

Eisenhower Cadet Volleyball Booster Meeting

May 3, 2010

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Present: Angie Brown, Cindi Fitterer, Lisa Gredvig, Cassie Gordon, Heather Hein, Jo Johnston, Donna & Bob Nevins, Kathy Ortiz, Carrie Skahan-White

Heather Hein, Ike Volleyball Boosters Vice-President, called the meeting to order at 6:40 p.m.

Minutes: Minutes from April 6, 2010 meeting was reviewed and a motion was made to approve the minutes as presented, seconded and unanimously approved.

Treasurer's Report: A brief summary of the account was presented, GM2 deposits are slowly coming in. The 2010 budget was presented for review.

After a few adjustments, a motion was made to approve the budget as identified, seconded and unanimously approved. **CLOSED**

Budgetary discussion ensued and the highlights were:

- Sandwiches for Away Games - Historically, the boosters have paid for the away game meals which consisted of a sub type sandwich, drink and cookie. Prices were obtained from Costco, Subway and Market Place Deli. Market Place Deli, which is also owned by a grandparent of a team player, quoted the lowest price. She will provide a turkey & ham sub platter with lettuce/tomato and condiments on the side for \$31 + tax. The sandwich sections will be 5-6 inches and each platter will serve a team. She also will provide croissants for variety. The platters are oblong and will fit in the ice chests. Coach Ackerman prefers water for the drink. It was suggested that each team designate a point person to provide the cookie/snack for their own team players. Volunteers will be solicited at the start of the season. Additionally, a parent volunteer will be designated as the point person for each of the six away games to maintain order with food distribution. Total number of games 6 x 60 (players and coaches/team trainer). **CLOSED**
- Senior Night - Projecting six seniors for the 2010 varsity team. In the past poster sized framed prints were presented to each senior, which averaged about \$50 per print plus frame. A smaller sized print was suggested. A 12 x 18 sized individual portrait (\$5.99) plus a senior group photo was recommended. Angie B. has volunteered to take the pictures unless another source (Yakima Herald or Russ Dix) is identified. **CLOSED**
- Concessions/Round Up - Cassie G. volunteered to coordinate with Coach Ackerman in order to obtain spirit material (necklaces, bracelets, tattoos, bumper stickers) from Oriental Trading or a similar company to order trinkets for sale at home football/basketball games and Round Up. It was also suggested that Boosters sale an IKE t-shirt at Round Up. Cassie G. will contact Coach Ackerman for a shirt source. **OPEN**
- Donna N. volunteered to contact the Band Boosters POC, Tracy Jones NLT August to ask for 2 football and 2 basketball concession stand sales opportunities. Heather H. volunteered to donate an Airpot coffee sales. Adult and team volunteers will be needed. **TABLED.**
- Spirit Pack/Clothing Sales - Last year's fan clothing arrived late in the volleyball season. It was suggested that advertising begin earlier and to have the fan order form ready for the Parent/Athlete Team meeting in September. It was also suggested that a booth be set up at lunchtime to generate fan interest. Donna N. will look into the company that was used last season and bring the flyer for Booster consideration. **OPEN**
- Yard Sale - 8/7 - 6AM - 1PM - Donna N. is to file the Facility Use form with the school district. Location is to be the grassy area by the Ike Senior parking. Sale items are to be brought on the day of the sale. Volunteers will be needed. At least two canopies will be needed. Sale of water, soda and ice pops. Monies raised will go in the general fund. **OPEN**
- Car Washes - Donna N. volunteered to coordinate two car washes for an opportunity for athletes to earn monies toward Gold Medal Camp (GM2). Workers will divide funds raised. Possible dates are May 22 and June 13. Presale tickets will be created. Suggested sites - Les Schwab and Auto Zone. **OPEN**

OLD BUSINESS:

AAU Best in the West Basketball Fundraiser – Washington Middle School 5/7-9 Girls & 5/14-16 Boys – Chair Donna Nevins – Donna N. will pick up the key, access code for the gym and AAU packet on Thursday. She will be emailing out the roster tonight to remind everyone of their time/position. Athletes are encouraged to wear Ike VB t-shirts. Coach Ackerman has requested that the concession positions be opened to athletes allowing more positions for greater opportunities to earn funds to GM2. Boosters agreed that there were sufficient funds to pay for these extra positions. Just a reminder, the Boosters pays each athlete \$9 an hour which goes toward their GM2 camp fees.

An email was sent out requesting donations for concessions which was met with limited response. Donna N. and Jo J. will make a food run for concession sales. Donna volunteered her family to prepare the food for sale. A local sale of drinks was identified and the following will be purchased for concession sales: 10 x 24 waters, 8 x 6 Gatorades, 5 x 24 sodas and 1 x 6 Lipton Teas. At the end of week one, an inventory will be taken to ascertain if additional merchandise will be needed. Donna N. will also coordinate the cash boxes each week and distribute 30% of gate funds to AAU. Day Captain parent volunteers are still needed for May 9th. Another email will be sent out, followed by phone calls. A request was made for the use of 3 ice chests for concessions. An overview will be presented at the next meeting. **OPEN**

Middle School Camp, June 1-3 - 3:30 - 6PM Chairs Angie Brown and Merri Mineard – Distribution of flyers (200) was made two weeks ago. Announcements were placed in the Yakima Herald's sports calendar section and on ikevb.com. Cassie G. volunteered to post the camp on her business reader board, Tom Tom Espresso. There still have been no registrants. Coach Ackerman will be post on the IKE reader board and talk to middle school coaches. He is also getting the banner prepared for posting on the corner of Tieton and 40th. Coach Ackerman has ordered the shirts and water bottles. Volunteers are needed for registration each day. Snacks (ice pops/popsicles and leftover cookie dough fundraiser product) will be distributed daily. An overview will be presented at the next meeting. **OPEN**

Gold Medal Squared (GM2) Camp June 21-24 8am-5pm – Chair: Angie Brown - Commitment is for 24 players (up to 36) and 2 coaches. The flyer has been distributed and it is also posted on ikevb.com. 23 players have signed up and 10 deposits have been received. Angie B. will email statements to the athletes for their outstanding balances.

The Dixes have consented to the use of their home for housing the coaches. Coach Ackerman will be in charge of picking up the GM2 coaches. Dinners will need to be coordinated for the evenings of June 21-24 for two coaches. Cassie G. volunteered to provide breakfasts from Tom Tom Espresso. **OPEN**

Central Washington Volleyball Tournament, Ellensburg, June 19-20 - Reminder - Entry fee is \$225 and is to be paid by May. Coach Ackerman will select participants from the varsity players first and then complete the roster with those that are interested. Rides are to be coordinated. **OPEN**

Computer – Hardware/Software – Statistical Program – Deferred.

Spikers – Account Balance/Ratio of Players – The percentage of Ike players is 40% which was deemed acceptable. **CLOSED**

Tax Exempt Status - Donna N. reported that she has filed for the Boosters tax exempt status with both state and federal agencies. The UBI and 501C status were established with the name Eisenhower Cadet Volleyball Boosters. An update will be reported at the next meeting. **OPEN**

NEW BUSINESS:

Bylaws - Additions/Deletions - Deferred.

Additional Fundraisers - Deferred.

DYE Physicals - The DYE school physicals are scheduled for June 8 at Franklin. Fees are nominal. **CLOSED**

2010 COMMITTEES

Spirit Packs and Uniforms – Chair: Donna Nevins

Round-Up – Sept. 12, Chair: Cassie Gordon -

Cookie Dough/Magazine Fundraiser – Sept. 2-16 Chair: Jo Johnston - NOTE for next year - In years past, cookie

dough was sold at Round-Up and by coaches. Brochure previously agreed to utilize *Cookie Dough & more!* as it had cookie dough, pizza, entrees and other desserts. All products will be **pre-sorted by seller for delivery**. Red Apple will provide an incentive prize for the top sellers for each team.

Team Programs – Chair: Angie Brown

Varsity Game Throws – Chair: Carrie Skahan- Reminder - Coach Ackerman volunteered to order small volleyballs and candy for the throws.

Sandwiches Away Games – Chair: Cassie Gordon - Market Place Deli.

Rock Band Contest Fundraiser – Chair:

Senior Night - Chair:

Senior Scholarships – Chair:

Awards Banquet - Chair:

Coaches Comments – None

Try-Outs - 8/23-27/10 - Setters 3:30PM All others 4-6PM & 7-9PM- Reminder - Volunteers are needed for the first days of try-outs to help with registration, name tags, etc.

Volleyball – Timeline (subject to change):

May 7-9	AAU Basketball Fundraiser	Washington Middle School 8AM-5PM
May 14-16	AAU Basketball Fundraiser	Washington Middle School 8AM-5PM
June 1-3	Middle School Camp	Eisenhower Gym 3:30-6PM
June 5-6	Holwegner Tournament	Yakima Athletic Club
June 19-20	Central Washington UN Tournament I	Ellensburg
June 21-24	Gold Medal Squared Camp	Eisenhower Gym 8AM-5PM
July	Summer League	Eisenhower Gym Tuesday evenings 6-9PM
August 7	Yard Sale Fundraiser	Eisenhower Senior Parking Area 8AM-1PM
August 23-26	Tryouts	Eisenhower Gym 4-6PM & 7-9PM
August 27	Team Posting	Eisenhower Gym
Sept. 2-16	Cookie Dough Fundraiser	
Sept. 9-11	Sundome Invitational	Sundome/YVCCC
Sept. 10	Round Up Fundraiser	Eisenhower Stadium

Reminder – Winter conditioning. Conditioning is occurring every day after school through August.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:40 p.m. **Next meeting will be Monday, 6/8/10 at 6:30 p.m. at Pizza Hut 40th & Kern Road.**