

Ridgefield Booster Club  
Minutes from September 17, 2008  
At Ridgefield High School

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm.

In Attendance:

John Bean, Leanne Lefebvre, Carla Bonebrake, Sue Backstrom, Tony VanderMoss, Gwen Laspa, Audrey Vogel, Chris Griffith, Ed Bate, Sherry Rayburn, Geni Strickland, Cyndi Callahan, Denice Koopman, Susan Yaddof

Visitors/Requests:

Equestrian Team: Bunco set for 09-02-08. Having a fundraising raffle for a colt. 25 tickets at \$100 each thru 12-20-08 or before if all tickets are sold. They are requesting a link for Equestrian Site. Gwen would like receipts/deposits at least monthly from the team.

Carla: Citizens for Ridgefield Schools. Want to have a "Golden" night @ the Homecoming football game. Want to hand out free "Golden" tickets to those Alum who have graduated 1976 and earlier.

Tony: Spud Bucks. Requesting an additional \$400 for the incentive program.

Motion made by Leanne to give a total of \$600, 2nd Carla. Approved.

Frosh Camp: \$1,000 coming from school and \$500 for the BBQ from the Boosters.

Chris: VRMS. How do the Boosters help VRMS. Much discussion. They need parent volunteers to work with the Boosters.

Minutes:

Audrey motioned to approve as written, 2nd Gwen. Approved.

Treasurer's Report:

Need to write on the deposit slip stating what the deposit is for.

Available funds...\$25,000.

Motion to approve Treasurer's Report by Leanne, Geni 2nd. Approved.

President's Report:

Amendment of Articles of Incorporation for name change. In the works.

T-Shirt Gun: Need money in budget to pay to refill it w/ CO2. Cyndi will tell Deanna to keep receipts.

Spudder car: Nothing to report.

Apparel: Sold \$1,400 (gross) since school started. Everyone agreed to buy more old-style "Spudder Proud", suggestion made to have a more brown Spudder. Umbrellas available at \$18 each and looks like cost of decals will be \$2.95 each. New t-shirts are here and sweatshirts are coming.

Concessions: Doing well. Need someone to sell 50/50 tickets. How is the money divided? Have individual groups sign up for each night? As is now...selling is equivalent to 3 shifts. By next meeting need to have something in charge of 50/50. John will write up some ideas and send out.

Volleyball is taken care of. Girls soccer needs to have 1 or 2 people to open and close. Need people who know how to run things.

Suggestion for next year:

1 person open, 1 person closes and 1 person schedules.

Cyndi may have found someone to take over next year. Would also be good to have 1 for Fall, 1 Winter and 1 for Spring.

Parent Group (Audrey): Nothing to report.

Spirit Committee (Sue): Nothing to report.

Scholarship: John is making up a form. What do we want qualifications to be? Should parents be members? Or extra points if members?

Membership (Carla). Nothing to report.

Signs: Nancy sending all letters out this week.

Directory: Approved by District.

Requests:

Motion made by Carla to give Booster Umbrella to each school (4) to use during drop-off and pick-up. John 2nd. Approved.

Next meeting October 15 @ VRMS  
Adjourn at 9:00.