Friends of Ironmen Football

Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, August 13th, 2019

* Call to Order by Jennifer Lowrance at 6:02 pm
* Minutes – Motion was made by Danalee Ogg to delay reading of minutes until next meeting. Motion was seconded by Amy Pratt.
* President – Jennifer Lowrance
  + Get the Stadium Ready for the Season is Aug. 17th from 9:00 – 11:00 am.
  + Hand out Varsity Signs will be held Aug. 17th as well.
* Vice President – Lisa Lay
* Nothing to report
* Treasurer’s Report – Julie Patten
  + Julie provided the finance update.
  + Current ending balance is $29,066.52
* Communications – Jennifer Lowrance
* Nothing to report.
* Concessions – Amy Pratt
* Nick Kearfoot will send emails to the student organizations working concessions next week. After Prom will be working all JV concessions. We will have 3 different organizations working the Bloomington High School game as there will be satellite concession areas set up for that game.
* Cleaning supplies to be used for stadium clean up day are already in the concession area.
* Dine Arounds – Katie Horton
* The Jason’s Deli fundraiser earned $156.73.
* Katie will follow up with Spotted Dog again regarding possible bartending for tips as a fundraiser.
* Katie reached out to HyVee regarding bagging groceries for tips as a fundraiser. HyVee will require 8-11 players to be present for bagging. It was decided that this fundraiser date should be held after the season is over.
* Kick Off Bash – Ellen Harlow
* Ellen is making stadium risers to display food.
* Ellen will communicate to Eastland Suites that we will need 8 tables to display auction items.
* Friar Tuck is donating several boxes of wine to be used as complimentary wine at each table.
* The corking fee for the donated bottles was waived by Eastland Suites.
* Eastland Suites requests the payment of $1500 be made several days prior to the event.
* Check payment due to the caterer will be $1360.00
* Check payment due to the DJ will be $275
* Ellen will be donating centerpieces for each table as decoration. These centerpieces will also be sold at each table as a fundraiser with a minimum price of $25 for the larger centerpieces and $15 for the smaller centerpieces.
* We have received donations from the following: Girl Friday, Friar Tuck, Touchstone Crystal, TM Hair Design, Bears, Donnie B’s, Limelife Basket, Monat Basket, Spirit Wear, Annetta Blair, K’s Academy, LaTiDa Designs, Raders Family Farm, Blackhawk, Unit 5, BreakThru Beverage, and Reads Sporting Goods.
* The event space is available beginning at noon on Sept. 7th for decoration/set up.
* Ellen will set up a sign-up genius for set up help and for tailgate game loans.
* Ticket Sales have not really started up yet. We need to jump on this right away.
* Photography – Danalee Ogg
* Nothing to report.
* Spirit Wear – Wendy Dwinal, Trish Fela, Jenny Mackey
* The recent spirit wear offering sold 125 items for a profit of $266.00.
* Spirit Wear pick up is scheduled for Aug. 17th during stadium clean up.
* The spirit wear committee will explore possibly offering year-round spirit wear orders through Minerva.
* Sponsorships – Ami Hileman
* Sponsors have been added to the FOIF website.
* Team Parents – Kelly Johnson
* Still looking for 2 JV and 2 Freshman food coordinators.
* Away meals will consist of Avantis gondola, chips, cookie, water, and Gatorade.
* We will purchase gondolas only from Avantis and the rest from Sams. This will reduce costs.
* Varsity Meals – Karen Quinn, Krista Rawlings, Jacki Tracy
* All meal dates have been confirmed except for 1 date (Danville game)
* 50/50 Raffle Manager – Yvette Potts, Val McGaugh
* Nothing to report.
* Old Business
* We will not be holding a T Shirt fundraiser for the West game.
* New Business
* Picture Day is Aug. 19th after school.
* Volunteers will be needed to help stencil the field on Aug. 25th. Lisa Lay will reach out shortly before the 25th dependent on weather.

Motion to adjourn made by Lisa Lay and seconded by Julie Patten at 6:52 pm.

Next Meeting Monday, August 13 (6:00 PM) at TBD.