

**VALLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL BOOSTER CLUB
GENERAL MEETING April 3, 2023, 6 p.m., VCHS LIBRARY**

Booster Club General Committee Meeting

Reports:

Sara reported that she is in the Final stages of the budget process- so by the next meeting Sara will be able to let us know where money is needed.

We need a wish list from Fine Arts Dept and Athletics on both Capital projects and expenses. This will help us prioritize our fundraising.

Loni reported Presidents report

Membership team and Events team both met

Membership committee presented:

- Matt put together powerpoint presentation with different levels
- Friends of valley/alumni of valley/grandparents
- Committee talked about different levels of business sponsorship
- Emails to go out in the month of May to Parents Guardians and Students
- Separate email for Friends of Valley Catholic
- Sara to ask Sisters if banners are okay

Tiers for membership were discussed. General idea proposed (but need to fine tune):

- Level \$50 with sticker
- Level \$150 pass for one person/sports/drama
- Level \$500 pass for family
 - Family was discussed to make sure all under one roof
 - No limits on the amount of kids included on pass.

Higher levels- these levels will sell out (due to limited benefits)

- \$1,000 - all access pass- all sports/reserved seats??
- \$5,000 - sign in gym includes a number of passes

Talk of possible reserved seating at sporting events with Valley blue collapsable chairs.

Matt has a contact for print shops- can print for us at cost!

Booster Club can reserve the right to restrict membership

Need to avoid conflict of interests

Grandparents/alumni families - open the booster club to everyone for free

Committee agreed that it is important that Booster Club has a list of concrete items that we are trying to raise money for, before we begin fundraising.

First five years out - we should have a list of short term goals and five year goals.

Event Committee reported:

- Event committee reported that their meeting was a brainstorming session
Some events they came up with were:
 - Movie night/inside or outdoor?
 - Food carts? Most charge \$500 just to show up
 - Kona ice truck will come without payment
 - Shoe donation- shoe company pays per pound
 - Haunted house?
 - Restaurants- chipotle five guys noodles & co- fundraiser night
 - Picnic idea
 - Mother son event?
 - Movie nights at the movie theater- premier

It was determined the goal for the event is two fold: 1) Generate excitement and building community and 2) Fundraise for the Booster Club

Other ideas that were brought up by general committee:

- mom/son pickleball courts?
- Mother son/brunch with speaker
- Father daughter event

Conclusion from the event committee is to try and focus on a fall event- the committee decided it is too close to the end of the year to find a good date for an event.

Might be good to host a booster club social to generate excitement
Back to school social for parents was brought up as a possibility

Noel to look into getting a square. Booster club needs to be able to take credit cards.

General Committee Meeting ended 8 pm. Next meeting May 1, 2023 at 7 pm.