

Boosters Minutes
5/8/2007

Boosters Present: Laura Darden, Betsy Weischedel, Valerie McNamara, Betsy Hoell, Ed Hockenbury

- 1) Coaches Request: Shawn Montague and Jeff Goodrich requested \$520 to attend Nike Championship Basketball Clinic in Springfield, MA, Sept 2007. \$220 registration and \$300 hotel.
- 2) Sam O'Sullivan requested Boosters support her in the Twin State Field Hockey Tournament by purchasing a program advertisement. She is expected to sell \$300.
- 3) Eric Smith would like to purchase sweat shirts for Unified Sports. We requested Eric obtain some price quotes and more information for our next meeting in June.
- 4) Ed Hockenbury: Requested \$5000 to cover a Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist (CSCS) for the new weight room. This is equivalent to a Freshman coach for three seasons. Toria and Leo presented the roles and benefits of having a CSCS available to our teams. Toria has time in her schedule to take this on, and both she and Leo are CSCS trained. She would be paid by Ed's payroll yet we would fund the position. Although \$\$\$\$, this would benefit all athletes. Ed does not expect to ask us for transportation dollars.
- 5) Betsy Weischedel reported the grill caught on fire at tonight's concessions and needs replacement. A nice big grill would be a welcome addition to the outdoor concessions.
- 6) Ed Hockenbury suggested a seasonal program containing team photos and rosters to be sold for \$1. We would insert the visitor roster into the program at each event. The tech center might be able to produce the program (for a fee) and we could sell advertisements to local merchants. All agreed this sounds worthy of further investigation. Laura to ask Jeanne Barnes for volunteer suggestions to head the project.
- 7) Ed reported we do not yet know about Rugby New Englands on June 9th.
- 8) Valerie McNamara is meeting this week to decide the Jean Robinson scholarship.
- 9) Betsy Weischedel provided the treasurers report

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- 1) Approved \$520 for basketball coaches clinic .

- 2) Approved \$40 for ¼ page ad congratulating Sam O'Sullivan. We will support those Twin State Athletes who must raise funds to participate if they request assistance.
- 3) Approved \$5000 for CSCS position for 2007-08 school year.
- 4) Approved \$850 for Gary Audette to purchase new grill.

Next Meeting is June 12th, Room C101 at 7pm