

RABC MEETING MINUTES

November 27, 2017

Attendees:

Kaydene Hubert	Joyce Kelly	Kyle Schuyler	
Carmen Beckwith	Amy Belcher	Patty Bicknell	Julie Blaser
Beth Coppock	Kelly Dykema	Laurie Johnson	Rob Johnson
Emily Lantaff	Robin Lee	Janet Lopez	Tatum McKenzie
Jennifer Miller	Sheryl Miller	Cherese Montgomery	Doris Mundy
Dani Olinger	Jenn Ordway	Tanya Ritters	Tamara Stutzman
Annette Williams	Michelle Wright		

Call to Order Kaydene Hubert 6:37 PM

Welcome — Introductions

Icebreaker: Everyone shared what they are thankful for this year.

Approval of Prior Minutes

Motion to Approve Minutes – Michelle Wright (1st) and Patty Bicknell (2nd)

Treasurer's Report - Kaydene Hubert for Amy Kim (rabc treasurer@gmail.com).

Kaydene provided a copy of the Treasurer's Report to each table. She also noted:

- Amy sent out the **team reports**. Folks should contact Amy with questions.
- The **standard schedule for reimbursement** requires that requests be in the RABC box by Tuesday afternoon for Amy to write checks on Friday, These will be in the mail on Saturday or in the box on Monday. Those that require double signatures may take a bit longer. Joyce and Stacey can also sign these. Folks cannot expect that receipts turned in months late receive an immediate response. For any special requests, please contact Amy. However, please remember that Amy works a 60-hour work week, so please be patient. She is doing a wonderful job!

Athletic Director Report – Kyle Schuyler — Fall Season Is Winding Down and Winter Sports Are Starting

- Volleyball had a successful End-of-Season Tournament at Lewis Palmer against very good competition. No States this year, but the team ended on a positive note.
- Football lost to Longmont in an interesting game.
- Boys' XC placed third and girls' XC, twelfth at States. Two boys placed in the top 10 individually. At Casa Grande, the girls placed sixth in the Open division and the boys, eighth in the Championship division.
- The Dance team will be competing in States on 12/8 and 12/9 at the Coliseum. We wish them good luck.
- Winter sports seasons are starting—girls' basketball on 11/29, swimming on 11/30, boys' basketball on 12/1, and wrestling on 12/2. Both the boys' and girls' basketball teams had record numbers at tryouts.

General Funds Requests — Kaydene Hubert

We received no requests for this meeting. We will evaluate the next round of requests at our meeting on 1/22/18. To be considered, the requests must be approved by Kyle by 1/15/18. We were supposed to disburse \$3,000 in November, January, and March. We will split the November amount between the next two General Funds Request sessions, so there will be **\$4,500 available in January** and again in

March. Please talk to your coaches about your team's needs.

Dancing with the Silver Creek Stars (DWTSCS) — Kaydene Hubert

It was a *super-fun* event, albeit a bit stressful in the days leading up to it. A video is available on the RABC web site.

Financially, it was our most successful DWTSCS yet thanks in large measure to the sponsorships, online voting and silent auction basket! There were 161 seats taken with 12 no-shows. Many coaches and parent reps were in attendance. The venue was full! We had bids for 70 or more baskets. We also had one live auction item. This resulted in about \$24,000 before expenses, where we usually take in \$16,000 or \$17,000 gross. We hope to net a bit more than \$15,000 on this year's event. A big chunk of the profits goes to the teams. You can see the numbers for your team on your team report and/or talk to Kaydene after the meeting.

The food was wonderful and the venue worked well. The latter was a little tricky because we had three areas to manage. That said, we are planning to hold next year's event at the Longmont Museum again, although we have not yet reserved the space. We must do this in March or April. We also had few hiccups matching the silent auction items to their bidders. We are still learning and could definitely use more volunteers on the night of the event.

A big *"thank you"* to everyone for being part of this fun night! Special thanks to Suzanne Zens, a parent of SCHS alumni, who organized the entire silent auction!! Michelle Wright and Erick Finnestead were terrific emcees.

There was some *discussion* about whether we have to be out at 9:30 PM and, if not, whether we could start the event later than 4:30 PM. We have to be out at 10:30 PM and definitely need time to clean up. We also discussed the fact that most of the coaches participating are from the fall sports even though all are invited. It was suggested that we move the event to the spring. We cannot do this due to the Education Foundation Gala and the Raptor Run.

Concessions — Tamara Stutzman (and Laurie Monroe) with Kaydene Hubert

The *new winter schedule* is out. The fall and spring sports have been assigned times for the winter; the fall and winter teams will be assigned times during the spring season. Teams have been scheduled. We are *encouraging athletes* to fill most of the slots. We generally need one manager and three kids for each slot. It is lots of fun for the kids and good for them to see on the team reports how they are contributing to their teams. As usual, we *need more managers* trained to open and close, so that the same three or four people are not doing it. Winter is easy because there is just one concessions stand. Next fall, we expect that the concessions will be easier as well. The District is remodeling the storage area under the north stands at Everly so that each school will have a locked cabinet to store their dry goods. Of course, we will still need the trailer for some things.

Membership — Joyce Kelly

We have 113 members with only a few (at most) of these joining since our last meeting. We are encouraging the parent reps for the winter sports to promote RABC membership to your teams. You must be a member to vote! We will send the *membership list* out with these minutes.

School Store — Kaydene Hubert

Paula and Laura could not attend. There is a *Holiday Sale* going on.

Raptor Run 5K — Robin Lee

An SCLA student (Joe Bogrett, spelling?) is having his *Day of Champions* event on the

same day (April 21, 2018) as the Raptor Run. The Day of Champions is a sports day for SVVSD students with disabilities. Traditionally, it begins at 10 AM and includes track events. We are coordinating with him regarding a parade or his having his race on the track after the Raptor Run. We still need more **sponsorships** for the Raptor Run. Stacy will be reconfiguring the sponsorship letter for this. We need to get the sponsor banners from Robin for tomorrow night's Open House.

Miscellaneous Business — Kaydene Hubert

We could still use some help at the RABC table at tomorrow night's **Open House**.

After-Prom — We have reserved Wild Game for this event which will take place on 4/7/18. We are meeting with the Student Senate to discuss funding so that not all of the money comes from the RABC budget.

Someone suggested Applebees team dinners because it is \$7 per player and coaches eat free. Unfortunately, it was noted that there is no longer an Applebees in Longmont. It would be nice to support local businesses like the Gondolier which has been around a long time.

New Program — Giveaways at Winter Sports Events — Joyce Kelly

We would like to promote a sense of community and support for all SCHS teams. To do this, we are beginning with the winter sports. We will have **giveaway days at selected girls' basketball, wrestling and swimming events**. Students are asked to **"collect them all"** with prizes awarded near the end of the season to the student(s) who have accumulated the most! We will need volunteers to help hand these out.

Final Call For Business

None

Next Meeting Date is January 22, 2018, at 6:30 PM in the Silver Creek Library

Adjourn

Motion to adjourn by Julie Blaser, 2nd by Michelle Wright. Meeting adjourned at 7:17 PM.