

Minutes – IHS Boosters
December 2, 2013
IHS Room 203 12:00-1:15

This was the fourth regularly scheduled, monthly, general membership IHS Boosters meeting of the 2013-2014 academic year.

In Attendance:

Executive Board members: Kathie Goldberg, Sharon Schrage, Jayne Findlen, Mary Danahey. Also in attendance were: Leslie Hermann, Joy Strotz, Jack Bessette, Megan Heatwole (IVGID), Diana Reynolds, Kathy Vomund, Kari Ferguson

Principal's Report

Leslie's Quarterly newsletter will be out this week.

Leslie met with Pedro Martinez and he stated to her that he is committed to expand the Distance Learning and dual credit opportunities for IHS. Currently, the District is [paying for students to take AP Statistics through a WOLF online class.](#)

Mark Z has informed us that IHS is finally 'in the que" to have the weight room demolished. We are all hoping that it happens over the holiday break.

On Nov. 22nd, Leslie participated in a "Safety Summit" to make sure that all 3 Incline schools are prepared for emergencies. IHS will be holding an evacuation drill in the spring. We are looking into Emergency kits in each classroom and Grab n Go kits at each school. We have increased the # of police radios on campus and are now reinforcing district policy of having teachers wear ID badges.

Leslie and Mark are taking an "Observation and Teaching Protocol" class (4 separate days throughout the year). OAT Training involves administrators learning to observe teaching, then write claims about the teaching grounded in evidence, which is usually based on student comments and behavior in class. It also entails the administrator writing to the teacher about the impact of the claim on student learning. Implicit in the training is walk-through quick visits to all classrooms on a regular basis.

ACT PLAN and Proficiency test results will be out Dec 10th.

PSAT results by Dec 16th.

Hosting of a parent ed event to go over test results was discussed. No date was set.

We are getting a classroom back (it had previously been de-commissioned)

Athletic Director's Report:

Diana Reynolds asked for confirmation of uniform request policy.

We should revisit the possibility of collecting a deposit for each uniform from each athlete at the beginning of each sports' season to cut down on "lost" uniforms.

Diana will look into updating all of the banners in the gym (adding years for each State Championship won – ie Soccer needs to add this year, XC needs to add 2010, 2011, 2012, etc).

We will need a large blower in the spring to help keep the pine needles off of the track so that it can be used. Diana will have costs looked into.

Financial Report:

See attached budget. We made \$1500 in concession income

Booster Membership Report:

See attached report. Three new members.

New Business

--Dec. 20th is the "White Out Pep Rally and Assembly. We will be giving out free ice cream to those that wear white.

--Naviance -- Student "Boost" training has begun! Seniors are this week, Juniors next week, Sophomores and Freshmen will be after break. While most Seniors are already done with (or are finishing their applications), Naviance can still be used by them to explore scholarships – and potentially even last minute school choices.

A "Parent Ed" night would be helpful. No date has been set. Leslie suggested sending out a letter to parents explaining Naviance and including step-by-step instructions for them to sign in. She would be happy to include said instructions in her forthcoming newsletter. Sharon and/or Kathie will get instructions to her and will include the youtube link that has been helpful.

--Merchandise – new sweats are in... tank tops and headbands are coming soon

--Americorp Volunteers—IVGID representative Megan Heatwole reminded us of the "post high school" enrichment workshop on Monday, 12/9 from 5:30-7:30 at IHS in the Little Theater. She suggested that the Boosters man a table with Naviance info. Megan also mentioned a community service opportunity on Saturday 12/14 at the Santa brunch at the Chateau.

NOTE: they are looking for a Service project. Applications were distributed to apply for the Americorp volunteers to help with a community-based service project.

Cymbal news.... Joy Strotz reported that 2 new Rotary reps have joined Cymbal and agreed to help find instruments and that Linda Offerdahl has joined as an Advisor and has agreed to help bolster the foundation. The next Cymbal meeting is Monday, 12/16 at 5pm.

Other Cymbal news: Joy and Leslie are discussing the possibility of summer school classes. Joy is also hoping to speak to Jim Krupa about pre-period class offerings. Cymbal is holding a fundraising Raffle from now thru February. Tickets are \$10 Prizes include: Disney Park Hopper tickets, Dr Dre headphones, local gift certs.

Ongoing Business:

Weight Room – no new news. We are still waiting for the work to be scheduled (via

the District) BUT, we are in the “que”...

Crab Feed – Friday, February 7th at the Hyatt. Website is up. Planning meeting is 11/12 at 3pm at IV Coffee. To volunteer: devinekjct@yahoo.com

Concessions - Bridget Cornell is heading up the concession schedule. Please contact her at: tahoecorn@gmail.com to volunteer.

-Facebook page: Send in your photos/updates to update@inclinehs.org

-There is an IHS Calendar on Google Calendar

<http://inclinehs.org/index.php/calendar>

-School Directory: It's done and in the office. \$2 suggested donation