Drama Boosters Meeting Notes

September 9, 2026

Tech Week and Opening Night

- Angie reached out to three restaurants about food for tech week: Roosters, Charlies, and Referee's, the new location next to Kroger. She will update the group once something is confirmed.
- The cake for the opening night dinner will be ordered next month.

Show Production

- The first crew meeting was September 8. Set building starts September 10.
- The group is looking for cassette tapes and cases, or anything else 1980s themed, for the set. Anyone with items at home is asked to bring them in.
- Some costumes will come from the costume shop. Others will need to be sourced by students, and families will be notified about what is needed.
- Tiffany has balloon arches that can be used for the show.

Lobby and Decorations

- The group wants ideas for show themed photo ops in the lobby, using items like vinyl records and microphones.
- There are around 20 seniors this year. The group would like something in the lobby to recognize the seniors as well as the full cast, similar to what was done for the spring musical.
- A suggestion was made to set aside time to brainstorm final plans for the lobby and to handle the prep work-this will be done at the 10/7 meeting.

Cast and Crew Appreciation

- Karen sent gift ideas for the cast and crew bags, including colorful click pens with cassette notepads and 1980s style cups with lids and straws.
- Steph will check with her contacts to see whether they can assist with 3D printing the annual cast mementos. Awaiting the final decision on the show branding/colors.

Theatre

- Angie updated the group on the marquee idea Dr. Vens raised. She has reached out to some places about sponsoring the cost and to others for estimates on what a marquee actually costs.
- Light fixtures in the theatre need repair. There is a cost involved.

Promotion and Communication

- Logo ideas were presented for the show shirts, yard signs, and other items.
- Remind sign ups: cast and crew at @wrok26, cast at @svsets. Sign up with these to receive updates.

Fundraising and Finances

- There was a brief discussion about fundraising for the boosters. The account is in a good place at this time. If a need comes up, the group can revisit fundraising in the future.
- A popcorn fundraiser was suggested. The group will revisit it after November.

Next Meeting

- October 7 – 7:00 PM – Room 180 behind theatre. The group will put together the swag bags and signs and plan the lobby, including cast, crew, and senior recognition and the photo op.