

2017 Booster Club Minutes (1)

Booster Club Meeting, Tuesday August 29th 2017

In Attendance:

Jay St. Pierre (President, Voting Officer)
Sandi St. Pierre (Treasurer, Voting Officer)
Sarah Limon (Team-Reps, Voting Officer)
Jeff Wilkinson (Activities, Voting Officer)
Pam Kelly (Secretary, Voting Officer)
Jeff Malloy (Athletic Department Rep, Non-Voting Director)

Meeting began at roughly 6:20 pm and ended roughly at 8:20pm

Jeff Malloy explained that the existence, mission and fundraising of the Booster Club will probably be changing in the future due to the new direction of our new Head of School, Dr. Hutchins who has decided that the Booster Club will next year not collect a “ticket to play” and that the school will move to a one-school fund drive. This will serve to diminish competition between the Advancement Office and the Athletic teams.

Certain decisions will need to be made by the Booster Club this year:

- 1) Will the Booster Club continue to exist?
- 2) Should we encourage parents to get involved in a one-school fund drive this year?
- 3) Should the Booster Club spend this year amending the by-laws?

The Booster Club By-Laws serve to Spirit Raise and Fund Raise with the current Mission of the Booster Club: The club fosters and supports athletic activities at Oak Hall School (“Oak Hall”) by providing financial and moral support as needed, without profit to individual club officers, directors or members.

Current fundraising efforts by teams like Girls’ lacrosse were discussed. For the past two years they have had a very successful fundraising effort through the sale of mulch.

The Booster Club board voted and decided not to change any fundraisers already planned for this year.

It was not decided to adjust the Booster Club By-laws at this point, as it will time to know what exactly should be done.

The next Booster Club meeting is scheduled for Monday September 18, at 6 pm.

Pam Kelly will ask Rebekah in the Advancement Office to post notice of the next meeting, along with the Booster Club By-laws, and an invitation to all Oak Hall parents to attend the meeting where on the agenda we will discuss the One-School Fundraiser to benefit athletics and relay the open Booster Club Board positions. We are looking for 2 committee positions that are open. We encourage parents to attend and to get involved!