

RHS Booster Club Meeting Minutes December 21, 2015

Officers Attendance:

Kris Denevan
Collin Moriarty
Brad Brown

President
Vice President
Treasurer

Judy Aldrich
Casey Meile

Secretary
Activities Director

Activity Attendance:

Activity	Representative Name
Band	Kristi Irsfeld
Baseball	Judy Aldrich
Bowling	
Boys Basketball	
Boys Golf	Coach Lanham, Lori Bunkers
Boys Soccer	
Boys Tennis	Terry Grove
Cheerleaders-Competitive	Jenny Waltjer
Cheerleaders- Sideline	Jenny Waltjer
Chorus	Lisa Volk, Jenny Waltjer, Mike Brenna
Dance- Competitive	Jenny Waltjer
Dance-Teddies	
Debate	Collin Moriarty
Drama/Theatre	Randy Hanzen
Football	Rich Brenneman
Girls Basketball	Tracy Mitzel, Karla Kalb
Girls Golf	Janae Poppens
Girls Soccer	Kristi Irsfeld, Pat Waltman
Girls Tennis	Can't read name
Gymnastics	Jeana Sides, Cindy Haiar, Jenny Waltjer
Oral Interp	
Orchestra	Collin Moriarty
Quiz Bowl	
Softball	Chris Koltz
Student Council	Jodi Latza
Volleyball	Kathy Ragels, Michele Jensen
Weightlifting	
XC/Track and Field	Corinne Lee, Lori Bierwagen, Brad Brown, Jill Fenderson
Wrestling	Lisa Lohr, Tiffany Kortan
Yearbook	
School Store	
Membership	Lisa Schultz
President Bowl	Rich Brenneman
VP 2015-2016	Collin Moriarty
President 2015-2016	Kris Denevan
Secretary 2015-2016	Judy Aldrich

Meeting called to order by Kris Denevan.

November minutes were reviewed and approved.

Welcome & Introductions – Cancer Awareness Club Update

- Get & Go Pink T-shirts were sold and the club was able to bless some RHS families going through cancer with gift cards.
- Next semester there will be "Love your Melon Beanie" fundraiser at Skyforce

Treasurer's report- Brad Brown

- The first check for President's Bowl arrived for \$40,000 and the next one is after January 1 for the Basketball tournament. They will then do the budget after January 1 and put the dollars in the activity accounts. We also received \$1900 more in memberships.

Roosevelt High School Booster Club
Fiscal Year: July 2015 through June 2016
Treasurer's Report for the Month Ending November 2015

<i>Revenue and Expenses</i>		
Revenue	November	Fiscal YTD
Presidents Bowl		\$0.00
Memberships	\$1,931.00	\$28,465.00
Interest	\$29.43	\$157.66
Other		\$0.00
Total Revenue:	\$1,960.43	\$28,622.66
Expenditures	November	Fiscal YTD
Direct Allocations	\$750.00	\$8,272.84
Special Requests		\$3,000.00
Weight Room funding		\$0.00
Other Booster Club approved expenditures	\$3,931.50	\$19,346.13
Total Expenditures:	\$4,681.50	\$30,618.97
Net Increase / (Decrease)	-\$2,721.07	-\$1,996.31

<i>Account Balances and Available Funds</i>	
Checking Account	
Beginning Book Balance (10/31/2015)	\$100,937.94
Deposits/Revenue	\$1,960.43
Withdrawals/Expenses	(\$4,681.50)
Ending Book Balance	\$98,216.87
Checks/Deposits In-Transit	1,000.88
Ending Bank Balance	\$99,217.75

<i>Distribution of Account Balances</i>	
Reserve - Remaining Balance	42,589.95
Direct Allocations - Remaining Balance	34,208.45
Special Requests - Remaining Balance	5,000.00
Other Expenditures - Remaining Balance	7,668.47
Weight Room fund (Cap Exp)-Remaining Balance	8,750.00
Total Accounted For	98,216.87

<i>Itemized Booster Board Committee Expenditures (Current month)</i>				
Payee	Check #	Date	Memo	Amount
Transfirst fee	EFT	11/10/2015	credit card fee	39.00
Zaroty	1493	11/6/2015	teacher conf	625.00
Continental Western Group	1494	11/15/2015	General liability	500.00
Chesterman Company	1495	11/15/2015	soda	297.50
RHS Student Council	1496	11/22/2015	homecoming inflatables	2,470.00
RHS Softball	1497	11/22/2015	direct allocation	750.00
				4,681.50

Activities Director report- Casey Meile

- Had Future Rider event at Wrestling and other schools were noticing
- The Boosters are really growing and Casey thanked everyone for volunteering
- Banners will be hung at the following times:

Bowling – January 5; Track – January 8; Cheer – January 18; Softball – January 22;
Cross Country – January 26

- National Women & Sports Day Recognize & Celebrate Student Athletes – February 13
- President's Bowl check presentation – February 20

Old Business:

President's Bowl – Basketball Tournament Committee – Kristi Koltz

- The tournament brought in \$11,000 profit.
- RHS volunteers showed up and there were many compliments about the tournament (i.e., like big courts)

Billion Test Drive Night – Kris Denevan – We got the full \$500 threshold allowance

New Business:

Spirit Committee – Collin Moriarty (*Connecting Current and Future Riders to Roosevelt High School*)

- Sanford donated \$500 for promotion of "freebies" given out at activities (i.e., player photos)
- Middle schools doing national anthem at games

Booster Internet Site – We are in need of someone to update the site, as Marci Smith will be moving. Ron Waltman volunteered for the upcoming year.

Spirit Wear Order Update – RHS Flag sales – it was decided to offer it at Rider Charge days or put it as part of membership packages bought at beginning of year.

RHS Booster Supporters Display – Kris saw an idea of presentation for high Booster donors. This could be displayed near our awards. She is going to look into cost.

Winter/Spring Magnet Schedule – Thank you Marshall Selberg! Magnets were handed out prior to basketball games on January 5 and 8. If you haven't received your magnet, get in touch with Kris Denevan.

November Featured Activities were – Volleyball (18-15 season ended), Boys Golf (25 boys went out and that was the most ever), Drama (1 boy wrote, produced, and cast auditions), Band (Played at the start of tonight's meeting and had an awesome season with many first places.)

Coach/Advisor Reports:

Please use electronic form found on the RHS Booster Web Site to submit activity updates

Band- Alice Peters

- The band had its first concert on Dec. 15th. The 8th graders from the middle schools were invited to play with the band. The band will be preparing for its upcoming band trip in February to Florida.

Baseball- Judy Aldrich

- Registration has begun for high school baseball. The deadline is January 22nd. We're also looking forward to our first practice for pitchers and catchers on February 2nd.
- If you happen to know of any tech-savvy parents who might want to update the RHS Baseball website, I'm looking for someone to help with that. (this position has been filled since)

Basketball Boys – Carrie West

- Tryouts were held for boys basketball November 30-December 2 with all teams announced by Monday, December 7. A total of 48 boys combined were placed on Freshman A and B, Sophomore, JV and Varsity teams.
- The Boys Basketball Potluck was held on Monday, December 7 for players and parents. Coach Buus provided information on practice and travel gear orders, holiday practice dates, fundraising opportunities, travel requirements and team meals as well as basic team info.
- The boys will be selling Hot Stuff pizza as a fundraiser. Pizzas are \$10 each and order forms are to be turned in by Monday, December 21 with anticipated delivery on Monday, December 28.
- The Riders kicked off the season December 15 against the Washington Warriors and their home opener December 17 against the Marshall Tigers.

Basketball Girls- Tracy Mitzel

- The girls had their first game against OG played very hard just fell short. The girls travel to Sioux City Thursday Dec 17th to play Bishop Helen and then we play out at the Pentagon Saturday the 19th at noon, come out and support the girls.

Bowling – Valerie Ronning

Cheer Sideline – Barb Olson

Chorus- Mike Brenna

- RHS Fall Concert was held Nov 16th with all ensembles (except Executive Suite/Capitol Harmony) performing. This year's winter concert will be held Tuesday, Dec 22nd at 7 PM in the RHS Auditorium.
- Show Choir Parent Meeting was held on Dec 8th to provide valuable information and volunteer opportunities for the upcoming Executive Showcase.
- Executive Suite/Capitol Harmony "\"Winter Preview\" was held at Washington HS on Dec 18th.
- First Ladies travelled to Pierre and performed at the state capitol in Pierre on Dec 12th.
- 3rd Annual Executive Showcase is quickly approaching! Mark your calendars for Saturday, Jan 30th in the RHS gymnasium. Nineteen teams have committed to competing this year making this the largest Showcase to date!

Competitive Cheer- Kim Weihe

Competitive Dance- Lisa Von Bergen

- Competitive dance season is over but the Rider Dancers finished the season strong. They finished 2nd in the State at the State Competition in Brandon! November 3 was their yearend awards banquet. Thank you to the Booster Club and the Rider fan for all of the support all year long - very much appreciated.

Cross Country- Lori Bierwagen

- Things going on right now for us:
- -Distance Runners that are not involved in winter activities have started winter running up after taking a break from cross country season -Sprinters/Jumpers/Hurdlers/Throwers that are not involved in winter activities will start up after Christmas break two days a week with speed/plyo workouts and weight room -Very tentative start dates are March 7th for distance kids, hurdlers, and throwers and March 14th for everyone else (staggered start due to gym space still being limited at this time) -First meet will be the Ruth Marske Indoor Meet up in Brookings on March 28th -on January 8, 2016 the 2015 State Boys Track Champion banner will be presented at the basketball game

Debate- Luke Cumbee (Debate Director)

Drama – Becky Hanzen

- The RHS Theatre Dept. will be having its annual \"Holiday Tea\" (Home for the Holidays with current and former RHS Drama Club Members) from 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm on Dec. 31st at Courtney Donahue's house.
- Auditions for the Winter Play, \"The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940\" will be Jan. 13 and 14. Performances are Feb. 25-27
- An RHS first will be the Drama Club producing a student written/directed play by Riley Fullerton. His play \"Midnight in Manhattan\" will be presented at the end of March.

Football- Kim Nelson – Off Season

Golf Boys- Kim Erickson

- We are in off season, but will be doing some work out at the Pentagon as a fundraiser. We are assigned 5 different events to help clean up the building when the activities are done for that night. We have around 20 volunteers, both players and parents, who are signed up to help.

Golf Girls – Janae Poppens – Off season-Working on getting together some fundraising ideas.

Gymnastics- Lori Warne

- The gymnastics team is off to a great start while rebuilding from losing 5 seniors on last year's squad! The varsity team has finished 8th & 9th in two invitational where there were 12 & 14 teams! The team is young and energetic with the goal of qualifying for the State Meet in February! Thanks for your support!
- Our only home meet is Monday, January 4th against Watertown and Brookings so come out and support the gymnasts!

Oral Interpretation – Virginia Colgan

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Orchestra- Collin Moriarity

Quiz Bowl – Erica Fersdahl

Renaissance – Erica Fersdahl

Soccer Boys– Christine Hupke

Soccer Girls - Rhonda Class – Off Season

Softball- Chris Koltz - Senior Lexi Konda signs to play softball with DWU.

Student Council- Michele Jensen

Tennis Boys- off season

Tennis Girls- Valerie Ronning

Volleyball- Sue Simmons

- Varsity finished the season with 5th Place @ State with a season record of 18-15
- Rider Volleyball Awards 2015
- * Academic Team Award (for achieving or exceeding a grade point average of 3.0)

* Rider Volleyball Team

All State 2nd Team: Rylie Kooima

All City: Rylie Kooima, Koressa Weems

Metro Conference 1st Team: Rylie Kooima, Madelyn Simmons Metro Conference 2nd Team: Rylee Boyd

State All Tournament Team: Rylie Kooima

Academic All State: Rylie Kooima, Bailey Lamb, Koressa Weems

Roosevelt has the State record for number of years in a row that VB has gone to State!!

JV finished the season 20-8

Sophomores finished the season 10-9

Freshman A finished the season 11-12

Wrestling- Lisa Lohr

- RHS team took 3rd place at Rider Invite – 2 individual champs. Spirit Day was a success. A couple of mom's from Vermillion approached Tiffany Kortan about the event – Wouldn't be surprised if we don't see Vermillion youth sitting mat side at their next tournament.
- Team traveled to Rapid City for a two day tourney (12/11 & 12/12). Team placed 7th out of 35.
- Team placed 4th at the Warrior Invite on 12/19 – 3 individual champs.
- Looking forward to Floyd Farrand tournament December 28 & 29th at Lincoln HS. This is a showdown of the best class A & B teams in South Dakota.
- Thoughts & prayers go out to the Spencer, IA wrestling team & the family of Austin Roberts. Austin collapsed during the 220lb finals match on Saturday. He later died at the hospital.

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Future Meetings:

- Tuesday, January 19 ***NOTE** change in date from January 18, due to basketball game
- February 8 *NOTE change in date due to President's Bowl
- March 21

Respectfully submitted by Judy Aldrich