

2008-2009 TIGER ATHLETIC BOOSTERS
3-9-09 MEETING
R.S.H.S. CAFETERIA

ATTENDANCE:

Docia McCool	Lisa Quinn	Dirk Beatty	Lori Hill	Dave Blankenship
Carole Sexton	Terry Hyland	Janet Grantham	Sue Willert	Joe McCullin
Lisa Osborne	Maryanne Snyder			

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:

- Treasurer's Report – Bank balance as of 2/19/09 is \$10,582.02.
- Taxes – A professional accountant has never prepared TAB taxes in the past. Lisa found a professional accountant and the taxes are now being done correctly. The new accounting firm is O'Donnell & Company in Elkton. Fee for this service is \$150-\$200. TAB is to report as a non-profit organization and needs a "non-profit tax card". One cannot be obtained until TAB is in compliance. . The new accountant is filing the proper forms and straightening out some logistics for us. TAB was able to get an extension for filing taxes. O'Donnell & Company will train the new TAB treasurer.

Old Business

- Sandals – The Girls Softball sandals (flip-flops) are in. They are selling concession this Friday (3/13) and hope to sell them there. An ad was placed on Channel 68. Sandals sell for \$15 (our cost \$10). Have only up to size 10 and they are unisex. Fliers will be sent to all sports. The sandals will also be sold at the volleyball game and track meet.
- Basketball Concessions – Concessions are going very well. Lisa reported that the boys raised \$2700 in 06-07 and it paid for their uniforms. Girls Basketball paid for their warm ups with concessions.
- Baseball Pitcher's Mound – was ordered in January and has not arrived yet. Expected to be shipped out this week. Process may take longer because Board of Education must approve orders over \$1000.
- Soccer Basket Bingo – Detailed income/expense sheet for this fundraising event was submitted to Docia. It was very successful and raised over \$4000 for Girls Soccer. This fundraiser will pay for most of the uniforms.
- Cecil County Fair – The cost for a booth is \$150. Ideas regarding what to sell: Ravens tickets, 50/50 raffle tickets, Phillies tickets; candy for \$1.00 (must keep it cold), snoballs; "Tiger" bottled water, Tiger spirit wear. Date of the Fair is July 24-31. We will need volunteers to work the booth throughout the week. Fair organizers need to know ASAP if we want a booth. It must be paid for up front and approved by them.

New Business

- Cheerleading - tryouts are April 22nd, and Docia will be one of the judges. They have requested new uniforms for varsity, and JV would receive existing varsity uniforms.
- Track Meets – TAB to run concessions during track meets. Also ask boys lacrosse team (varsity and JV) for help. Docia will contact the Track coach and work something out.
- Purchase Orders – purchase order numbers are now needed to order from Kelly Sports.
- Concessions (softball, lacrosse, baseball) – should TAB or the Lacrosse team run the concessions? A small table close to the field is okay to sell concessions. Need clarification.
- Spirit Wear – Docia asked for approval to order "TAB" shirts. Docia will look into the cost, etc.

APPROVED

- Student Council/Volleyball Tournament – there was an issue with concessions sold at the volleyball tournament and where the money ended up. Lisa clarified for the group that any money made from fundraisers and/or for team requests through TAB is to be turned in to TAB. Seems to be events lately where money and extra food, sodas, etc. is not making its way back through TAB. Possible miscommunication.

Other Items Discussed

- Gore Volunteer Grant – Applied for Grant and four other parents submitted an application. The more people that apply, the more money we could receive – up to \$500.
- Tiger Spirit Wear Sales – Discussed and looking into selling Tiger spirit wear on line. Thirty percent (30%) of sales would go to TAB. Site will sell all sports clothing. Representative from the internet site was invited to attend a future TAB meeting to explain logistics and answer questions.
- Senior Award Night – TAB involved in picking winners. Award is \$200 per student - 4 students chosen (2 female, 2 male). Docia asked that everyone send ideas by March 16th for award criteria to her, Dirk, and Lisa. Some ideas were: GPA minimum, number of sports in which students are involved, coaches recommendation. TAB will vote on criteria that is submitted.

NEXT MEETING:
Monday, April 6th at 6:30 pm
RSHS Cafeteria.