

Sports Booster Meeting – April 18, 2022

Attendance: Derek Eglinton Manner, Alla Safir-Krause, Carrie Purvin, Mary Beth Pesce, Beth Antino, Stacy Alexandrou, J. Alturi, Ella Kinney, Michele DeLucia, Jessica Ramiccio, Roger Schnorbusch, Tamsen Gallagher, Erin Schiller

Mike's Report:

Baseball-The baseball team is currently 4-4. They had a big 3-2 victory over Ridgewood earlier this week and beat Paramus on Saturday and 10 run ruled Indian Hills on 4/18 to get back to .500.

Boys Golf-Boys Golf is off to an undefeated, 3-0 start with a third place finish in the Kinnelon Tournament on 4/14.

Boys Lacrosse-The Boys Lacrosse team is now 3-3 after winning 3 of their past 4 matches but had a tough loss on Saturday at Caldwell HS.

Boys Tennis-The Boys Tennis Team is currently 4-1. They have won 3 straight and their top victory was a 3-2 win over Northern Highlands. Also, our new golf coach is Mr. Tommy Yun. Coach Yun has a wealth of experience coaching many years at Stevens Tech University and at the club level.

Boys Volleyball-The Boys volleyball team's record is 1-6. The boys have been working very hard and improving with each match. They do have a victory over Indian Hills High School earlier in the season.

Girls Golf-The Girls Golf team has only had one match to this point but will be very busy with matches moving into the back end of April. Victoria Jolakian was a First Team All North Jersey selection last season with a 39.8 average.

Girls Lacrosse-The Girls Lacrosse Team has won two straight and their record currently stands at 2-4. They have already played 3 state ranked teams and take on 8th Ranked Chatham and 6th Ranked Ridgewood this week.

Softball-The Softball Team had a seven game win streak to start the season until a tough 4-2 loss to Sparta and a second loss to Mt Saint Dominic at Seton Hall University on Saturday. They are currently ranked #11 in the state.

Lights

- Only 2 towers working, put in temporary lights for practices
- Company coming on Wednesday to fix them

Shortage of umpires and officials

- Umpires/official stopped during covid and not all have come back
- Taking a lot of abuse from parents/fans
- Pass message to the parents when on the sidelines

- Book "What Would Yogi Do" which addresses coaches, players and parents
- Mr. Mancino to send note to the coaches to send to the families

End of the year Dinners

4/27 Swim dinner – Is there a speaker and microphone available to borrow for speeches?

Membership Report (Lori) – Membership 394 athletes vs. 331 last year, 330 families vs. 301 families last year. Rewards program is going well for membership. Lori is stepping down because her son is graduating. Looking for a new membership representative. Role entails overseeing membership and helping with rewards programs. Very straightforward and automated system.

Treasurer's report (Alla):

There has been a lot of activity. Girls basketball had a fundraiser, concession stands have been profitable. Alla is looking for someone to manage sign-up sheet for concession stands for games. Two forms are on the website (deposit form and expense form) which need to be completed for all deposits and expenses. Include the coach and the AD to get approvals.

Updates/New business:

Roger provided update on Drew Gibbs memorial. Proposal to name the field Drew Gibbs Memorial Field which will be printed on the scoreboard and 50 yard line. Will also have a Drew Gibbs sculpture on the top of the hill where the boys come down to the field. Market Basket will be asked if they want to contribute to the Drew Gibbs scholarship and have signage on the scoreboard.

Students are using venmo and electronic transactions, however, we are not able to use Venmo for concessions.

Student involvement committee has 3 volunteers (Tamsen, Maria, Jessica). Will meet this Thursday afternoon with Mr. Smith, Mrs. Ferraro, Mrs. Chagares, and underclassmen students to provide ideas. June 2022 is the 50th anniversary of Title 9 (equal treatment between male/female sports) which is helping with momentum behind this program. Will discuss ideas and funding at May meeting.

Next Meeting is Monday, May 16 in the teacher's cafeteria.

Meeting adjourned 7:45pm.