

FOOTBALL PARENTS' CLUB MEETING
August 19, 2009 – 7:00 P.M.
CENTER GROVE HIGH SCHOOL OUTDOOR LOCKER FACILITY

The meeting was called to order by Mark Dietel, President.
A motion was made and seconded to approve the August 12th Parent Club minutes.

Treasurer's Report:

- Ron Daggett shared that accounts were strong – there was a significant sum taken from the Senior escrow accounts, but the accounts still looked good.

Spirit:

- Larry Calvert thanked the Westerfield's and Whitaker's for taking care of the main entrée for Friday night's tailgating.
- Jeff Ponder volunteered to bring the Spirit Trailer to away games.
- Dirk Mattox has taken responsibility for Friday night fireworks.
- Home game set-up/clean-up crews will be assigned by class. Class rep will get 2-3 names to help with this endeavor. Seniors will have the first home game, Juniors the second, Sophomores the third, and Freshman the fourth.
- As there will be more exposure from the media due to last year's successes,
- Mr. Zwit would like to keep children away from the garage area where equipment is stored – this is an unsafe area. Please be sure that you are monitoring your children. Also, be sure to clean up the area by Maple Grove where many children go to eat. Helicopters land there, and we don't want it to be an eye sore.
- All gates have changed. If you are bringing items for tailgating, please bring them before 4:30 p.m. as the gates will be closed prior to the game.

Gridiron Club:

- Mike Duke stated that the new website should be up by the end of the night. There will be pictures of all Spirit Wear.
- The Club continues to need sponsors for televising the games.
- Thanks to Mark Schmitt for working on the banner for the press box.

Meals/Food:

- Kathy Shupe thanked all the moms and dads that helped with the pre-game meal on Friday. There is a sign-up sheet, but even if you didn't sign up, you can still come.
- If you are participating, you need to park in the old Maple Grove parking lot and come in Door #2. If you need to drop something off, that's fine, but do NOT stay in the main entrance parking lot as there is limited parking.
- Players are still wanting cookies and pies (home-made is their favorite).
- Many volunteered to supply a much needed cooler on wheels for post-game meals.

Pertinent information:

- Buttons were given out for seniors and juniors. Sophomore and freshman buttons will be given out by Saturday's game – check with your class rep.
- On Saturday for the JV game, do NOT park in the east Teacher's parking lot. You may still park in the middle of the lot.
- Tailgating takes place in the morning before the JV games. It's "Bring Your Own Coffee", but quarterbacks and receivers are responsible for bringing breakfast foods this week.
- Senior calendars are available.
- Applebee's and Texas Roadhouse fundraiser papers were given out – you must have these when you go to the restaurant for your school to receive credit.

Coach Moore:

- Thanked Mr. Duke for his new business cards and stationery.
- JV football players will know for sure on Thursday who will be playing. There will be 3-6 who might be swing players between Friday and Saturday night.
- 18 players will not have the same numbers as they do on Friday night.
- Extra player packets are available – not sure whether these should be split up or kept intact and sold for \$100.
- Players are participating in a character program entitled, "IMPACT". Monday night before practice, players will have a 15 minute lesson. Coach will bring a packet each week to show what they go over in the group. This week's focus: Initiative.
- No teacher complaints in regards to players up to this point in the school year. Teachers were impressed with the fact that players dressed up in shirts and ties the first day of classes.
- Thanks to all the people who helped with the 2x/days – the meals were awesome.
- Discussed both the Bloomington South and upcoming Perry Meridian game. He's pleased with the performance of the players and looking forward to seeing them in action.

Important dates:

- Friday: Center Grove vs. Perry Meridian @ Southport stadium, 7:00 p.m.
- Saturday: JV @ home, 10:00 a.m.
- Saturday: Freshman @ Perry stadium, 10:30 a.m.

Our **next meeting** will be **Wednesday, August 26, 2009** at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Brenda L. Krebs, Recording Secretary