

OA Field Hockey Boosters
Meeting, March 11, 2019
Location: 19 Wenlock Circle
7:00 pm

Present:

Laurie Han
Kate Welch
Melissa Gilman
Sharon Lawrence
Lynn Lake
Sarah Anestam
Lynn Dionne

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Talked briefly about filing a tax return for 2018.

Minutes:

Motion to approve minutes from last meeting
Seconded
Allowed

Treasurer's report:

Lynn discussing whether or not taxes should be filed; they will discuss and report back at the next meeting

Fundraisers:

Summer clinic:

Sarah did the flyer and the waiver
discussion of the wording in the waiver regarding medical attention (see edits)
Sarah to edit and then she will take to the superintendent's office, and then bring it to RO, EMS, and the elementary schools

Luke Carroll said OK to put up posters and send flyer home if it's OK'd by the superintendent

Insurance will cost \$360 (see agenda)

Staff and volunteers: Sharon will get volunteers depending on the number of girls

Shirts: Sharon is looking into shirts/pinnies. Shirts \$10/each for volunteers; pinnies double sided cost about \$15

Location: turf is reserved; if weather is bad the kids can go into EMS per Luke Carroll. Laurie is submitting the request.

Supplies: There was some discussion about goggles; should we ask the girls to bring them? At the end of the discussion it was decided that the girls should have to bring goggles

Other fundraisers:

Paw prints: We could do it for one month, like the month of May before graduation. There would be three good weekends in May totalling five or six days. It could generate a decent amount of money. The advertisement should be geared towards the graduating senior on a first come/first served basis.

\$25 for one/\$40 for two

Fernandes donated the paint last time; have to see if they will donate again.

Everyone present was on board with the idea.

Scholarships: Stacey Gennis, Sandra Costello, and Melissa Gilman are on the committee. The scholarship letter will be the same this year. Every senior should get money if they actually submit the letter.

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By Laws:

We reviewed the Oliver Ames High School Booster Policy drafted by Bill Matthews

Laurie took some language from this policy and incorporated it into the OAFH Boosters policy.

We went through the proposed bylaws by Laurie and made some significant headway. Kate will edit them after detailed discussion, and we will vote on them next time.

We discussed having Executive members at large - 5 – Melissa Gilman, Lisa Stryke, Sandra Costello, Lynn, Christina Webb, Stacey Gennis? Tweet out to see if there is any interest

We also discussed possibly filling the vice president slot

Membership term: September 1 to August 31 annually

We discussed adding a Social media committee, and having maybe two people to run it every year

Dues: \$100; should a line be added in regarding the inability to pay. The inability to pay the dues will not deny membership to the OAFH Boosters.

We then discussed what everyone will be doing between this meeting and next meeting. Decided the following:

Lynn – tax stuff

Sarah – flyer

Melissa – paw print

Laurie – David Twombly and insurance

Sharon – tshirts and pinnies

Then Sharon brought up apparel. She talked about Team Connection which is an online catalog. They can open a store online for a time certain. She asked about the captain's package and if the Boosters make any money on the packages. Sharon is willing to help the girls put together a captain's package. She would like to stay local. The feeling was that this would be helpful.

Meeting adjourned 8:45 pm.

Next meeting Monday April 22. Location to be determined