

Total assets as of February 28, 2022 is \$129,248.46.

**President's Report** – Thanks to Nancy Westrich for all her support! Nancy has done so much for all school activities and the city of Solon.

Middle School – no requests

Golf Request – Coach Pinney has requested 12 new golf bags @ \$200 each for a total of \$2,400. 6 bags for each of the teams. Allison Jenkins motioned to approved the request, Rob Farley second. 10 unanimously approved the request.

Girls Lacrosse Request – Coach Mandry has requested 5 additional overcoats at \$100 each for a total of \$500. Additionally 10 bags at \$65 each for total of \$650. Total request \$1,150. The team continues to increase players. We now have a full JV and Varsity team. Allison Jenkins motioned to approved the request, Rob Farley second. 10 unanimously approved the request.

Welcome Mr. Carter in attendance he is a new lifetime member. His daughters are on the softball team.

### **Committee Reports**

**Advertising/Program** – Team pictures are Friday. Shout out request will be sent out to parents.

**Spotlight Athlete** – no report

**Communications** – no report

**Concessions** – Music Parents reps and Athletic Booster need to meet to determine how concessions should be run next year. A committee needs to be established to help support the committee chairs. Staffing concessions continues to be a challenge. Music parents work outdoor and Athletic Booster runs indoor.

**Golf Outing** – no report

**Comet Classic** – no report

**February Fundraiser** – Thank you to everyone that attended and helped. Profit from event is ~\$20,000. Online auction program was a huge help for tracking. Our contract is for one year. Other committees may benefit from this. Interest from Membership and Advertising to learn more. Jill offered to show a tutorial on the application.

**Membership** – 381 members total, \$38,820 collected, \$100 outstanding.

**Parent Rep** – Evaluating learnings from this past year.

February Fundraiser - Challenge with the collecting the team baskets. Hard to get responses from reps. Suggestions included collecting the monetary donation during the season instead of trying to collect when teams are in off season or haven't collected yet (like Spring).

Parent Rep – updating the handbook needed. Also may be good to have a parent rep meeting to review the responsibilities and clarify any questions. Chick-fil-A – should we track when they are used?

**Scholarships** – Readings taking place. 35 applicants. Next meeting will propose budget at next meeting. Everyone in agreement to trust the committee to distribute and allocate the money. They are reviewing what the rules should be for determining the distribution of the awards. Part of the scholarships are named scholarship by the donors.

**Spirit Store** - Last month we have not had a lot of sales. Net sales were \$477.60. We took our time inventorying and attaching barcodes to each item to make check out easier. We also placed large orders for next year's styles. Since the Spirit Store wall was completed, we are grateful with how it's been functioning and how it looks with the blue painted wall behind it.

**Solon Relays** – May 5<sup>th</sup>, Solon will host 6-7 teams. This is a Booster sponsored event. Rob met with Coach Iwan. We will charge an admission and have concessions. As of now Music parents run the concessions since this is an outdoor event.

Queen of Hearts still alive at Rollhouse. Thursday nights, percentage of the pot goes to the Athletic Boosters. Join us!