

## **Westwood Football Booster Meeting Monday, January 26, 2009**

Chris Freeman called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

He went over the agenda from the meeting, involving the schedule, fundraisers and introduced the new Booster Officers and Coach Wood.

President for 2009/2010 is **Chris Freeman**  
Vice President for 2009/2010 is **Corry Johnson**  
Treasurer for 2009/2010 is **Barbara Buchan**  
Secretary for 2009/2010 is **Sue Benyo**

**Chris discussed the reasons why we, the boosters, were here along with Coach Wood.**

**Sue Benyo reviewed the last meeting minutes from December 15, 2008**

First Motion to accept minutes as read by Steve Balazs, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Patricia Jacobson.  
Minutes stand.

### **Treasurer's Report – Barbara Buchan**

Reported on budget, paid the Dave Campbell Classic bill. Broke even on the Banquet and the scholarship is getting ready to be paid out. The 2009-2010 Budget will be ready for review and acceptance at the February Meeting.

Chris led a discussion on the upcoming needs for the new season and what we need funding for.

- New End Zone camera, current one is 10 years old.
- New Football/Training equipment for the new field
- Coaches Clinics
- Scholarships – there are to be 5 - \$1000 Scholarships
- Upgrades to the Locker Room – painting, etc. this is a yearly item
- New Barn at the new practice field
- A “Reach” Goal is for a new Inflatable Run Through Tunnel – Chris showed the slide of the proposed “W”. We need to see if anyone could get sponsorship by What-A-Burger. This new inflatable will be approximately \$13,000.

### **Memberships**

We have a goal to get at least 75% of the players parents to participate this upcoming season. We are looking for Game Day Sponsorships because we will have 7 home games this season. We will still be selling Varsity Gold Cards, so the player will either have to sell or parents can buy-out at the Gold Level Membership.

### **Golf Tournament Fund Raiser**

This year's Golf Tournament will be held at the Star Ranch. We would love to see 144 golfers participate in this event.

**More Fund Raising Opportunities are:**

February 26, 2009 – Thursday – Track Meet at the Warrior Bowl. Need a lead to run Concession Stand to make some money. Patricia Jacobson volunteered – you go girl!

May 23<sup>rd</sup> - Saturday – Track Meet at the Warrior Bowl need volunteers to fun entries, check-in and concession stand.

**Schedule for Spring:**

4/27/09 – Spring Football Starts

5/2/09 – Picnic Tailgate Party over at new field – possibly. This is a Saturday starts at 8:30a.m.

5/21/09 – Warrior Spring Game

6/8/09 – 7/23/09 Summer Camp , break during camp will fall on 7/3 – 7/12

8/21/09 – Brenham @ the Palace

8/28/08 – “The Streak Ends Here!” Westwood versus Lake Travis

Need to get the school involved and maybe ask the Art Department to come up with a T-shirt design that the players can wear the last week of school to start getting everyone excited about the fall season.

**Communication**

We need more communication, so there is talk about having “Blast-texting” set up and there will be a sign-up for that. Also discussed the possibility of having Team Captains attend meetings and/or get information to them for spreading through out the teams.

**Coach Wood**

Coach Wood was introduced and talked about the current Seniors, Chase, Tyler and Taylor.

We have 43 returning “Seniors” for the 2009/2010 Season.

Coach Wood is hiring a new Defensive Coordinator.

Westwood will be hosting a 24 team Tournament for 7 x 7 teams. We will have the opportunity to run the concession at the Palace.

Coach Davis is working with the track team.

Mentioned that May 1<sup>st</sup> is the end of the Baseball season.

Construction Update: As soon as the SE corner that is currently under construction is completed the will then move to the NE Corner where the Baseball practice field is and build the Softball field then move to the SW Corner and complete the parking lot. Sodding of practice field to start on 1/26/09.

Scrimmages will be on Thursdays at 5:00 p.m. and practices will be in the morning on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesdays, with after school on Thursday and Fridays.

Coach Wood asked us to all go out and support the other Westwood sports!

Meeting ended at 7:45 p.m.