



DHSDT Booster Board Meeting
Monday, July 14, 2025
Location - Dexter Wellness Center
Time 6:30 PM

In attendance:
Coach - Morgan Dubey
Coach - Jena Davenport
President - Katie Ramsburgh
VP - Susan Crane
ABCD Rep/Fundraising Chair - Raquel Clayton
Treasurer - Rachael Morley

Call to Order

Coaches Update

- Update on team progress and any needs- The coaches are working on and hoping to have a regular cadence of practices in August. There have been a lot of absences in June and July, but Morgan stated that the biggest challenge was missing two weeks due to DE Nationals and the dead week in July. The group discussed the need for a vacation/missed practices policy but agreed to take a wait and see approach to the rest of the season. In discussion of the holiday break in December, the group agreed and planned that the team will have a break from 12/18-12/29 returning to practice on 12/30 and will be expected to maintain lifting and cardio routines over the break to maintain stamina.
- Jazz costume sale update - Morgan has secured a buyer at a price of \$125/costume and will complete the sale after camp.
- Acro, technique, and strength and conditioning
 - Update on technique dates - Technique will begin in August once a regular practice cadence can be established. Morgan is working with Jess on securing dates for the technique intensives. Acro and weight lifting are going well.

Treasurer's Report

- Budget status - Rachael reported that the payment status is good and the budget is in good shape. Sponsorship money has started coming in. The team earned \$1,406 from the can drive, and we will bring in \$1,625 from the costume sale.
- Senior Night Expenses, Float Expenses, Banquet Expenses related to Scrapbooks: the group discussed the expenses incurred by the junior parent(s) for the senior night and scrapbooks, and material expenses for the parade float. The group agreed that the team should cover the cost of the senior sashes, scrapbooks, and any new float signs.

Fundraising

- August can drive date- The August can drive will be held on 8/24. The team is tentatively planning on the final can drive on 11/30.

- NautiMI - The group discussed looking for a new date in September but agreed that it is best to cancel this one for this year. The fall is just too busy.
- Sponsor Drive status - The group discussed the challenges with the setup and agreed that the current setup as well as the challenges the group is having meeting the deadlines. The deadlines were changed to 7/17 for the second outreach and 7/25 for the final outreach.
- Pulse Nutrition - Raquel is working with the owners on a date and time for a dine to donate and is targeting 8/28.
- Aubrees - Dine to Donate will be 8/7 the final night of the kids camp. The girls will be expected to be at Aubrees after the camp for photo ops with the kids. Raquel will share the details.

Camp

- Physical Forms Status - physical forms are complete

Other items

- August 9 - Parade, potluck, football carwash - the group discussed the parade and potluck - quite a few people will be out of town, so the group opted to cancel the parade participation and move the potluck to August 2. Susan will send out the dinner details and a Signup Genius. Finally, Raquel proposed supporting other sports fundraisers in the hopes that they will in turn support our fundraisers. The group agreed that we would not do the football carwash, as we already have a lot of our own fundraising going on, but will take another look at this in the future.
- Updated checklist and SOPs - Katie updated the annual BOD checklist has been updated, field and renewed the Nonprofit Status Report 2025-26, and drafted a Standard Operating Procedure has been created for hiring a coach based on our experience with hiring Jena and will help in the future should a new coach be needed.
- Parent Spiritwear - Raquel is working on the spiritwear store. We are working with a new vendor. The store will be up in August and gear will be ready for the football season.
- Senior Night Plans - Susan reports that this is all set. The group discussed what is handed out and the group agreed to cut candy from the senior gifts.
- Nationals Flights Plan - The group will continue to monitor
- Alumni Database & Homecoming Tailgate - Raquel presented an idea to host a DHSDT alumni at a homecoming tailgate with a goal of also building an alumni database for future events.
- Practice Pick-Up - Raquel requested that a coach stay behind at practice until all girls are picked up.
- Any additional items - Katie asked the group to change the August meeting date but all agreed we do not need the meet in August. The group agreed to move the meeting dates and times to the second Sunday of the month at 3:30 pm at the Dexter Wellness Center.

Meeting Adjourned