

EHT Baseball Booster Meeting
October 9, 2014 7:00 PM

Location: Room 180 in the High School

Attendance:

Jim Agostino	Mike Epifanio
Kathy Baruffi	Lori Fowler
Brian Carmichael	Leslie Henry
Joslin Carmin	Cheryl Kent
Lisa D'Alessandro	Viana Laboy
Shae Dailyda	Leeann Lahoud
Suzanne Devito	James Michener
Brian Dickson	John Swentkowski
Gary Elwell	Maria Zitto

Opening: Cheryl opened the meeting by introducing all board members to the parents in attendance. Cheryl nominated Shae Dailyda to become the booster club's board secretary, Leslie Henry seconded.

Treasury Report: Balance \$3,996.60 after all payments. John reported that the booster club opened a separate checking account for the Myrtle Beach, SC trip. The booster club will continue to do normal fundraising for the team while the players committed to going to Myrtle Beach will have a separate fundraising committee and activities.

Coach Carmichael Reported: Coach Carmichael informed the booster club of his wish list of equipment for this year. Catcher's mat costs approximately \$500, Bullpen banners cost approximately \$325/pp, and Windscreen costs approximately \$3,000. The windscreen may have to wait until another year.

Coach Carmichael also tried to clear the confusion with the physical forms and the pay-to-play. If the players are using the weight room during the winter, all physical forms are due now and so is the \$100 for pay to play. Pay to play money is non-refundable even if the player does **not** make the team. Physical forms are good for one year only. Player must fill out a re-cert if less than one year and hand it in to the nurse. Go to eht.k12.nj.us, High School, Sports Forms & Info, Physical Form, or Re-certification Form.

Coach Carmichael will have Coach Coyle refresh and update the baseball website. You will also be able to find all information and forms there www.eht.baseball.weebly.com First day of baseball officially starts March 6, 2014.

Fundraising: Cheryl and John looking into the possibility of setting up the booster club as a 503(c) non-profit for fundraising purposes. Coach Carmichael will get a list of booster club presidents from other teams that may want to partner with baseball to do raffles.

Cheryl has Wawa tickets for \$5. The ticket is good for a Shortie and baseball makes \$2 profit. Baseball will be selling throughout the year. If anyone wants to sell them, contact Cheryl.

Baseball will be doing a Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night fundraiser in November. Shae Dailyda will coordinate and promote.

Cheryl looked into Applebee's pancake breakfast fundraiser. We need to guarantee 100 people. A \$100 deposit is required and looking to do in December with a Santa.

Also in December the booster club is looking into doing a poinsettia sale.

A parent suggested a coin drop at the intersection of West Jersey and English Creek.

Gary Elwell and Mike Epifanio will head up business sponsor forms and will start putting together in January.

Baseball will be holding a beef and beer at the bowling alley sometime in March.

People that buy a tick to go will receive one free ticket for future bowling.

Other business: No University of Penn this year due to a lack of interest from the players.

Coach Carmichael will handle clothing order for sweatshirts and t-shirts.

Adjourn: 8:15pm

Cheryl Kent , Pres.

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