

Big E Booster Club Meeting Minutes
High School LGI
March 20, 2024

- Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order by Lynn Williams, at 7:00 PM
- In Attendance:** Linda Bell, Mike Sernoffsky, Jessica Ebersole, Lori Bomboy, Lori Kolaric, Kenzie Deardorff, Denise Bruno, J. Smyser, Kaitlyn Blosser, Christine Kay, Bill Templin, Donna O'Connell, Christine Krebs, Michelle Pelna, Lynn Williams
- Meeting Minutes:** The minutes from last month's meeting were distributed via email a few days ago. Minutes were reviewed and approved.
- Financial Report:** The financial report was distributed via email a few days ago. No objections.

Old Business:

A. Big E Scholarship Applications

- a. Large number of applications have been received
- b. Review committee will meet next week to review and determine winners
- c. Winners will be announced at Senior Recognition Night in May

B. Daubert Gym Concession Stand

- a. Please give Donna any outstanding receipts by March 30
- b. Mini-Thon donated extra items from concession stand to boys volleyball
- c. Off-season use – a google form will be available to request use of stand; there will be a master calendar

Note: coca-cola contract needs switched from music club to Big E Booster

C. Varsity Jackets

- a. Big E will no longer pay 100% of varsity jacket costs
- b. Will be revising this policy for 2024-2025 school year

D. Website and Social Media

- a. Student Intern – 2024/25 school year

E. Athletic Director Update – Per Bill Templin - Teams should let Bill or Kenzie aware of team fundraisers, so duplicates can be avoided; players should not be “forced” to sell/participate in fundraisers; Construction is 4 days behind; 4 boys qualified for State swim competition; Jane Hoover shed cannot be made larger due to the impervious surface regulations; In addition, a larger shed may not fit inside the fenced openings.

F. Team Reports:

Boys Tennis -per Jess Ebersole - Currently, they have 2 wins 2 losses; 11 boys on team

Girls Lacrosse – per Denise Bruno – have some upcoming fundraisers; April 14 is Senior Night

Girls Softball – per J. Smyser – they won first game; first home game is tomorrow; trying to establish a parents advisory committee to address fundraising; private donations have helped with purchasing batting helmets; 23 girls on team; looking for ideas for banquets; The borough is no longer running the concession stand

Boys Soccer –per Linda Bell – encouraging attendance of a summer team camp: quad camp June 17-20 at Hempfield Quad; Bucknell team camp is July 14-17

Boys Lacrosse – per Lori Bomboy - 24 boys on team; able to field a JV team and a Varsity Team; lost first game; first home game is on Monday; Cheri Sine did the senior banners; Senior Night is scheduled for April 29

Bowling – per Mackenzie - Team just won the State Championship over the weekend; defeated Middletown; Was a tight final game to the end; Was held at Leisure Lanes; Team will compete in Nationals – in Lancaster

Golf – per Lori Kolaric – currently in off-season; banquet is usually at Gathering Place

Baseball – per Lori Kolaric - won first game; next game is on Friday; Their banquet is usually at Historic Acres of Hershey (on 743)

Wrestling – per Mike – the girls coach (Kaitlyn Blosser) was introduced; one boy and one girl came up a little short qualifying for States; they have 2 first team All Stars; 2 second team All Stars; 17 academic All Stars

Officials Award – Sam Yoder was awarded this; Holding open gyms in weight room and wrestling room; volunteering with Hopes Haven – Equine Therapy; both teams helped with mulching; banquet is on Monday at The Gathering Place; 120 people planning on attending; some kids are participating in clubs; Guys going to Lycoming College for camp (Junior High and High School); girls looking at Team Camp too; All Star opportunities – girls went to Keystones; *Mike Sernoffsky just completed his 40th year coaching at E-town!! Big Thank you from Bill Templin

Field Hockey – per Christine Krebs – the high school team is doing workouts in the weight room twice a week

Boys Volleyball – per Christine Kay - head coach quit just before season started; new coach comes from Trinity; we are hosting a tournament on April 20; 17 players on team

Girls Volleyball – per Donna O’Connell – no update

Tennis – per Michelle – no updates

Track and Field – per Lynn Williams - team is somewhat displaced due to construction; but will be worth it

New Business:

A. Spring Sub Sale – per Linda Bell - Current Spring Sale Details: forms due to reps on April 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th at latest; Pick up is April 18th. Email will go out tomorrow with new rep contact info and reminders to all teams; new rep is Christine Krebs

B. Big E Budget – a budget is being prepared; board will meet to finalize details

C. Treasurer Position – Donna will be stepping down at end of current school year due to daughter’s graduation

a. Job Description will be provided

b. Open to anyone

D. 2024 All Sports Program

a. Planning will begin in April

b. Please consider helping with this project; This is a large fundraising opportunity for Big E. Last year we raised \$12,000.

E. Other Items –

Market Street Sports – we are to ask them first when looking for sponsors; the list of corporate sponsors is on the District Website and Big E Booster website

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 7:58 PM

Next Meeting: Wednesday, April 17, 7 PM; High School LGI

Minutes were respectfully submitted by Christine Krebs, Big E Booster Club Secretary