

WILDCATS DEN

Meeting Minutes

Date: Monday, October 3, 2022

Time: 6:30 PM

Location: Sotomayor High School Cafeteria



- I. Welcome and Meeting Called to Order at 6:36 PM by Joel Hernandez
- II. Approval of Previous Meeting Notes (Online)
 - A. Motion made to approve notes by Michael Guzman
 - B. Motion seconded by Tracy Olivo
 - C. All in favor
- III. Financial Updates
 - A. Approximately \$22,000 in bank account
 1. Financial report presented on screen
 - B. Almost everything paid off
 1. Few outstanding bills - \$3000 - \$4000 in fishing shirts and hats
 2. Approximate balance \$17,000 - \$18,000 after paying off outstanding bill
 3. Vendors – A! Sports and Stitch in Texas
 4. 501C is processed; can now start accepting donations
 5. Membership dues can be considered as a donation; however, swag merchandise value of membership must be taken off and deducted from donation amount
 6. Spent \$100 on balloons for Celebration of Life (documented on financial spreadsheet – under misc.)
 7. Motion to approve financial report
 - a. Motion made by Janina Morales
 - b. Motion seconded by Tracy Olivas
 - c. All in favor; none opposed
- IV. Old Business
 - A. First NBA Concession Volleyball Issues / Football
 1. Went much more smoothly. Huge Thanks to Volunteers!
 2. Volleyball concession - 4 signed up; 3 showed up; 1 left early
 - a. We can get fined for lack of volunteers, and must have required numbers until the end of shift
 3. Football concession – Girls Basketball and Cross Country stepped up
 - a. Head of concessions mentioned that other schools have come up short \$100s - \$1000, but not Sotomayor; we have great track record for keeping track of money
 - B. Food truck - successful; will try and utilize more

1. We received 10% of sales
 2. Plan to continue to use food trucks
 3. Please let Board members know if members know of any other food trucks we can use
- C. Merchandise sales - Huge success at Open House
1. Over \$10,000 generated
- D. Pending merchandise – WOW merchandise orders are all in
- E. Concession SignUp Genius is updated – New Site
- F. Still Looking for Committee Chairs
- V. New Business
- A. Per Bylaws, open 2nd VP Concessionaire will be voted on by Board, but nominations are welcome
1. If interested, please let us know
- B. Still need concessions filled for upcoming NBA assignments for Volleyball and Football; Winter Sports NBA concession assignments coming soon
1. Need volunteers for Oct 8th football concessions
 - a. Boys and Girls Soccer is heading up
 - b. In need of 20 volunteers; have 2 signed up
 - c. Starts at 5:00 PM and ends at approximately 9:30 PM
 2. Need 3 – 4 volunteers for volleyball game at Paul Taylor on Friday, Oct 7th
 - a. Show up time is 4:30 PM; Game at 5:00 PM
 - b. There will be 2 volleyball games that concessions will have to cover
 3. Waiting on Winter Concession assignments
 - a. Basketball; Baseball; Soccer
 4. Question was asked if we could reach out and ask feeder schools for volunteers
 - a. Answer was yes, but would prefer to keep volunteers in house
- C. Homecoming activities in full swing
1. Homecoming Dance – Oct 8th
 2. Pep Rally – Oct 6th
 3. Volleyball Games – Oct 4th & 7th
 4. Cross Country – Oct 5th (NE Sports Complex)
 5. Football Game – Oct 6th
- D. Looking at purchase of trailer to transport and store merchandise for sales and various games
1. Company in San Marcos has 5 x 8 trailer for \$3500 and 5 x 10 trailer for \$4500
 2. Insurance for trailer would be approximately \$500 per year
 3. Ideal to keep trailer on campus
 - a. Will ask Band about fenced in area they utilize
- E. More new merchandise coming, and new vendor has helped with caps and other embroidered items. Need help with volunteers for merchandise sales
1. More bucket caps are coming in
 2. Winter items, such as: scarves, beanies, and winter blankets
 - a. Some winter item prices ranging from \$50 – \$70
- VI. Coaches Announcements
- A. We need volunteers to help run the concessions our school is assigned

- B. Girls' Golf brought home 1st Place Trophy
- C. SSR Jackets are offered to everyone this year – Inaugural jacket
 - 1. Tomorrow, Oct 4th is last day to order jacket this semester – 7:30 – 9:00 AM
 - 2. There will be another order for the jackets placed next year
- D. Pep Rally – Wednesday, Oct 5th at 6:30 PM at our football field
 - 1. We will have a Court, but no King nor Queen
- E. Homecoming Game – Thursday, Oct 6th
 - 1. Team dinner – Shredded Pulled Hawk Sandwiches
- F. Friday, Oct 7th – Volleyball Freshman Game and concessions
- G. Saturday, Oct 8th – JV Football (Away) and Freshman Football (Home) games
- H. School Dedication will be November 9th
 - 1. Sonia Sotomayor will not be present
 - 2. Kids who helped name the school will be present, along with their essays
- I. Window Wraps
 - 1. Color on walls of school was decided long before the school colors were decided
 - 2. Colors present on the school walls were decided based on the wildflowers that were present at the location
 - 3. Football fundraiser will go to the athletic wing; to have the aesthetics of hallway match the school colors
 - a. Window wraps; trophy cases
 - 4. Requesting for booster to purchase wrap for weight room
- J. Weight Room
 - 1. Steel is on back order
 - a. Lockers and weights are coming in; everything is coming together
 - b. Medicine balls; dumb bells; racks in weight room (3 per rack)
 - c. 96 kids working out all at one time
- K. SportsYou
 - 1. Free app we use
 - 2. Parent asked if there was a way to sift through the messages without missing pertinent information
 - a. Use of Chat function explained – can send direct message to individual and not to the whole group
- L. Shirt and towel give aways during games
 - 1. Have cheer throw them out to the crowds during games
- M. Tennis – kids are competing and achieving many wins
- N. Cross Country has another meet coming up

VII. Next Regular Meeting

- A. Projected Date:
Monday, November 7, 2022
Time: 6:30 PM
Location: Sotomayor High School Cafeteria

VIII. Meeting Adjourned at 7:29 PM

Minutes submitted by: Kimberly Wasley

Attendees:

Morales, Juan	(Athletic Coordinator)
Goble, Kelli	(Assistant Athletic Coordinator)
Hernandez, Joel	(President)
Morales, Janina	(VP)
Wasley, Kimberly	(Secretary)
Rogers-Casarez, Catherine	(Secretary)
Adejobi, Kaci	
Hernandez, Debe	
Olivo, Tracy	
Perez, Marilyn	
Prose, Kat	
Reyna, Guadalupe	
Sanchez, Jennifer	
Solis-Rios, Teresa	
Whitfield, Jessie	
Young, Erica	