Briar Woods Athletic Boosters Club May All Member Meeting

Tuesday, June 10th, 2025 @ 7 pm

Location: Briar Woods HS Library

Attendees:

Geoff Roser
Bryan Muntzer
Erica Kordes
Steve McCarthy
Samantha Peele
Kim Auch
Bo Choe
Valerie Souchack

June 10th BOOSTERS Minutes

Action Item List

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 - Email list from last year
 - Mailchimp on 6/14,
 - Signs need to be made
 - One Sponsor email last year's sponsors?

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- How to add a QR code on the sign? - Have to do something specific to make them work, because if the shape changes - QR code won't work. If we had an electronic board, then we could do qr codes.

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 - Maybe Amanda Hoban helping Kim
- Lots of candy left, reached out to Ms Eddinger but have not heard back.
- Give it to Firehouse, Assess on June 21st Clean up at 10am
- Amanda Hogan may be interested
- Train to do the concessions volunteer credit program
- Cashless was not good 52% down in the winter
- Need to have a specific concessions brainstorming meeting, need to make by 6/1
- Definitely have cash for Varsity Football games

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- \$2000 donation capital infusion into this from Ryan Souchack's Grandfather to promote vs. Capital investment
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- Posted everything online off the website
- Ron at UPS store committed for next year
- Are there investments we can do to give it away for almost free could use the \$2000 investment to help with that. Insert for that weeks' game. Link to take you to something for the games for the week via QR code.
- Need to meet with all of the team parents team mom meeting every season

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- Last year it took a couple of months to distribute the money.

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