

## **Boise Braves Booster Board Meeting**

**January 8th, 2019**

**Attendance:** Tina Micheal, Katie Walther, Robb Thompson, Annie Langston, Maddie Oppenheimer, Vicky Swerdloff, Julie Manning, Carrie Freeman, Tricia Miller, Amy Roe, Carrie Simplot, Kirsten Cadwell, Shawn Del Ysursa, B.J. Katz, Karen Campbell, Nikki Reynolds, Jenifer Dandrea

Vicky Swerdloff Approved December Minutes and was seconded by Jennifer Dandrea

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

Monica informed the board of an exciting upcoming conference for students called Young Woman and Leadership. The conference is February 15th, from 8-2:30 at Boise State. She is seeking board members to encourage, promote and/or sponsor students to attend. The cost is \$20/attendee. Her goal is to have a full bus load of students attend. Please contact Monica Church for more information.

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

January 25th is the Winter Assembly. The SADIES dance is coming up on January 26th. Leadership is planning a Sadie's spirit week with dress up days all week. A Sadie's volunteer sign up was sent out by Amy Roe. Prom is April 27th. Registration will take place for Sophomores and Juniors the beginning of February. The Sophomore elections were successful and 7 new incoming Representatives have been selected. In February, Leadership will be volunteering at the Idaho FoodBank. Maddie informed the board that she is organizing the Woman's March on January 19th.. Go Maddie!!

### **Principal's Report- Robb Thompson**

Robb welcomed the board back after the Holidays and asked members if families had received positive feedback from students on new Finals schedule. Board members agreed that we like having finals completed before Holidays and he shared administration likes it as well. The Class of 2022 open house is January 24th from 6-7:30. BHS Counselors head to North and Hillside to help students sign up for classes shortly after that. The incoming Sophomore class is very large! Friday, March 15th is the last day of class before Spring Break. May 21st is graduation. Heart of the brave will be either April 26th or May 3rd (TBD).

Construction update, the top floor of new building is finished. Temporary occupancy will be last week of January. March 1st is looking solid for gym completion. The last day of school for Seniors coincides with the first day of AP exams. This means some seniors will finish and others will have testing. A discussion ensued regarding how to deal with Senior's last day. Robb wants to shift yearbook signing to May 17th and was

thinking about in lieu of an academic breakfast could we could host a Senior breakfast for all seniors and parents. We will continue to discuss at future meetings.

### **Kirsten Cadwell- Treasurer**

Kirsten reviewed current financials. All grants that were voted on during the last meeting were funded. The girls and boys basketball team received a \$11,500 booster payout. The boys basketball team had 100% participation signing up boosters. Winter Boosters received a \$26,000 payout for basketball, choir, drama and orchestra. Nikki Reynolds moved to approve current financials and Jennifer Dandrea seconded.

### **Carrie Freeman- Senior Party**

The Senior party will be May 21st at Wahooz from 11pm-4am, a discussion ensued regarding transportation, parent volunteers, cost etc... stay tuned for more information. Thank you Carrie and Tricia for planning!

### **Auction Update- Vicky Swerdloff**

The party will be March 9th at Stuekle Center. Vicky encouraged the board to spread the word and think of including others to sit at a table with you to broaden the base of attendance. Our goal is to create a comfortable & fun atmosphere to raise money. Julie Manning requested help to find additional auction items including a restaurant suggestion for an 8 person dinner donation and possible lunch donation to go with existing auctions items. Please contact Julie for suggestions.

**Meeting is adjourned at 4:32**

**Next Meeting is February 5th, 2019.....Happy New Year!**