

Novi Athletic Boosters

Minutes for January 09th, 2013

Attendance: Ray Notarantonio (Field Hockey, Soccer), Dana Nussio (Girls Soccer and Girls Swim and Dive), Cathy Schramm (LAX-Boys), Jack Kilgore, John Lesko (Middle School), Cindy Hanby (Softball, Ski), Mary Ann Roney, Rayunza Hood, Carol; Sprys (AD Secretary), Maggie Sheeran, Butch Wingfield, Angela Johnson, Brittani Kiel, Mark Tobias and Bruce Miller.

President Ray Notarantonio called the meeting to order at 6:35PM. Introductions and team reports: The hockey team had some success on their annual trip to the UP. JV Basketball Team undefeated.

1. Secretary's Report: Mary Ann Roney

Minutes from December's meeting were presented for approval. Motion to approve amended minutes made by Angela; second, John Lesko. Motion passed.

2. Treasurer's Report: John Lesko

John Lesko presented Treasure's Report for period ending, December 31st, 2012. Motion to approve made by Mark Tobias, second, Cathy Schramm, Motion passed.

John made a motion to restrict \$80,000 for use for the weight room expansion project. Second Dana Nussio. Motion passed.

Committee Reports:

3. Athletic Directors report: Carol Sprys

- Brian at his Daughters Cheer event.
- Angela would like a parent rep from every team at the Boosters meetings.
- Cathy asked Carol about the coaches Spirit wear, Do they have to purchase their own? Yes
- AD department looking for Boys and Girls LAX coaches
- Questions again about Strength and Conditioning trainers
- Jack shared that he observed the weight room completely full, athletes spilling out into the hallways.

4. Concessions Update: Angela Johnson

- 2 big events coming up.
- JV Porn never received their assignments from the Varsity coach
- Robotic event did fairly well \$900
- 3rd bag needs a set of keys.
- Saturdays menu a little different than week night evenings
- Please get your deposit slips to John ASAP, Don't wait until the end of the month.

5. Website/Facebook: Dana Nussio

- The Meeting minutes are on the site now
- Donate Now button still in the works with paypal
- Looking into wosweet and google analytics for info on the traffic to our website. Steve Johnson will help with this.
- Facebook- everyone needs to recommend to their "friends" to like us.
- Dana will come up with a contest to help this along.

6. Spirit Wear: Maggie Sheeran

- Over \$10,000 fall and winter combined
- Detroit LAX no orders yet
- Talk on Varsity Jackets, Where people order from, why they order there, etc...
- We feel that a letter should go with each earned Varsity letter promoting our approved Vendor.
- Big Frog no orders yet.
- We need help from Brian on Team Sports. They need to respond back to us quicker. They updated their computer system and need time to learn it. Ray will talk to them and see what can be done to address this issue.

7. Sports program update: Jack Kilger

- Sports program delivered on the 4th, Sponsors copies were mailed on the 7th.

Open Topics:

- **Committee Chairs:** Open positions to be posted on the website.

- **Craft Show fundraiser:** The Show has been listed on many websites. Channel 10 and Flyers were hung in stores. Jack is looking for Business to Sponsor event. He is also looking for volunteers to co-ordinate Bake-sale, Volunteers and Sign committees. There have been 10 crafters apps sent in. He is working with Coach Burnside for volunteers from the football teams. For a successful event we need commitments fro all coaches and teams.
- **Supporters Recognition night:** This Friday, great turn out from supporters so far, Script is written. Need to figure out who is going first and who will hand out plaques.
- **Twitter:** Angela passed out a sheet for twitter/social media, mapping out the boosters goals. Steve Johnson has been following our supports and in turn they usually follow us. Also following students that have graduates from NHS. Using quotes as tweets.
- **Misc.:** Outback Steak house dining to donate on Feb 11, 2013. Also vote for Wildcats on Outback's site for a chance for us to win \$5,000.
- **Tastefest-** date needed for the event.

Meeting adjourned by Ray at 8:19PM.