



Hopewell High School Boys Soccer Boosters

Members Meeting: Monday, April 14, 2025- 6:30 pm at HHS Chorus Room

Called to order at 6:32 by Heather Sullivan. President

In Attendance: Heather Sullivan, Nate Butler, Leslie Dennis, Janet Sakson, Chris Cronin, Mary Cronin, Nancy Leonora, Megan Buchanan, Kent Whitaker, Laura Whitaker, Dan Bushnell, Jessica Gonzalez, Ashlee Kovell, John Alvarado, Gwen Taylor (14)

I. Welcome

- A. Treasury Report (Janet) \$9799.40- nothing in or out since last meeting
- B. May Day Winner Announcement- Paul Thompson- CONGRATS!
- C. Communication- new website, FB, email, thoughts and issues-still working on text alerts and working out the kinks- we will have more details hopefully in May
- D. Chocolate Bars anyone-still have 19 bags left if interested- flavors are crispy, PB, milk chocolate, caramel- let Heather and Janet know if you want more

II. Training

- A. CRAEDEL - T and TH 315-430 field house/track, provide schedule update closer to summer Schedule will change at the end of the school year- will post on Facebook, website,etc.
- B. CAPTAIN PRACTICE- W 3-430 high school field- Armando will send reminders if changes or updates
- C. CAMP- LaRoche and RMU discussion-
 - 1. LaRoche was the "winner" on survey-22 players/guardian said yes, LaRoche breakdown- \$375 per player,16 minimum, no chaperone needed,July 31-August 3

2. **vote on due to payment**- Motion- To pay for LaRoche Camp \$375 per player up to the minimum of 16 players- 14 yes 0 no

III. Fundraising

- A. LOTTO Tickets- pay for camp- looking for beginning ticket sales in May and sell through due date of July 1st- first drawing with July 1st - Nate details 😊 **Calling it "Summer Sizzle" each player sells 20 tickets at the \$20 price- use the PA daily lotto, prize a day in July (100 weekday, 200 weekend, 500 on 4th, 100 on 31st)- selling all these tickets covers camp for all with no parent prepayment - **ideally looking to have tickets ready on May meeting and will sell til mid/end of June****
- B. May meeting "Fundraising Requirement Breakdown" after camp/dues decided
- C. Options
1. Food Truck Nights- September? **All we need from parents is to promote it - still waiting for season schedule to choose a date**
 2. Urban Air- dates at May or June meeting- **no money just advertize**
 3. Meat/Yeti Raffle- October? **Looking for this as another whole team event**
 4. Blanket- **vote on blankets**- XL 60 x70, 150 minimum a 75/design- 1950 out to start- \$25 sell to- almost double profit (3750)**this was tabled- asking people to think about if we think we can sell 150 of these- Viking Design- survey will go out for interest- idea brought up to ask if we can get a table at football games- also sell at Concession stand/food truck night**
 5. Banners- info sent out soon to begin to get the forms
 - a) The list will go out to the seniors after this meeting. **They will have first dibs on any open businesses, 3 max, they have until May, 1. After that, the updated list will be emailed to all team members.**
 - b) **Reminder. that it is your responsibility to email Leslie through boosters email or text her and let her know once you have secured a business, so she can add it to the list and we do not bombard all the generous businesses.**
 6. Commitment Dues- \$100 a year per player- we will explain and show budget- **Nate spoke- we heard the concern about the amount we have paid in the past, we are hoping doing "whole team/larger" fundraisers we can help to reduce this and take the stress away- the commitment due is your promise to help- more details on this in May**

IV. 2025 Committees

A. Need to fill by August meeting- Leslie run down

1. Banquet-
2. Senior night- Nancy L, Jess G (going to ask Tina A as well so a freshman parent sees what is involved)
3. Away game meals/snacks-
4. Concession stand-Leslie organize, Heather/Janet order and stock
 - a) Concession Stand Reminder- 2 games over the season-There will be 5 slots each game (Set up, game 1 (2), game 2 (2)- sign ups will be on website
5. Car Washes- Bethany P. and Dan B.
6. Parade- Megan/Renee/ Stacy

V. Misc Reminder

- A. On website - link to update contact sheet for email and phone as well sizes for merch- Please fill this out so we can update communication and ensure we have sizes for when ordering begins
- B. Photographer- As always looking for a photographer for games, help with video for banquet- any names let us know- Megan B is going to give us a name
 1. Pictures from 24/25- will share this week to 24/25 Team Google link was sent out after the meeting to all members of the 24/25 team
- C. Physical reminder- we have to have them to play. SCHOOL OFFERING THEM MAY 6TH \$20 sign UP IN THE OFFICE. You may also go to your doctor- just a reminder you need this before "heat week"
- D. Ordering Card swiper and getting venmo for Concession Stand

VI. Budget

- A. Nate broke down the budget for the 2025/2026 season showing where all the money goes as well as how much per player
 1. Approx. \$950 per player a year
 2. If you would like to see the slides please let us know

Meeting adjourned 7:12 pm first by Leslie Dennis and 2nd by Nancy Leonora