

Swim and Dive Booster Meeting

January 6, 2020

Board member in attendance: Joe Simoes, Kelly Bender, Shannon Perry, and Craig Morrisard.

Boosters in attendance: Brock Seeley, Greg Walton, Komal Dietz, Krista Anderson, Tammy Blazer, Kelly Carney, Jill Stevens, Jaime Kreber, Dan Sawyer, Lisa Zucco, Christina Cox, Erin Donaldson, Beth Simoes, Heather Lozowski, Gina Elliot, Jackie Schoeffel, and Anissa Tekelenburg.

- President Joe Simoes introduced the board members and welcomed everyone to the meeting.
- Treasure, Kelly Bender passed out the budget for the season. She welcomed any questions about the budget. Also asked for those who did not pay the booster fee, it is due.
- There are a few open volunteer positions: Kelly Carney volunteered to help with senior night; Gina Elliot will host the Last-Ditch body painting at her home; Shannon Perry will assist Jackie Schoeffel with hair dying for WPIALs.
- Still to be determined is the location of the end of season party.
- We are still in need of meet donations: water (24 pack) and granola bars. Please see Gina or Anissa with any donations.
- All meet volunteer positions are currently filled. Joe thanked everyone for their time.
- Chipotle Night is Monday, January 20th from 4-8 on route 228. 33% of the sales will go to the boosters.
- There are 2 Spirit Nights scheduled: January 8th and February 13th. The SVSC members are invited to cheer on the varsity team.
- WPIAL T-shirts will be design by the seniors. Erin Donaldson will organize the order to submit and deliver.
- Updates from Coach Brian about the next few weeks included: 6 weeks left in the season; 8 weeks until WPAILs; and 10 weeks until States. Right now, there are 74 WPIAL cuts and 30 swimmers that have qualified for WPIALs. The bus leave time for the Grove City tri-meet is 10:45. The meet will begin at 1:00. There will be no bus for Last-Ditch due to the Bronze club meet the same day. Coach asked everyone to rest during their downtime. The workout arc at this point of the season is high.
- Updates from Coach Nancy for the diving team: the banners are now hung in the pool area. Coach expressed some ideas to be considered for the new pool. She expressed that a diving pit along with belts would be very beneficial for technical stunts. Coach Brian added, once the allocated spending amount is released, we will continue the discussion.
- Committee updates:
 - Banquet: Craig Morrisard announced that the banquet would be held at the Cranberry Highlands on April 7th from 6-8. Doors open at 5:30.

Community Service: there were about 35 swimmers and divers that participated this year. At World Vision, they worked hard and stuffed backpacks with care items along with a small note.

Concession stand: the pizza donation from Vocelli's pizza has been wonderful! Bill set-up the concessions stand for the meet on Wednesday.

Meet meals: Gina Elliot will order foot long subs from Grove City Subway for the team to eat after the tri-meet. All athletes will ride the bus to the school following the meet.

Senior Night: Sally Sawyer will organize the events for the evening on February 13th at 5:45.

Timing Console: Jill Stevens reported all is good. Bill Hockenberry cleaned the ports to make the connection for the timing system run well.

Timing computer: Yen Xu announced all is running well with the computer system.

Next meeting: Monday, February 3rd at 7:00 in the Shop room 52.