

Buchholz High School



FL-821 Air Force JROTC Booster Club

Meeting Minutes – April 14, 2015

In attendance: Officers Robin Rivera, James Islam, and Wendy Sheehan. Members present: Jim Roberts, Rick Price, Thomas McAlear, James Townsend, Al Hodges, Richard Townsend, Elijah Baluyot, Nic Hodges, Ashley Scarborough, Ann Almond

1. Call to order and Pledge of Allegiance: Robin Rivera called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.
2. Approval of Meeting Minutes – Minutes from the March, 2015 booster club were distributed. Motion was made by Ann Almond, seconded by James Townsend, and approved unanimously.
3. Financial Report – The treasurer's report was presented. Current balance is \$32,059.10. The report is posted to the website.
 - a. Expenses left to pay out of current month are the varsity letters and banners at approximately \$800.00.
 - b. A motion was made to purchase 30 chairs for the ROTC classroom at approximately \$25.00 each for a total of \$750.00. A motion was made by Wendy Sheehan, seconded by James Islam and approved unanimously.
 - c. Busch Gardens trip: Previously budgeted items.
 - Bus is approximately \$1,100.00.
 - There are 9 \$500 club winners who will attend for free.
 - 22 cadets will pay \$75 to attend.
 - Booster club will pay approximately \$1,000.
4. Old Business
 - a. Awards Night 5/6/15 6:30-8:00. Reception 8:00-8:30.
 - Colonel Roberts will contact drama regarding sounds and lights.
 - Plan is for approximately 200 people.

- Board will supply cake, cupcakes, water and sodas.
5. New Business:
 - a. Voting of Executive Board
 - Rondre Baluyot was nominated for Vice President.
 - Wendy Sheehan was nominated for Secretary
 - James Islam was nominated for Treasurer
 - Robin Rivera was nominated for President
 - Ann Almond made motion to approve the above uncontested nominations. James Townsend seconded the motion. It was unanimously approved.
 - b. ROTC cadet \$500.00 scholarship. Previously budgeted item.
 - It was decided that the board will work on defining this scholarship, and the guidelines.
 - Wendy Sheehan will draft a scholarship application and forward it to the board for approval.
 - c. Zaxbys night: Ann Almond will look into adding a Zaxbys night to support the ROTC program.
 - d. Bowl-A-Rama: James Islam will begin to look at Publix sites. More to come at next meeting. Tentative dates for bowl-a-rama at Splitz would be 10/11 or 10/18. We would sell tickets on 2 weekends (10/2 10/3 10/4, 10/9 10/10 10/11).
 - e. Presentation of cadet executive staff by cadet Nic Hodges
 - A presentation and request was made that the board fund 5 trips a year for the “Top 5 cadets”.
 - They requested that every 9 weeks, the board would fund a trip to a military base or an amusement park and then once a year a bigger trip.
 - Motion was made by Wendy Sheehan and seconded by James Islam to have the cadets provide a written final proposal with exact prices for the June trip up to \$750.00 for final approval for the executive staff “Top5”. The executive staff will create this form. Unanimously approved.
 6. Upcoming dates.
 - a. ROTC Awards Night 5/6/15
 7. Date of Next Meeting – **Tuesday, May 19th at 7 p.m.** in the ROTC Classroom.
 8. Adjournment – Motion was made to end the meeting by Ann Almond and Seconded by James Islam. Unanimously approved. Meeting was adjourned at 8:47 p.m.