

# RHAM SPORTS BOOSTERS

## Board Meeting September 6, 2017

### RHAM High School - 7:30

**Attendees: Vin Colonna, Steve Turco, Mary Cochefski, Alexandra Smith, Jenn Boehler, Lori Tarka, Linda Hadley, Wedny Dietz, Amy Consadene, Linda Armstrong**

- **Welcome/ Public Comment**
- **Committee Reports:**
  - **Secretary-** 8/14 minutes approved
  - Treasurer report-** Balance is \$14,192
- **Open Positions- Membership, Communications-** still open . Board discussed the inclusion of Student Representatives who would assist with events and social media. Opportunity is listed in with Guidance for those interested.
- **Operations update- None**
- **Open House- High School, Middle School-** Thurs 9/14 HS- set up 5:30 Thurs 9/26 MS - @6pm. Boosters will attend and sell remaining apparel as well as memberships.
- **Home Openers- fall season- soccer/football/volleyball**  
Football 9/9 1pm (12:30), 9/8-boys soccer 3:45 volleyball 5pm, 9/12 girls soccer 3:45. We will reach out to teams and help promote their home openers with fliers in the school, free food, etc.
- **Apparel – Current Inventory, Rhampage shirts**  
We will look to move apparel in clearance sale at Open Houses. We will order 100 Rhampage shirts for the student body white w blue lettering and extra 30 for parents same colors as last year. We hope to have student help with the Rhampage shirts and also will have at home openers.

**RHAM Admin updates-** Middle school baseball/soccer field has a sprinkler system. Tennis court resurfacing, new irrigation

system for pit(Calarco was not consulted on irrigation job) , new drainage approved for Comp field, survey for maintenance shed area in Oct date, Mascot field painting has been requested, upgrades to baseball fencing and infield Lack of field space is an issue. 316 field is being overused as a practice field for lacrosse, football and soccer. By installing a turf field, this would allow more constant use, allow for lights, and increase play time for all field sports with minimal maintenance. Costs are being researched as well as ways to raise capital.

- **Team Liaisons-** no report

- **Special Events**

#### **Coaches vs Cancer**

10/6 Soccer, 10/7 Football under the lights

**Wine tasting 11/11**-Will sell tix online so no paper tickets will be necessary. Also allows RSB to capture names for future events and email lists. Sports teams can sell tickets. Looking for sponsorships as well 5 big ticket items to raffle at the event.

#### **Sr Nights, Sports Banquets – dates TBD**

- **PA System-** Looking to purchase a PA/music system to be owned/stored at Concession stand. Currently have borrowed Vin C and Hebron Baseball for most of the events.
- **New Business-**
- Financial Request – Cheerleading would like assistance with the purchase of new tumbling mats which total \$6,300. Group agreed to provide a donation but will decide amount at the next meeting.
- Sponsor request – The Hebron PTA would like the RSB to sponsor the Wizards Basketball fundraiser September 29. Group agreed to spend \$50 for a ¼ page ad.
- **Mtg Adjourned-** 8:45pm
- Next Meeting - TBD