

## **FCA Athletic Boosters Minutes**

Thursday, March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2011

Call to order 6:30 pm

Connections Café

Opening Prayer

**Secretary Report:** Approve Minutes

**Treasurer:** Balance approved

### **Old Business:**

- **KOE: Knight of Excellence**

- a. Ticket Sales: Martha, Vicki Wissler, Beth Huth- currently sold out, holding onto 10 extras. Todd was able to place 410 dinner seats. Expecting guests from within and outside the normal audience of FCA/FCC
- b. Dinner: Lisa Stevens, Resa Tobin, Edwards Party- Dishes are counted, menu items have been supplied by Olive Garden, Giant Eagle, Texas Road House and Parents to buy the Cheese Cake (Sam's Club who buys it from Cheesecake Factory, \$11 each...list donated by nights end from attendance, cookie option from Max and Ermas,
- c. Proceed: there is still \$\$ coming in.
- d. Servers: Linda Johnson and Erica Neal: Linda has 23 so far, needs 98 but the letter just went home on Friday and today is Monday. Email to go out as to how to dress. (Chapel uniforms) Papa Johns and Sugar Bears are donating pizza (20) to feed the kids right after school in the café at 3:30. Linda will remind them of their job duties while they are eating. Then they will be given free time to change and meet back by the kitchen and find their tables at 5:00 Carol Gaal is donating cookies, chips, pop
- e. Entertainment: OSU Alumni Band of 30 members for \$500 and joyUnspeakable mime to be the Heinzemen Trophy. He will be there by 4:30 and change in Todd's office. He is only charging us \$450 and will work to keep the entertainment by the auction items going. If it is slow out there, he can get people to bid on things.
- f. Timeline; Vicki (separate attachment) try to keep to this. Martha wanted to edit the auction time, as they need a little more time to close down and prepare for the payment phase. Moved to 7:30.
- g. Publicity: Vicki -to email to all stations and radio contacts advertising the \$10 tickets for the talk. Also had 100 flyers that said, dinner sold out, talk tickets available.
- h. Silent Auction: Martha Sullivan and Jay Hammer, including Becky Knectel this year. They have many items, several of which came from the Cruise for Cancer. Luranitis has signed many things for us. Also includes a ball from our own Knights, mini helmets and Hop-A-Long stuff.
- i. Flyers: made to circulate for the talk only
- j. Program: Vicki, Resa, rough draft is done. Still working on it. Wednesday is cut off day. Printing on Thursday and Friday for 500 programs. Pictures will be popular.
- k. Decorations; Suzanne Young, planning to decorate the edge of the stage and not the tables, as it is very cramped in there. She also plans to hang jerseys by the weight lifting area.
- l. Publicity (again) Vicki has stuff on the River and Nauman's are running it on their digital sign for sponsorship.

- m. Seating: using a hand stamp and check in table by the main entrance of the café. This will take longer, so prepare by getting guests here as early as possible.
- n. Expenses not covered by donations- so far: Band, \$500, Mime, \$450, Groceries, (?188+), Cheesecakes \$288, Hand stamp \$20.
- o. Clean up crew- Todd Stevens gathering help to clear it ALL before we leave.
- p. Gratitude gift for James: He didn't charge us anything, but would like a scholarship fund in his name. Boosters will discuss later. Boosters are providing him with a heavy athletic pull over that has FCA and the KNIGHT on it; along with a dry weave T that has the logo on it. Group discussed a gift card to an expensive restaurant in Columbus. (\$125)
- q. Goals for this week: No signatures announcement, plan to take him out the back door, reserved seating signs for the auditorium, program completion, last minute set up.

New Business:

- a. Spirit Bus to Tournament Game on Tuesday night: \$12 to include entrance fee and ride. Save the \$5 parking fee and get dropped off, right by the door.
- b. OSU Season ticket raffle discussion as a future fundraiser. Vicki shared an idea from the cruise. This brought another school \$40,000. However a raffle is not accepted well in this atmosphere. The tickets usually cost \$3000 for season tickets.
- c. Scripture Banners for the gym have been suggested. Specific references are being solicited. Please bring these suggestions for a discussion at the April meeting.
- d. Mr. Hein and Mr. Van Meter talked with the group about the board's plan for fall of 2011. Discussion about board action on current budget concerns and reviewed some actions made. This will be a longer than 3 year plan. Some changes have occurred. Dr. Beck has resigned. A letter to the student body is planned.

Attendance: Robb Bolar, Carol Gaal, Linda Johnson, Dennis Nolan, Bethanne Martin, Teresa Ruble, Lenny Sheets, Jody Sheets, Kevin Stalter, Jill Stalter, Todd Stevens, Lisa Stevens, Martha Sullivan, Resa Tobin, Roger Weaver, Vicki Wissler, Bryan Brown, Beth Huth, Lee Winters, Big Tim, Dodi Warmish

Meeting Adjourned: 8:55 Todd Stevens, 1<sup>st</sup>, Dennis Noland, 2<sup>nd</sup>

**THANKS TO EVERYONE** who *came and took the time to volunteer for the various projects.*

Next Meeting: April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2011 7-8:00 in the FCA Cafe

Next FUNDRAISER is the JULY 3<sup>rd</sup> fundraiser! Regularly meetings occur the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month except for Spring Break and Missions week, when it is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month. Meetings are positive, supportive and a way to serve our students.

