

## Shippensburg Soccer Booster Club

Meeting Minutes

January 11, 2016

In Attendance: Rhonda Gladfelter, Kim Taylor, Adele Kirby, Mary Eutzy and Angie Barmont.

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 PM by President Rhonda Gladfelter.

Topics of Discussion:

- Storage Shed:
  - Rhonda reported that Mike Montedoro requested to meet prior to this meeting at 6pm to discuss the shed, however he did not show up. From what she has been told, part of the hold up on the shed is because the Director of Facilities left the district and therefore there was no one from the school to approve the placement of the shed. Mike told Rhonda in prior conversations that some members of our Booster club had inquired about joint usage of this shed with the field hockey team. Everyone present at tonight's meeting are in agreement to share the shed with the field hockey team.
  - We will need to agree on the location and size of this shed. It must be similar to the shed that the track team has. A 12x20 shed may be too big. Coach Jones will have to inform Mike where he would like the shed to be placed.
  - Mike had also stated to Rhonda that he was under the impression that the shed was to be used for storage purposes only but heard that a concession stand may be run out of it as well. His concern is that there will be no electric ran to the shed.
  - After discussion Rhonda stated that she will get ahold of Mike to get the shed ordered and to inform him that the shed will only be used for storage purposes.
  - Concession stand options were discussed. It was suggested that someone look into who request that the Lions Club run the concession stand at Memorial Park. This topic has been tabled until the next meeting.
  
- Socks:
  - Kim Taylor reported that she had spoken with some of the doctors at her work who also have kids playing soccer. They recommend using socks with some acrylic fiber in them. Kim is looking for these type of socks. She will order one pair so we can see the quality of the socks and will bring them to the next meeting.
  
- Website:
  - Adele created a new website for the soccer club. It is [www.shipsoccerboosters.org](http://www.shipsoccerboosters.org). As soon as soccer schedules become available or are updated, Adele will update the website. Adele will email Jan Nye to see if we can get a link put on the school's website to link to our website when someone clicks on the soccer booster club tab.

- Adele also reported that the website package also includes three email addresses. She created [president@shipsoccerboosters.org](mailto:president@shipsoccerboosters.org) which will go to Rhonda, [treasurer@shipsoccerboosters.org](mailto:treasurer@shipsoccerboosters.org) which will go to Kim, and [info@shipsoccerboosters.org](mailto:info@shipsoccerboosters.org) which will go to Adele. We will put a blurb on the website asking everyone that if they receive an email from the club addressed to an entire group of people, to NOT click on Reply All. This gets very confusing to other people that the original email was sent to.
  - It was suggested that we see if we can add the field addresses and maps/directions to our website. Adele will check into that as well.
  - Adele will also post the club By-laws on the website.
  - Adele also reported that she has emailed everyone on the most recent soccer rosters to get permission to post their players' picture(s) on the website.
- Meeting Locations:
    - Rhonda reported that she was able to reserve Room 44 at the senior high school for our meeting. When she called to confirm tonight's reservation, Jan found that all of the reservations she had entered were gone. Jan re-entered them through May 2016. The June meeting will be held at Knutes, the July meetings will be held at the fair stand.
    - It was discussed that Room 44 is not really conducive for holding a meeting.
- New Items:
    - Adele suggested that the By-laws be updated to detail the procedures for officer elections. She also suggested updating the mission statement. She will send these proposed changes with the meeting minutes to present at the February meeting.
    - Rhonda suggested purchasing warm up shirts for the middle school boys and girls teams. The board wants to get the middle school teams and parents more involved and wants to give them more recognition. Rhonda will run it by Kyle Meixell to see if he would like to have the warm up shirts. It was motioned by Kim Taylor and seconded by Angie Barmont for the club to purchase the warm up shirts for the middle school players. Motion carries.
    - Rhonda presented a full color soccer program/flyer from a Greencastle game she attended. It contains a team roster, pictures and game schedule. She suggested that we try to create something similar for the High School teams first and to see if we can get money donated towards the cost. These could also be handed out at Community Night.
    - The board discussed doing a restaurant night fundraiser to benefit the club. Mary suggested checking with Mickey Nye to see if he could advertise it on his electronic display board at the car lot. We could also promote it on social media. Rhonda asked that everyone come to the next meeting with thoughts and ideas on where and when.

- The board discussed establishing a 2016 Fair Committee. Rhonda will appoint a committee. This committee will then start on a plan for the fair. The board discussed how they liked the sign up genius that Jen Cox used last year. Rhonda will contact Brendan West to see what role she wants with the Fair Committee.
- Mary Eutzy brought up new spirit wear. Many kids want new designs. She will check with Andrea at Towne Cleaners and will bring some information and possibly some new designs to the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

The next meeting will be on February 8th, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. at the Shippensburg Senior High School.

Adele Kirby  
Secretary.