# Sentinel Booster Club Meeting April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017

6:33 meeting called to order.

Attendees: Liana Messer, Marria Hegel, Deb Gass, Lisa Mecklenberg Jackson, Dane Oliver, Kathi Descharme, Reggie Spaulding, Kim Brown

Minutes: Kim motioned to pass February minutes. Liana seconded. All were in favor.

Introduction of board. Special guest Lisa Mecklenberg-Jackson, current PTO President of Meadow Hill Middle School.

#### Lewis Nelson- Band Director

Just got back from California over spring break. They came in 1<sup>st</sup> in their division, which opens up many more opportunities to travel (i.e. Carnegie Hall, Paris, etc). Also had a music festival in March, where we pulled in 15 superior awards. It was the 1<sup>st</sup> time the Jazz Band received superior rating. Next year, Nelson plans to upgrade the marching band with new instruments and sound system. Band will play at Showcase. He's spending \$9000 on marching horns.

#### Kim

Wear Your Roots wants to do a fundraiser. They will visit the May meeting. We are feeling loyal to Jeremy LaPorte and may have him put together a design for a possible tshirt.

## Liana – Treasurer Report

Not a lot of change. The store wasn't open much in March. We spent \$3970 on activities we support. Liana passed around a spreadsheet with the activities listed who fulfilled their a) volunteer hours and b) director participation and c) the amount we gave to each activity.

### Marria – Closet

Closet is closed for the remainder of the year. We decided to open it up on 6/06 for 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion as well as for upcoming band and orchestra concerts. Peggie Spaulding would like to have Choir volunteer to run those events so they can get their funds from BC.

Kim discussed the option to get our inventory on the website. Marria said that this can be done through our credit card company and we can set it up for people to make purchases directly on the website. Giving gifts to feeder schools from BC closet was also discussed. We will donate items that we need to get rid of.

#### Dane – Activities

Tennis match was rained out! Softball beat Billings West. Track is in full swing.

# Kathi – Buttons

We will only do buttons for softball (no track or tennis). Pictures have been taken. Kim is waiting for the discs to arrive. Kathi will do the buttons.

### Kim - Custodian Appreciation

We set a date for custodian appreciation to be recognized on 4/20. We will provide breakfast in the morning and dinner in the evening. Kathi volunteered to bring breakfast and Deb Gass volunteered to

bring dinner. They will also make a banner to put up above their door a few days before so they know we are coming this year. We will also give them some shirts that have been reserved for Staff Appreciation week. Dane will keep the shirts in his office and distribute to each janitor.

Kim – BC to visit feeder middle schools in May

Mission: to introduce and welcome new incoming families to SHS Booster Club. We will go to PTA meetings in May to educate families about BC and how they can get involved at the HS level. We will also bring a box of SHS spirit wear gear. Volunteers were set and the schedule is as follows:

5/02 Kim to visit CS Porter at 6pm 5/02 Liana to visit Meadow Hill at 7pm 5/08 Peggy Spaulding to visit Washington at 7pm

### Dane – AD Report

Dane and Kim finally met with Roger to look at options for the new trophy case and transformation of the hallway. We discussed putting all of the trophies currently on the wall into a database. Dane is not going to do this. BC can if we want to. MHSA doesn't have good records because of the Spartans transitioning from Missoula School to Sentinel HS back in the 50's when the school was built. Dane is only concerned with recognizing Gatorade Player Of The Year and the MHSA Rewards. We discussed the possibility of setting up a kiosk for game time ticket purchases and/or to have a tv screen announcing events, winners, etc. The goal would be to make the entry way from Bancroft a welcoming area.

May 8<sup>th</sup> meeting is the final meeting for 2016-17 school year. We will meet again in the fall.

7:45 meeting adjourned.