

Jaguar Spirit, Inc.

Booster Club Meeting January 14th, 2024

Minutes

<u>Activity/Item</u>	<u>Speaker</u>
Call Meeting to Order	Ameena
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Meeting was called to order at 6:34pm and quorum was verified and met• December Booster Club Minutes were approved:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ <u>Motion to approve</u>: Kari Smith○ <u>Second motion</u>: Stacey Budd	
President's Report	Melanie
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Banquet - 2/21<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ An email has been sent out to all to purchase tickets. There is currently a limit of 2 parents/guardians for each cheerleader. Tickets are \$55 per person (\$10 higher than last year) and will be subject to an additional 3% fee for credit card payments.○ Information can be accessed on the website○ A video slideshow of all the cheerleaders will be shown before dinner. Girls need to upload photos to the google drive (10 for non seniors, and 20 for seniors) by January 24th.○ A second video will be produced focusing on the seniors, with interviews and photos from childhood and early cheer years.○ Each cheerleader needs to design a placemat, to be dropped off at Stephanie Powell's house between February 1st and 14th. Coach Wells will be distributing the template. An example was shared during the meeting. Team moms will be required to provide placemats for the Coaches.○ All cheerleaders also need to provide a photo in a frame to be displayed. Non-seniors need gold frames that are 5/7. These photos and frames need to be dropped off at Stephanie Powell's house by February 14th.• Survey	

- The Booster Board has prepared a short survey of 5 open-ended questions to be sent out in the next day or two. Surveys will remain anonymous.

Coach's Report

Coach Wells

- Pre-tryout clinics - 1/29 and 2/12
 - There have been a few sign-ups already. The full program will help out at the January 29th clinic. Only those interested in applying for new captain positions will help out at the February 12th clinic.
- Try-outs - 03/3 to 03/6
 - A mandatory interest meeting for parents will be held on February 18th.
 - Material for the try-out dance and cheer will be posted the Friday before try-out week for the cheerleaders to learn.
 - Stunts and jumps will be formally evaluated on March 5th.
 - A new scoring rubric is being adopted (in consultation with the Marcus High School Cheer Coaches).
 - All applications will be done in paper format, although sign-ups will be done electronically.
 - Physicals will need to be eligible for the month of February.
 - Mandatory congratulations meeting for the new squad and parents will either be March 19th or March 26th. The meeting will be held in the White Gym to allow for team fitting at the same time.
- Summer Camp
 - Tentative dates have been set for June 6th to 9th at the Great Wolf Lodge.

Treasurer's Report

Cheryl Smith

- Budget Report
 - Income from March cheer payments has now been moved to next year's budget and is now reflected in this new budget breakdown.
 - Budget Report for December 2024 was presented for approval
 - Motion to approve: Kari Smith
 - Second motion: McKenzie Evans

Committee Reports

- *Banquet*

Suzanne/Nadine

- Will be held at the Circle R Ranch
- Gold frames are required for the cheerleader photos. Team moms might want to coordinate matching frames
- Dress: Western Chic (cowboy boots for the cheerleaders)
- There will be a dance floor this year. Captains will be asked to put together a playlist on spotify
- Dinner will be buffet style
- A question was raised about serving alcohol at the event, and will be researched by the Booster Board to ensure we are complying with LISD guidelines.

- *Hospitality*

Kari/McKenzie

- Snacks and water will be provided for the cheerleaders at the UiL competition this weekend. Leftovers will be taken to the NCA competition the following weekend.
- Looking for a volunteer to drop off the water bottles - Stacey Budd volunteered.

Team Mom updates

- *Varsity*

Tiffany/Denise

- Gifts are being planned for the seniors at the banquet - captains will use the money collected from the Team Moms earlier in the year
- Picture frame options for varsity cheerleaders will be sent by GroupMe

- *JV*

Stephanie P./Julie

- Nothing particular to report on

- *Freshman*

Pam

- Nothing particular to report on

Various

A question was raised on the possibility of beginning the fundraising activities a little earlier this year to maximize fundraising potential, particularly given that it is a Disney year. It was agreed that cheerleaders can already start with companies that donated last year. Kara will be working on the paperwork to distribute soon.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:23pm.

EVENTS CALENDAR

01/15	UiL State Parent Show-off @ 4:30pm
01/17	Basketball Game
01/18	UiL State Competition
01/22	NCA Comp Parent Show-off @ 4:30pm
01/24	Basketball Game; Photos due to Google Drive
01/25-26	NCA Nationals
01/29	Try-out clinic #1
01/24	Banquet Tickets/RSVPs due
01/31	Survey closes
02/4	Basketball Game & Booster Club Meeting
02/7	Boys Basketball Game
02/12	Try-out clinic #2
02/14	*Laminated Megaphone Placemats & 5x7 photos due
02/18	Try-out meeting for parents @ 6:30pm in the Library
02/21	Banquet (MANDATORY)
03/3-6	Try-out week

03/4

Booster Club Meeting

*Laminated Megaphone placemats and 5x7 photo of each girl (not seniors) in a gold frame due. Due to Stephanie Powell 2309 Paradise Ln 75022