

Reading of August Minutes – Motion to approve, by Carol, 2nd Tammy – motion carried.

Treasurer – Steve – the Bank Rep is working to setup online access for Steve/club to review statements and conduct business. Need May minutes that mention Steve as new Treasurer. The May minutes need to declare officers and be signed by Annette.

New Business – LM Foundation Request: Mark Hutcheson – asked to develop a custom mascot uniform. Cost will be \$5,000 - 5,500. Requesting half from Booster Club and half from Student Council.

Old Business: - Passes for volunteer workers: Concession Workers get concession food coupon; Non-Concession Workers get a single event pass.

President's Report – none

Clothing – Jodi – Friday nights working out OK; seats selling OK. Saturday sales were ok, not spectacular, but apparently acceptable. Dr. Gustason is interested in considering a school store, on the radar, great idea during remodeling. He desires to put retail in a prominent location if possible. Perhaps by the Gymnasium on the south end for sales during gym events and other well trafficked times. Currently the business department and industrial tech department are trying to pull together their programs and roll into the Linn-Mar Store with student involvement. Renovation becomes an enabling framework to help develop the store concept. Our entrances need to consider adding security features, and this may enable the inclusion of a store area near the cafeteria which serves students, guests and athletic event visitors.

Concessions – Scrimmage was a big crowd, and Sept 6 was decent, over \$9K (weekly take is usually between \$8 and \$12K).

Membership – Kim - \$2,000 ahead of where we were last year at this time.

Questions and comments shared:

- One comment was that there was no payout to show choir, yet apparently there has not been any request from Show Choir Coaches/Instructors. Booster Club works with any and all requesting Linn Mar Organizations predicated upon requests.
- Another donor asked the Booster Club to earmark donations to Marching Band – Booster Club funds Marching Band considerably beyond these requests. Finally, Booster Club does not designate the allocation. Allocations are made based upon consistent approaches to meet needs among all requesting organizations.
- This year's donations are fewer than before, but for larger amounts.

Photos – In process, some of cross country is done, others coming in.

Volunteers – Tami – Still waiting to meet with seven groups to identify their liaison contacts. Seeking two more program salespeople for Friday’s game.

Programs – 150 sold out last week. Another 150 are being printed for this week’s sales.

School Liaison - Mark Hutchison – Student Council manages the board – Booster Club can put up messages, we can direct these through Mark for membership, athletic events, clothing sales, etc.

Academics – Assembly went well, kids continue to learn!

Arts - Marching Band first show went off well, first parade went well (Swamp Fox); All-State Vocal competition is coming along; Show Choir is practicing for January right now.

Athletics – Mike – Program is black and white in a two color cover printed onsite at Linn-Mar. Costs are dramatically reduced, consensus is quality is acceptable. Margin still needs work, but the print shop indicates they can correct the margin in future runs. See attachment for details.

Next Meeting – November

Adjourned 8:30pm