

RRHS Baseball Booster club October Minutes
10/18/2016 7:00 pm

1. Call to order/Sign in
2. Approve minutes from the previous meeting- James Brieger 2nd: Roy Bush
3. Financial Statement—Ken Shepherdson
Current account balance is right around- \$44,000.00

4. Current Activities:

A. Dragon Scales- Completed Contact-nebrieger@gmail.com, 512-925-3536

B. Website/ Media—Don Hawkins Update---

Website is up and running. Merchandise shop is up and running as well. Would still like to add:

Dragon Scales pictures, FAQ, Coach profiles and pictures, RR tournaments and sponsors, Letter from president/coach, Booster club membership form/payment option, Casino Night info/sponsors/ticket sales, Boyles pictures with possibly a link to purchase, KMAC link and schedule, flyer for Meet the Dragons, registration for tryouts soon.

C. Home Depot Liaison

Contacts- Jack and James- dilullo@us.ibm.com, jmbrieger@gmail.com
Nothing new on this at this point.

D. Sponsorship/ Signage committee

Contact- Mike Doss- mdoss@ibtx.com
Is working to revise the page and will use Nov/Dec. to talk to businesses. Also possibly give them multi year options with a price break. Also, looking for a sponsor for the Rock Hardball Tournament.

E. Projects: Lights in the batting cage, fan over concession stand, Branding of Dragon Stadium

Looking into Led lights for the batting cages

Fans: Booster club will purchase 2 fans at Northern Tool for around \$200.00 each. Electrician will install them once purchased.

Motion to purchase fans: Hawkins, 2nd- Doss

Branding of Dragon stadium approved at last meeting.

K. Meet the Dragons/Casino Night- Will take place February 4th

Meet the Dragons: Need to create a flyer to distribute to all elementary schools so we can get the word out about the event. Traci Pettit has one from last year that we will update.

Casino Night committee will need to get 3 different bids on locations and 3 different bids on casino companies. Will discuss those bids once they are in.

Workday (December before finals)—Will set the date at our next meeting

Coaches Corner: Coach Carter

- UIL- Superintendents will vote in January to decide whether we get a tournament back for next year. Dr. Flores is a yes.
- UIL- pitch counts are now in effect. For JV teams, each dugout keeps the count for both teams. For Varsity, both dugouts plus a neutral party will keep the count and check in with each other at the end of every inning. There are consequences if the coaches don't follow the pitch count rules. They are listed on the UIL website.
- Speed/agility and strength training will possibly be offered outside of school 3-4 times per week. Anyone will be able to participate. \$30-\$50 per student. Possibly offered by the strength coach with the Washington Nationals who is living here in town currently. Would be offered the months before tryouts start. More info coming soon.
- Looking into putting a wall in the outfield instead of the fence we currently have. Coach is turning in a request to the school district to get it approved. Estimate is it could run about \$45,000.00 with a 50 year warranty. They said it could be cheaper if parents help with the labor portion.
- Turf will be put in the week of Thanksgiving.

Meeting adjourned

Next meeting : 11/15/2016@ 6pm—Baseball portable
Dates to remember---Tryouts in January, 3/25 Sr. Day.