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NEWFIELD BOOSTER CLUB MEETING – MONDAY, AUGUST 18TH, 2008 - 6:30 PM EDWARDS RESIDENCE

ATTENDEES: Sandy Allen, Helen Beach, Sherri & Jay Dunham, Tom & Betsy Edwards, Rhonda Ellers, Lucy Ferrara, Mitch Gray, Bonnie Hockenberry, Bruce Hunter, Lisa Miller, Cheryl Mosher, Holly Stevenson

SUMMARY:

The meeting consisted of; “wrap up” discussion of upcoming Chicken Barbeque plans, Golf Tournament update, Field House Project Update, and upcoming Fall Concessions.

The meeting was called to order at: 6:35 PM by Co-Presidents Sandy Allen and Tom Edwards

Meeting Adjourned: 8:10 PM

Next Meeting: **Monday, September 8th, 2008 – 6:30 PM**

Location of Next Meeting: Newfield High School – Room 109

TREASURER’S REPORT: Certificates and their maturity were discussed; along with savings and checking account balances. A verbal report was presented by Lucy Ferrara and approved by all in attendance. Sandy Allen suggested a transfer of money from savings to checking and all in attendance approved.

MINUTES OF PRIOR MEETING: Both June and July minutes were reviewed and approved by all in attendance.

MAJOR TOPICS OF DISCUSSION - OLD/NEW BUSINESS:

- Chicken Barbeque Plans
- Golf Tournament Update
- Field House Project Update
- Upcoming Fall Concessions

DISCUSSION DETAILS:

• Chicken Barbeque Plans

The following details were wrapped up for Sat. 8/23; we'll stay at 300 chickens, a group of members present agreed to meet at the Masonic Temple at 8:00 AM, Betsy Edwards and Bonnie Hockenberry will bring roaster pans, Jay Dunham and Bruce Hunter will bring burners for cooking potatoes, Mitch Gray will pick up the potatoes at Eddydale on Fri., Tom Edwards will pick up the beans from Tony's, and Lucy, Sandy and Betsy will shop at Sam's Club on Fri. **(Sandy will email everyone their agreed upon responsibilities).**

Booster Club will also be selling a hotdog, chip and drink combo meal for \$3. Sandy will look in the High School for 2 signs to advertise on each end of Main Street; and there will be another sign to be placed in front of the Masonic Temple which Lucy will borrow from Terry Ferrara (Stella's).

• Golf Tournament Update

Sandy discussed that the Golf Tournament was quite a success; there were 23 sponsors this year and 35 teams (typically 36 but, 1 had to drop out). **All in attendance approved to give \$750 to the Wall Education Fund.**

• Field House Project Update

Sandy read an email from Bill Hurley aloud and he recommended that Booster Club get on either the Sept. or Oct. Board of Educ. (BOE) Agenda. Bill also mentioned that he'll be asking the BOE for funding towards bathroom fixtures and that they're waiting on bids for the 2nd time before construction can start. Jay mentioned that the \$2M voted on (above budget) covers the bid for the entire Newfield Project. Betsy reminded everyone that that's why there was a 2nd vote to approve more funding.

Sandy offered to reserve a Booster Club pancake breakfast for Jan. or Feb. at Applebee's and all in attendance agreed on this. Lucy asked about Old Home Days and Sandy suggested that we possibly sell merchandise and/or have a raffle.

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• Upcoming Fall Concessions

Sandy mentioned that the Girl's Softball dugout had possible space for storage. Lucy questioned whether or not we could put a refrigerator in there. Tom asked whether Pepsi could supply us with another cooler and if so, could that be placed in there. Sandy will check with Bill first and then Pepsi.

Lucy discussed that parking will be an issue and that handicapped people will have a problem. Sandy noted that Bill's email had said that the staging area would include the upper parking lot and that it'd be fenced off in front of the Field House.

Tom asked about concession for Modified games. **Betsy offered to send an appeal letter home to families (Modified Football and girls/boys Soccer) to recruit volunteers.** Betsy asked about the idea of t-shirts to entice volunteers. Sandy answered with it not being worth it since we've tried this type of idea before and it really didn't work. A brief discussion ensued that this isn't the time to spend money when we're going to be working so hard to raise it.

• Misc.

Betsy asked about lockers and she mentioned that Rick Ketchum's class won't be able to do it. She added that Premier Concession at Cornell has 32 lockers that they'd like to get rid of. Tom added that Tom Addy will still be checking with local unions, etc.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 PM. All in attendance were in favor.

The next meeting will be held at 6:30 PM on Monday, September 8th, 2008 in Newfield High School Room 109.

Respectfully submitted by Sherri Dunham