

Independence Athletic Boosters

Meeting minutes from April 21, 2010

Attendees: Joe Kanyok, Jerry Narduzzi, Lisa Kemenyes, Bob Juran, Ray Martin, Dave Linscott, Tim Skoczen, Mark Suhay, Tony DiGeronimo

Gail, from Presentation Solutions provided an overview of their fundraising opportunities that include 1) a Canon poster printer, estimated cost of \$6,495 and 2) Max Design system, estimated cost o \$4,995. These systems enable production and printing of photographs, posters, banners and vinyl at minimal cost. Potential exists for a shared purchase with the school system.

Begin regular meeting:

Meeting minutes:

- Minutes approved from March 2010 meeting.

Treasurer's Report (provided by Dave Linscott):

- Current balance reported

Athletic Director updates (provided by Tim Skoczen):

- Interviews in process for Boy's high school basketball coach.
- Boy's baseball, Girl's fast pitch and track are off a good start.
- Discussion on purchase of new Gator; Boosters to provide \$3,000 to \$4,000 toward purchase.
- Disassembly of the High School baseball scoreboard to begin on Friday, April 23. Construction of new scoreboard to begin week of April 26.

Current/New Business

- Date for Spring walk-around is May 25. Athletes to arrive at 5pm.
- Terry Boylan, Girl's high school coach, has placed request for a new basketball shooting machine. Suggestion was made to first gather costs for refurbishing, before a new purchase is made.
- Varsity baseball field clean-up/improvement was a success.

- Wine tasting event is scheduled for April 24, 2010. Attendance is expected to exceed last year. Setup is scheduled for 2pm on the 24th.
- A photographer has been arranged to shoot individual student action photos at events. A link will be available on the website for photo purchases.
- Lisa Kemenyes presented the changes to the Athletic Boosters Mission statement and responsibilities.
- Boosters agreed to provide a \$100 award to each Senior Athlete of the year. Presentation to be made on May 27 at the Spring awards night.
- Proposed cost for advertising banners on the football field is \$150 to \$180 per individual banner. Another possibility is to produce a continuous banner of significant length that would include the names and/or logos of contributors.

Old Business

- Mark Suhay thanked the Boosters for their support for the Alumni tournament and indicated that a \$1,300 profit was reached. Date for next year may be moved to February, due to changes in Spring break timing.