

## **Boise Brave Boosters Board Meeting Minutes**

**October 2, 2018**

**Attendance:** Amy Roe, Mary Williams, Jennifer Dandrea, Heather Timmel, Robb Thompson, Kirsten Cadwell, Shawn Del Ysursa, Nikki Reynolds, Annie Langston, Maddie Oppenheimer, Tina Michael, Katie Walther, Stacy Slattery, Cindy Hartley, Julie Manning, Carrie Simplot.

**Call To Order:** Tina Michael called the meeting to order at 3:34pm

**Old Business:** September minutes were approved by Shawn Del Ysursa, Mary Williams seconded.

### **Monica Church- Student Leadership Representative**

Has requested more parent support during dances. The size of dance has increased substantially and they need additional help from families to keep events safe for students. At the Homecoming dance they sold 300 additional tickets at the door. Monica suggested they have a designated "parent" for each dance to work with Monica prior to the event to manage the large number of student attendees. BHS will have two more dances: a winter dance and PROM.

### **Maddie Oppenheimer- Student Representative**

Homecoming festivities were very successful and well attended by both students and parents. Next up is a Halloween block party and in early November is the Sophomore student elections.

### **Robb Thompson- Principal**

We had outstanding participation at Homecoming events, especially the football game. The inaugural Booster Tailgate BBQ was a big success. Construction Update- Field House and Parking Lot will be completed by end of the week. Turf repair will happen next. In the new Performing Arts Bldg, windows are going in and sheet rock is being hung completion is still on track for Jan 1st. The new Gym is moving towards a Late Feb/March 1st completion date. Robb gave a Braves Booster Financial Update, over \$30,000 in funds has been collected. Way to go Boosters! Down the road Robb plans to share a detailed accounting showing how much each groups receives.

Upcoming Dates:

10/10- PSAT

10/10- Senior Pictures

10/17- Teacher Appreciation Lunch

First part of November- Winter Sports Begin

10/23-10/24- Teacher Conferences

10/31 College Fair

### **Dani Latrell - BEN Representative**

Membership has grown and they are planning some fun inclusive events this year. The total budget for these events is \$445 and include:

De-Stress Days- Yoga/Meditation, Coloring Books, Movies with candy

Brave of the Month- Gift cards

Story/Cultural Day Promotion- talk about your culture, share stories

Kindness Week- Pictures, posters, ribbon or candy

Whittier- Read to kids and help with homework

Ben received a Grant for their story telling project. They will plan to share these "Stories" using videos, instagram and website. Board approved a \$500 budget to facilitate this year's activities.

### **Cindy Hartley- Teacher Representative**

Thanked the Hospitality crew for lunch last month. This Friday is the last day for students to turn in missing or late assignments. Teachers plan to announce the next "Big Read" soon. The summit theme is about finding common ground.

### **Kirsten Cadwell- Treasurer's Report**

Kirsten reviewed current financial statement and booster income/expenses. Nicki Reynolds approved the financials and Katie Walther seconded.

### **Julie Manning- Brave Auction Update**

An executive committee has formed to assist Jenn Kevan. Sub-Committee are also forming and anyone who would like to help out can sign up for the following; food/beverage committee, silent auction, live auction committee, etc. Contact Vicki Swerdloff ([swerdloffvicky@gmail.com](mailto:swerdloffvicky@gmail.com)) if you would like to help. We are in search of a Graphic Designer to help with art work and brochure. The next auction meeting is 11:30am on October 10th at the 36th Street Garden Center Restaurant.

Event Details:

March 9th and the Stuekle Sky Center

This year's theme is "A Brave Night"

### **Athletics Update- Nikki Reynolds**

New Athletic Director Brian Barber has been actively attending Fall events. A new softball coach has been hired, Tony Zaragoza. Nikki shared the following sports updates:

Football Varsity is 0-5, JV 0-5 and Sophomore is 2-3. Soccer districts are coming up. Boys

Soccer- Varsity is 2nd seed, JV is 1st seed. Girls Soccer- Varsity and JV is in 1st Place.

Volleyball -Varsity is in 7th place, JV in 4th and Sophomore in 1st place. Girls Cross Country is in the top 10 in the nation! Boys Cross Country is in 4th place. Mountain Biking team is doing very well with one member ranked nationally. New Wrestling coach is Mike Rhinard.

**Meeting Adjourned** at 4:40pm

**Next Meeting:** November 6th at 3:30

