

Welcome and Meeting Called to Order by Pat Killpatrick.

Secretary's Report – Sheri Slattery

Motion made and passed to approve September minutes. All booster reps asked to sign in for attendance and note any changes so the distribution list may be updated.

President's Report – Pat Killpatrick

Thank You to all Booster Bash volunteers and HUGE Thank You to Lee Norwood for leading the Booster Bash fundraiser. After expenses, approx. \$6,400 went back to individual teams, \$475 to the coaches' Wall of Need, and \$14,000 to the General Boosters fund. A suggestion was made to put Wall of Need on website or display at concessions to raise awareness.

The new indoor concession stand will be open in January. Pat and Sharon are working on a list of items to be purchased. If anyone has any food service connections, please contact Pat or Sharon. Sharon has volunteered to oversee the new concession stand initially but we are looking for some "stand managers" that will take turns opening up, overseeing the volunteers, closing up. It should be on a rotating basis and should only be a few games if we can get a small group. The actual concession workers will continue to be volunteers from the sports teams that are out of season.

Northeast HS underestimated the Severna Park fan base and have asked for more volunteers to work at the football concessions. We are now asking for 10 volunteers for each shift. We are covered for this weekend!

Pat is working on recruiting a volunteer to oversee the Mulch Sale. (We have great documentation from previous years) Please contact Pat if you would like to volunteer to chair the Mulch Sale. Initially, we need to set a date and possibly find an alternate location as the school parking lot may not be large enough or available to us in April due to construction. SPMS, Elks lodge were mentioned as possibilities.

Vice President's Report – Bob Hallet

Bob is working on Capital Campaign fundraising for the new stadium. Bob would like to meet with the Severna Park Chamber of Commerce to solicit donations and contact corporate sponsors. Initially, we need to define the overall structure and "levels of giving" and create a fundraiser letter so we may solicit donations. If anyone is interested in helping out with fundraising for the new stadium, please contact Bob or Pat. This is an awesome opportunity to get involved – we will need funds to purchase equipment for the new outdoor concession stand and also for an upgraded digital scoreboard. PLEASE consider volunteering your time to help out in any way!

Treasurer's Report – Sharon Burke

Team balances were emailed today to all reps. Please contact Sharon if you have any questions.

Membership Report – Frederica Becnel

Membership report was emailed to all reps. Please review and contact Fred if you have any questions. For the Fall, we have approx. 66% membership from athletes. A suggestion was made that Reps should email (BCC) those that haven't joined.

Athletic Director's Report – Dave Lanham

Dave thanked all coaches in attendance. Field Hockey, Boys Soccer, Cross Country and Unified Tennis are all competing in county championships – Good Luck!

Winter Sports registration is now open until November 8. Athletes should go online and register if they are planning on playing a winter sport at SPHS.

The 1st game in the new gym will be on Jan 10, 2017!!

Administration Report – Bill Smith

The new building is looking great and we are still on schedule to move over winter break. There will be 3 days added to break for the transition (December 22, January 3, January 4). Open House has been scheduled for January 5 and January 7.

New Business –Pat Killpatrick

Motion made and passed to donate \$100 to Yearbook advertisement for special supplement.

Motion made and passed to donate \$100 to Maryland State Athletic Directors Association for a professional sponsorship.

Motion made and passed to donate \$26,500 for Daktronics scorer's table for new gymnasium. Initially we will contract 10 sponsors @ \$1500/year. Table should be paid off in 2 years and future advertising will be an income source for Boosters in the future. Businesses would advertise on a "loop" on the digital scoreboard. Contact Pat if you know anyone interested in an anchor sponsorship.

Meeting adjourned 8:15 pm

Next Meeting: Wednesday, November 9, 2016 at 7pm - SPHS Media Center