

MEETING MINUTES

Agenda - Boosters General Meeting Sept 5, 2019 6pm

Presiding Officer: Gigi Rush

6pm:

Call meeting to order 6:18pm

Attending officers; Gigi, Amy, Marisela, Jaima, Daniela and Alison. Also attended by parents Rose and Candace.

6:05 - 6:20pm:

Welcome and introductions of Board Members and Binkley Staff.

6:20 - 7pm:

Binkley Town Hall Meeting:

- Gigi - Reading of the Booster Vision Statement
 - “Binkley Boosters parent Club strives to create a helpful and supportive community where a team spirit is genuinely expressed between faculty, students and parents. We seek to inspire innovation and change in a friendly and welcoming environment where all students are enabled to learn and thrive.”
- Gigi - Notification of upcoming events planned
 - Welcome Back Party 13th 6pm
 - Raffle prizes are being worked on by Ally and Alison will reach out to see what the update is and then report back on Slack. We need to make sure we give top precedents to the upcoming Read-A-Thon prizes over the raffle.
 - Prizes to look into; Coldstones book marks and Baskin Robbins gift certificates
 - Popcorn is ready to be picked up – Gigi will confirm that we have bags
 - Food trucks confirmed
 - Bake sale again! We need to make sure we have lots of bake sale items. It will be added to the Sign Up Genius. Gigi has made a banner for the bake sale items
 - Can we setup a coffee/hot cocoa station
 - We should try to have volunteers do face painting next year and plan this in advance in order to get enough volunteers. We will test this out at the winter party
- Alison - Discuss upcoming RAT
 - For top classes we can do either a pizza or pancake party through the school. We don't have a cost on this yet.

- We have an email ready to go to all the teachers giving them a run down on the RAT and the packets have been delivered to the school. Alison will distribute packets to the teachers next week so they can go home.
- Our goal is \$10,000 this year as this is what we have been able to achieve these past two years.
- Ally has been distributing a corporate support letter as this is something that we have not pursued in the past. We should try to incorporate more community support.
- We just need to finalize prizes
- Principal Kjaer - Discuss where booster funds have gone and will go – Mrs. Kjaer was unable to attend
- What are our parents priorities this year? How would they like to help?
 - Bake sale is popular!
 - Do we have an online fundraiser portal to make it easy? We do! We should promote this better. Maybe parents need a flyer to let parents know all the ways they can donate. What about getting a magnet made with our info?

7pm - 7:30pm:

New Business:

- Alison - Present 2019-2020 Boosters budget
 - This years big fundraisers/parties are the RAT, Halloween Party, Winter Holiday Party, See's candy (we may be able to continue this sale throughout the following years as this may no longer be in violation of the Wellness policy, we will find out more later!), Color Run (which we are changing our format for and making free for all attendees potentially but having items for sale instead), Spring fundraiser which is yet to be determined and we are hoping to raise \$10,000 at this event. This will be a fundraiser culminating in a fun spring event like a carnival. Daniela is still looking for another sales fundraiser to replace the spring See's fundraiser.
 - We use these funds to give the school a check each year as well as give the teachers stipend checks.
 - Spiritwear has been ordered and we have a new flyer and form for this and it should be ready for the Welcome Back Party
- Vote on approval of new budget – Gigi called and Alison seconded and the budget approved!
- Daniela - Ideas/plans for Dine and Donate
 - Will book with McDonalds first and then book more
 - Call Rosso because there will be one for each school

- Places we have booked before and we will book again Ozzie's, Mary's, Boudin
- Dutch Brothers, Fruta, La Cantina, Mountain Mike's, Yogurt Time (we usually book this at the same time as Mary's), Papa Murphy's, Baskin Robbins, Tomatino's, Basilico, Cattleman's – can parents buying gift certificates on the dine and donate count
- Allie - Discuss the need for a small group of volunteers to gather donation items to use throughout the year for various fundraisers including, corporate sponsors – She was unable to attend the meeting
- Gigi discuss opening for a parent volunteer coordinator – maybe Candace in the front office would be interested in this? Jaima will talk to her. The volunteer coordinator needs to get the appropriate number of volunteers for each event
- Corporate sponsorship subcommittee - Carrie has said that she would be interested in this so Daniela will talk to her about it and connect her with Gigi. Rose is interested in doing this as well. Ally can head this. We will make a sub committee to work on this goal! Rose, Carrie (if she would still like to do this), Ally and other Boosters when they can.
- SPAC update
 - The district did confirm that the bill for the movie presentations is something that they would like us to pay for. They have paid for it previously and it is a bill that comes due every three years. All the PTO's requested that the district pay this or pay a portion of it and we will hear back before the bill is due. Additionally, we will be charged \$300 extra to play a movie outdoors so we should add this into our budgeting going forward.
 - Gigi suggested a district wide event to the other PTOs
- Make a poster for BoxTops to put up all over the school. And then potentially do a BoxTops station at events/in front of school

7:30pm – Adjourned