Big E Booster Club Meeting Minutes
High School LGI (room across it)
September 18, 2024

Call To Order: The meeting was called to order by Michelle Pelna at 7:00 PM

In Attendance: Michelle Pelna, Erin Mohr, Lynn Williams, Heather Risser, Kristen Bixler, Fiona Van Winkle, Mary Checco, Dara Andrews, J. Smyser, Maureen Rife, Tina Lutter, Jess Garcia, Bill Templin, Molly Myers

Meeting Minutes: The minutes from last month's meeting were reviewed and approved.

Old Business:

A. **Varsity Jackets** – previously they were paid 100% by booster club; due to the price increase, we have decided to reduce that support to $100 per jacket. We are still looking into one other option with Matt Denlinger at Designs Unlimited.

B. **2024 Fall Program-** Funds are still coming in, we are over $15,000. This Friday there will be the homecoming edition of the program. Let Michelle know if you would like some programs at your events to sell.

C. **2024 Etown Fair Parking** -Funds are to the team. We raised over $14,000. Improvements for 2025 are in the works and being talked about.

D. **Team Programs and End of the Season Banquets-**Any team producing a flyer or handout or program for home games/contests must include the Big E elite sponsors.

New Business:

A. **Athletic Director's Report** – Field house won't be done until October. Football field is done. Just waiting for the track to be done.

B. **Team reports**: Golf and Tennis almost done. Other fall sports half way point. **Boys Basketball**- open gyms, working on a fall fundraiser. Softball- open gyms, a lot of freshmen coming out. Girl Basketball- mums fundraiser went well. They have open gyms Tuesdays and Sundays. **Cross Country**- 2 & 1 boys and girls, bi-week, senior week went really well. Milk shakes at the fair went really well. **Cheer-** Season is going great. **Girls Volleyball**- just moved up a section, did well at community night, collected items for bear bags, raised money for care packages for soldiers, they have a breast cancer awareness night, Sept 10 was senior night, only 2 seniors, Fundraiser going on now at The Spot Deli, Udderly Bliss and TJ Rockwells. **Football**- Bears Den has items for sale for a fundraiser, they are doing a cancer shirt and proceeds will go to cancer, selling discount cards, senior night was Sat 9/14 and went well and flowers looked really good. **Bowling**- Whoopee Pie Fundraiser, **Boys Soccer**- community

night was 9/17, they won and had a good time, chicken bbq 9/24, 361 dinners were sold, Wrestling- take down the turf this weekend, Field Hockey- They had youth night, senior night 9/22, 9/30 Morgan Message for Mental Health Event, will take donations for the event and the school dog will be there that night as well.

c. **Winter concession stand 2024-2025**- Looking to put together a committee for this. Lynn will be sending out an email. Let him know by 9/25 if you are interested to serve on the committee.

d. **Big E Partnership with EASD Mini-Thon**- March is the mini thon. There are money cans to donate at the concession stands.

e. **Big E Intern**: Jason Rife- Handling the Social Media- There will be a google form for social media post.

Next meeting will be October 16 at 7 PM, in the High School LGI

Meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM by Lynn Williams

Minutes were respectfully submitted by Heather Risser