**Sports Boosters Meeting Minutes: February 22, 2023**

Present: Ben Neadom, Erin Markey Clarkson, Melissa Ingersoll, Dana Ingersoll (student member), Nicole Esposito, Bella Esposito (student member) and Sunny McDermott

Meeting called to order: 6:00 pm

Last Meeting Minutes: Approved by Nicole E.; Seconded by Melissa I.

Treasurer Report:

* Last report dated Jan. 27, 2023:
  + - * 1. $36,400 Boosters balance

$ 3,800 Hall of Fame balance

$ 1,800 Farm Days balances

* Approved by Ben N.; Seconded by Nicole E.
* John F. has advised that he will be retiring as Booster’s Treasurer at the end of the 2023-2024 school year. Discussed possible replacements. Need to begin search early.

Winter Concession Stands

* Sales were good overall. Made $230 at boys’ sectional basketball game earlier this evening.
* Had more help than last Winter season but could still use more help consistently.
* Final stands of the year are modified wrestling on 2/28, 3/2 & 3/9.
* Erin M. has approx. $800 in concession receipts to submit for reimbursement.

Syracuse Crunch Chuck-a-Puck & Ticket Sale Fundraisers

* Only a handful of Crunch Hockey fundraiser tickets to date.
* Agreed to give FP sports teams the option to volunteer to sell pucks at 3/10 game and put their portion of chuck-a-puck proceeds into their team’s “Farm Days” account. Melissa I. to message Coaches.
* Need to arrive by 5:20 p.m. to begin selling pucks. All volunteers must pre-purchase their game ticket.
* Need to spread word about these fundraisers.

2023 Scholarship Process

* Erin M. to update last year’ applications form.
* This year we will again do applicant interviews. Need to schedule in mid-May before Memorial Day.
* 2023 Scholarship Committee: Melissa I., Nicole E. & Sunny M.

Donations

* Need to make a list of the larger past purchases/donations by Boosters for use as a marketing tool.
* It has been a few years since last purchase/donation. Discussed possible options: soccer filed/concession stand “Falcon” signage, “Directions” signage for front entry of High School, elementary school gym scoreboard, etc.

Miscellaneous

* Ben N. to remind coaches at beginning of school year & each season to make contribution requests.
* Need a new Boosters webmaster to replace Kathy B., hopefully by end of 2022-2023 school year.
* Ben N. renewed Boosters County Health Permit for the concession stand. Renewal certificate received.
* Reserved Pompey Club for 2023 Senior Athlete Awards Banquet Mon., June 5th. Cost will be $25 per person. As in past, Boosters will pay for senior athletes.

Next FP School Newsletter

* Erin sent submission to Jean Gasparini in early Feb. for inclusion in late Feb. edition of newsletter.

MeetingAdjourned: approx. 7:00 pm

**The next Sports Boosters meeting will be Tues., March 21st at 6:00 pm in the FP High School Cafeteria.**