St Peter Boosters Board of Directors

April Minutes

Virtual Meeting April 14, 2021 @ 7:00pm

<u>In Attendance:</u> Mary Lager, Josh Drinkall, Bill Soderlund, Kristi Davis, Brain Odland, Jordan Paula, Sara Orth, Joy Reese, Katie Looft, Betsy Anderson, Cinde Wiebusch, Bob Kamm, Pat Klubben, Sean Keating, Bill Stuewe, and Jessalyn Mercado

- Meeting called to order at 7:00pm
- Approval of Agenda: Jessalyn motioned to approve, Bill second. Agenda approved.
- Approval of March minutes: Josh motioned to approve, Kristi second. Minutes Approved.

Treasurer's Report

No Activity since last meeting.

Booster Bash

 The Booster Bash has been cancelled for this year. Kristi motioned to approve, Josh second.

Budget 2021-2022

- The Sub-Committee met to discuss the 2021-2022 budget.
- Josh had reached out to 11 other Booster Clubs in an effort to see how they
 handle their budgeting plan for each year. We are the only club that currently has
 a formula to allot per sport.
- Detailed information will be provided on alternate budget options to the coaches and the booster board members. Discussions will take place before a decision is made and the board votes.

Funding Requests

- \$2,020 equipment request 24' Zone chute for football. Cinde Motioned to approve, Josh second Approved.
- Vote on reimbursement of an additional \$2,020 that they have already paid out of their budget. Bob K. motioned to approve, Josh second - Approved.

Batting Cage Requests-

The Saint Peter Baseball Association, City, and school are working on putting batting cages at CSP and have asked if the booster club would be willing to get involved. They have asked about two potential options. The cost of a 70 foot cage is approximately \$6500. Jordan is waiting on a finalized quote.

- 1) The school booster club purchase one outright and the association would purchase a 2nd (we'd have one by each field on the east side of the park)
- 2) School booster club pay for half of one and association would match Another option:

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- 3) School boosters buy 2 (one for baseball one for softball) or at minimum see if the softball association would want to help pay for one.
- There is significant interest in doing this project and helps facilitate the growth of that park into hosting more games, etc. I did ask if our softball teams could use the cages and the answer is yes. That being said, if the softball association wanted to do something similar for the softball fields on the west side, that'd certainly be of interest, however, it'd be at a greater cost. I know there is a push to do more tangible things as a booster club, and this to me benefits the school, youth, could help track throwers, etc.
- Joy will reach out to the Softball Association and contact the Baseball Association for more clarification and information. A decision will be made at May's meeting.

Athletic Director's Report

- Shae Roehrkasse has accepted the Athletic Director Position at the Saint Peter High School. Welcome!
- MDH is requiring spectators to be masked at all indoor and outdoor sporting events.
- Theaters Spring Show will be coming up soon. More details to come.
- Prom will be taking place at Chankaska, the Grand March will be held at the High School.
- Graduation plans are in the works Hoping to have Graduation outside this year if weather cooperates. Otherwise it will be held in the Gym.
- Large logo is up in the gym and the pool record board has been installed and put up.
- Waiting on quote for Booster Clubs permanent board with interchangeable names.

Annual Meeting

-will be a Zoom meeting.

Next Meeting:

May 12th -Virtual

Meeting adjourned at 8:23pm - Josh motioned to approve, Katie second.