

Allen Eagle Hoopster Booster

Minutes from the 8-18-09 meeting

7:10 Meeting called to order

Introduction: **Coach Specht** Boy's Varsity

Coach Weibling Girl's Varsity

Coaches explained their vision for Allen Eagle Basketball

Consisting of in order of importance: Community/AHS/Team and players

Main objective is to fill the stands/ **Shelley Blaylock** was nominated as Community Liason

Terry McGrath will follow up regarding the \$7,000 donation from the

City of Allen/ Parks & Recreation to see if they will be able to allocate the same donation this year.

September Membership drive will officially begin with the Hoopster Booster Meeting scheduled on 9-15-09

Reviewed Hoopster Booster important dates

Anything to be added to a general meeting agenda needs to be emailed to Barry, Kathy and the coaches 1 week prior to the next scheduled meeting.

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Moira Variames will streamline the items available to order into one packet and submit to **Cheryl Rothbauer** to add to the website.

Treasurer's Report: starting balance for this year is \$12,783.00 previous year= \$12,809

Coaches discussed the possibility of decorating the hall and tunnel area prior to entering the gym to help motivate the players and get them ready to play.

At this time it is very depressing and a little bit of paint /mural/ pbc board would go a long way to help start a legacy for Allen Eagle Basketball.

The Art department was suggested in order to help keep costs down plus provide an excellent opportunity for school support.

Definitely would like to invite the AHS band to play at several home games this year, however they may be possibly over extended.

Coach Specht will check and get an answer from the band director.

If the AHS band declines then all 3 middle schools will be invited to play at designated home games.

Jon Piles will check with the Natatorium and make sure that the marquee will always indicate home game nights.

Ideas for half time entertainment were discussed:
elementary attendance nights

Tip Off:

If the Mavs Man will come for free then we would definitely like to have him perform, but if not it was suggested that we need to change things up and do some other things.

Not sure who was checking on this probably publicity.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:20pm