

Twinsburg Athletic Booster Minutes

10/12/2015

TAB Members present: Tim Cain, Gary Sorace, Annemarie Grammens, Cynthia Bennardo, Diane Zochowski, Pam Kleinman, Pam Callow, Bill O'Connor, Pam Hobart, Jim Willmott, Michelle Willmott, Shannon Collins, Tracey Mazany, Ed Clement, Don Mazany, Laurie Jaskiewicz, Kelly Zimmerman, Mike Bell, Carolyn Sippy, Brain Fantone, Brian Sako, Rocco Bennardo

The meeting was called to order @ 7:07 p.m. by President Tim Cain. A motion to approve the minutes of the last TAB meeting was made by Jim Willmott and was seconded by Kelly Zimmerman, the motion passed unanimously.

Athletic Director's Report: Playoff draws: Girls Volley Ball playoff 6pm Tues. Oct. 20th against Aurora at Solon High School . Boys soccer Wednesday Oct 21nd At Hudson. , Girls Soccer hosting game at Twinsburg Oct. 22nd playing winner or Aurora and Stow. Cross Country at Suburban Cross Country. Boys Golf, playing at Pine hills country club in regionals.

Blow up Tiger Head used by soccer and middle school. Positive feedback from parents and players.

Homecoming parade went well. Next year's date has already been chosen and planning to continue parade.

Flowers for senior night is well received and thanks to Gary for dropping them off.

Winter sports meeting is Nov16th at 6pm. Pay to Play for Winter sports are due Nov 16th as well. Winter sports pictures for THS and RBC on Nov 17th.

Fall Sports Banquet is Thursday Nov. 12th 7:00pm at THS.

coaches that are members of TAB: coach Schafer, Coach Bell, and Gary Sorace

Playoff Concessions: There are two regional soccer games the first week of Nov. Brian has submitted for 4 playoff football games. We have potential to host 4 games in Nov. that we can provide concessions. Nov 13-14 and 20-21st. Band done with concessions on Oct. 23rd. Maximize stadium in November.

Friday football 10/16 is staff appreciating night. Recognition of staff from K-12 chosen by the football players. There will be a Blue Tiger award for staff member chosen through essay written by players.

Committee Reports:

Financial/Treasury: Gary Sorace provided account balances. School has not provided TAB with a bill for the Hall of Fame.

TAB ACCOUNT BALANCES		
Total Balance	\$ 107,753.69	\$ 107,753.69
Hall of Fame	\$ (30,000.00)	\$ 77,753.69
Scholarships	\$ (10,000.00)	\$ 67,753.69
Football	\$ (12,139.00)	\$ 55,614.69
Girls Basketball	\$ (3,793.00)	\$ 51,821.69
Boys Golf	\$ (5,378.00)	\$ 46,443.69
Cheerleaders	\$ (1,388.00)	\$ 45,055.69
Girls Soccer	\$ (3,642.00)	\$ 41,413.69
Wrestling	\$ (1,876.00)	\$ 39,537.69
RBC wrestling	\$ (1,127.00)	\$ 38,410.69
Swim Team	\$ (579.00)	\$ 37,831.69
Volleyball	\$ (542.00)	\$ 37,289.69
Brick Sales	\$ (4,957.00)	\$ 32,332.69
Awards	\$ (2,500.00)	\$ 29,832.69
Banners	\$ (10,000.00)	\$ 19,832.69
non-allocated funds		\$ 19,832.69

Membership/PR: Carolyn Sippy update: 93 members so far this year. 40 new members and 53 return members. For Fall Sports: Cheerleading, Boys Cross Country, and Football have made their 30% membership. Tim has asked Brian to communicate the change in the bi-laws to the coaches that they need a 30% membership to obtain their full fundraising revenue.

Membership Breakdown	
\$30 members	41
\$50 members	23
\$100 members	21
coaches/alumni	3
corporate sponsors	5
Total membership	93

Program: By 3rd game most people had bought a program. 2/3 volunteers needed for home games. Tim to obtain contact information for company in Streetsboro that will do programs for us. Girls soccer had own program so they weren't sold at their games and very few were sold at the indoor events. By Nov. TAB meeting need decision on the winter sports program. Hockey starts in Nov. Girls basketball starts Nov. 30th. First Boys basketball game is Dec. 1st. Left over programs will be handed out for athletes at the Fall Sports banquet. Put membership forms in the programs to hand out at banquet.

Hospitality: Pam Hobert: 2 volleyball games this week. Friday night football is bringing in well over 1,000 per game. Pam is depleting the stock we have before buying new. Volley ball has concessions for week of Oct. 14th. Bowling is running concession for the Chamber of Commerce Clambake selling water and pop. Sam's no longer selling Brat's. Jim Willmott will buy brats from Gordon's and give Pam/Gary receipt for reimbursement. TAB is putting in for Nov concessions. Pam deserve extra recognition for the great job she has done running the concessions at a very low inventory. Hot Dog roller is missing from indoor concession stand. Pam made Motion to spend up to \$250 on a Hot Dog Roller for indoor concessions. Seconded by Carolyn Sippy. Motion was unanimously approved.

Old business:

Bylaws: New bylaws in play as written. Bylaws can be changed at any time by amendment.

Tiger Tunnel: used for all home games. Good feedback. Tunnel needs washed and dried prior to winter storage.

Senior Banners: All corrections are made on the banners. Shannon Collins purchased the carabiners. Banners are not left out due to concern for vandalism. We leave our stadium open at all times where other stadiums are locked up.

Brick Sale: Bricks to go up over winter break.

Corporate Banners: Corporate banners and Signs need to be more visible in stadium. A Better Corporate sponsorship area needs to be identified. Potentially spotlighted. Brain Sako suggested area on hill wear long jump/shot put is at that could be lighted to get better visibility.

New Business:

Concessions: In-team concessions will be offered to that coach. Girls basketball has to commit to staffing all 3 games. If they cannot staff TAB will offer to other teams.

Volleyball bake sale is competing with concession stand by selling water and pizza. Outside of Dig Pink night water and pizza should only be sold in concession stand and should not compete with TAB.

Policy suggested for custodial staff who are under the impression that they get free concessions from TAB.

Hot dog and drink is fine but expectation of free food should be limited. Coach Chris Schaffer has already requested concessions for baseball.

Playoff Concessions: Main concession stand need 8-10 people to staff. 10 people needed for parking. \$3 for parking that goes to TAB. Brian Sako has volunteered to coordinate parking for playoffs other than Nov. 14th.

Parent Rep for Concessions: Pam Callow will talk to coach Lally about being parent rep for boys soccer. Lally or Fantone to email Tim Cain to confirm.

TAB surplus: Jim Willmott suggested we start looking at spending the funds not allocated on a need for the athletes. Jim suggested the weight rooms or a new locker room as potential projects. \$100,000 was spent 7 years ago on a new weight room at the school. Corporate sponsorships have been offered in the past. Jim Willmott will lead a committee to work on corporate sponsorships for improvement of facilities.

Volunteerism: Shannon Collins request for next meeting for effort being made to streamline volunteerism. On-line form with link to sign up for TAB tournament or Twinsdays suggested to get better turnout. Don't list areas where we already have committed coverage.

Website: website update for next meeting. URL had expired and is now re-issued. Looking at new webmaster to update site.

The next TAB meeting will be held on 11/9/2015 at THS room E104 @7:00 p.m.

Motion for adjournment made by Carolyn Sippy, seconded by Shannon Collins. Motion passed unanimously Tab

Meeting Adjourned @ 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Annemarie Grammens, TAB Secretary