

**Sentinel Booster Club Meeting**  
**April 8, 2019**

**Attendees:** Amy Dupras, Carlett Hogan, Lisa Mecklenberg Jackson, Sindie Kennedy, Dane Oliver and Carla Woehler

**Minutes:** Amy made a motion to approve the minutes. Carlett seconded the motion. All were in favor.

**Treasurer's Report:**

Paid out Speech and Debate, Softball, Track and Tennis. Should be able to pay out Girls' Basketball. There were some coaches who have come to the meeting but could not get a parent to work the closet. Carlett suggested SBC representatives attend the sports meetings and recruit parent representatives. Boys' Basketball and Boys' Soccer trophy cases will be updated. Wrestling, golf, swimming never had a parent work the closet.

Budget report - it has been slow. We made a little bit of money during the spring sports meeting and band concert. We made around \$200 during the band concert. We needed more band shirts. Band parents wanted band shirts. Did not have Meadow Hill parents buying stuff so much. There is not a lot of income, but there is also not a lot of expenses right now.

Lisa asked if there is a certain budget level. Amy has started to put together a budget for next year (she would like to present it at the May meeting). She would like to have a \$10,000 cushion. After the fall sports end, everything tapers off. We need to get the Booster Club letters in the packet of info that goes home this year. We do not have any significant payouts coming up. We have not met our activity payout this year.

Mod Pizza Fundraiser: We earned \$46.

**Spirit Closet:**

Lisa will put some dates out for softball. Will see if there are parents that want to work a shift.

8th Grade Promotion - June 12 - could do a big sign for Future Spartans.

Lisa ordered the striped socks. She also ordered ladies shorts with the Spartan logo.

Sindie will talk with Rebecca about doing a tennis t-shirt. We could use the logo that the tennis players made. We could have short and long-sleeved shirts.

**Year-round Activities:**

**Band** – The Wind Ensemble performed a concert before leaving for their trip to New York. They performed well at Carnegie. There were four high school bands that requested to be “graded” during their Carnegie Hall performance. Two received a Silver award and two received a Gold award. Sentinel was one of the Gold award winners. The trip was uneventful. The students seemed to have a good time.

The district band festival was Friday, April 5 and Saturday, April 6.

Sindie felt the best performance for Jazz Band was the night they performed in the hallway (following the Wind Ensemble pre-Carnegie Hall concert).

**Choir** – Jessica Franks, the choir director was scheduled to attend a Booster Club meeting on one of the nights that was cancelled. She was not re-scheduled.

**Robotics** – They went to Calgary and won an award: Excellence in Engineering.

### **Spring Sports:**

**Softball** (Dane Oliver reporting) – The team is young. They are fun to watch. They are fast, athletic girls. The JV games were moved around. They are struggling with JV girls this year. It seems there are not enough players.

Lisa emailed Dustin about what he needs for the new shelter. Dane reported that Dustin is too busy right now to think about it. There is a parent that is taking the lead. Dane let them know they need a plan. And, they need to get bids and will need a building permit. It will probably be next year.

**Tennis** – No players were cut. They had to cancel their first game due to weather. Other than a weather-related cancellation, they are getting off to a great start:

- Girls beat Flathead 7-1 and tied with Glacier 4-4
- Boys beat Flathead 8-0 and Glacier 8-0
- Girls singles - Meredith Murdock won both of her single matches against Flathead (6-3 and 6-0) and Glacier (6-3 and 6-0)
- Girls doubles - Lauren and Leanna Badger beat Flathead 6-2 and 6-4 and beat Glacier 6-3 and 6-4
- Boys singles - Ethan Violette won 6-0 and 6-0 over Flathead and 6-3 and 6-3 over Glacier
- Boys doubles - Cody Curtis and Connor D’Angelo swept doubles with 6-0 and 6-1 against Flathead and 6-0 and 6-0 against Glacier

The team plays Hellgate tomorrow. There is an exhibition meet with Loyola, which will likely be cancelled due to rain.

Dane does not want to pursue doing t-shirts for the invitational meet. It is the first year. He wants to see how it goes.

**Track**— The team had a meet in Kalispell. It was the same day as the ACT, so no juniors went. Girls won, boys did not. Tomorrow there is a quad. Saturday is the Missoula invite (varsity). The top five athletes will participate. They will not cancel unless there is lightning. The girls do not have any throwers. The girls will be good, but not quite as good as previously.

### **Trophy Cases:**

Lisa had a conversation with Kelly Stensrud. He constructed the other cases. He would charge us \$1,500 just to construct the cases. This does not consider the cost for the exterior design, which was done by Roger (?). We would like the same design as the other trophy cases. The estimated cost is \$6,000.

The board decided to get a closer estimate of cost and then will vote on moving forward with covering the cost. We will find out how much Roger costs and decide if we want to go with them. Roger and Kelly work together. Lisa talked with Kelly. He is going to talk with Roger. They do good work.

### **Custodian Appreciation Day, April 18:**

Lisa will make a sign. Carlett will take care of donuts in the morning and a meat and cheese tray in the afternoon. Sindie will provide pizza and brownies for the second shift (starts at 2, dinner at 7). No beverages will be provided. Sindie and Carlett will coordinate. Carlett will send donuts with Katie. There are four custodians during the day and seven during the night.

### **Staff Appreciation Day, May 6:**

Carlett will take provide a popcorn bar from Kornucopia. Carlett has popcorn bowls.

### **Senior Essay Contest, May 1**

Lisa will update the scholarship information and will take care of advertising. The due date will be May 18.

### **Officer Positions for Next Year:**

- Lisa will take on the presidency.
- Sindie is willing to stay on as secretary.
- Carlett is willing to stay on as VP
- Amy will stay on as treasurer.
- Lisa will check with Andy about taking on the 50/50. He is not sure if he wants to take that on.

### **Dane Oliver Report:**

Nothing to report.

**Next Meeting:** May 13, 2019, 6:30 to 7:30 PM

The board will talk about a game plan for businesses (Big Sky has a permanent plaque). Nex year's board officers will be voted in.