

BEAVERTON

BOOSTER CLUB

Meeting Minutes December 9, 2014

In attendance:

Nancy Wargo, Scott Reames, Ricky Lusk, Margie Lusk, Danielle Wood, Shelly Gourlay, Teresa Dunham, Betsy Lavey, Anne Erwin, Casey Cornwell, Lisa Sandmire, Cathy Martin, Patsy Nelson, Paul Kerkar, Sallee Lines

President Scott Reames called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

Approve Minutes:

November minutes- Motion to approve: Shelley Gourlay, 2nd: Patsy Nelson- approved unanimously

Student Body Update-Casey Cornwell

There was an assembly on Monday, 12/8 designed to “bring people together to build a community based on respect”.

BHS adopted 34 families; all but 9 families have been adopted. There are giving trees around the school for people to help adopt the other families. Some items that are needed are: toiletries, toilet paper, cleaners and grocery gift cards. The list will go out on social media.

January 12-16 is Perspectives Week, which focuses on diversity.

Leadership elections are coming up. Incoming freshmen will apply in spring.

Week of Wishes Presentation: Nick, Cole and Peter

Goal is to raise \$15,000 and be able to grant three wishes. Group asked for \$500 sponsorship from Boosters. Motion to approve: Scott Reames, 2nd: Shelley Gourlay-approved unanimously

There was also discussion about Booster Club Board working concessions the night of Jam the Dam and donating the normal concession grant to Week of Wishes.

Principal Update-Anne Erwin

The School Based Health Clinic will be had its grand opening on December 5th. The ribbon cutting was very successful. Attended by Suzanne Bonamici and several Washington county representatives. Students were active in the whole process of getting the clinic designed and marketed. The students also held assemblies to educate the student body about the clinic. It is awaiting federal approval before it can be opened fully staffed.

BHS is starting its freshmen transition early this year; interested families can contact Jason Sarmiento to set up a shadow day. The tours during the Holiday Bazaar went well, in all about 25 families got tours of the building. Freshman Orientation night will be in February (19th?)

BHS along with the entire Beaverton School District is offering AVID classes to some students as an elective. The program focuses on college readiness, organization skills and time management skills. The class targets 1st generation college students with mid range G.P.A.s. Next year, BHS will have one class for sophomores and 2 classes for freshmen.

Summer school '8.5' was successful last year and will be repeated this year. More information will be coming.

Other upcoming programs/events to boost student achievement, all 9th graders this year will be going to a college campus with funds from last year's summer school, Saturday Scholars Program will be starting the Saturday after Winter Break to help struggling 9th grade students build success and hope and finally, BHS just added a Robotics Club and is considering adding an “Engineering Path” to the curriculum guide.

Thanks to the Boosters from the staff for the luncheon.

Holiday Bazaar-Margie Lusk

The bazaar went well with \$4400 in income. It was and is a great reflection of BHS with student volunteers playing music and helping vendors. It is a great community building opportunity. Next year looks to be just as successful with ½ of the vendor booths already booked. Committee may look at expanding next year.

Treasurers Update-Paul Kerkar

The big jump in concessions non-food was to replace the popcorn machine lost in the fire.

Funds Requests

No funds request except for the request from Week of Wishes.

Centennial Task Force-Lisa Sandmire

Task force has met three times and all subcommittees have met. At the last task force meeting, logo options were reviewed and there was discussion of creating a permanent 100-year timeline installation.

Teachers are looking at a curriculum piece with research and writing about BHS history (would be in the 2015-2016 school year).

Kick off will be June 8, 2016, then during Homecoming 2016, induct the Hall of Achievement and have a banquet.

More volunteers are still needed. The committee will come to the January meeting with a communication plan.

Concessions Update – Margie Lusk & Sallee Lines

January 16th and February 13th are still open spots for concession shifts.

Other Business and Final Comments:

Grad night committee will be hosting a Poker/Bunco night with a silent auction on March 7, 2015 to raise funds for Grad night. Spread the word, as this is their main fundraiser, and sign up early, as there are limited spots.

Sheet handed out for possible fundraising opportunity for a group: Milkman's Back

We are still looking for an Alumni Liaison for the Booster Club Board. The position does not need to be filled with an alum. We need someone to reach out to reunion committees, facilitate tours and request donations.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15