

**Cross Country / Track Booster Club
Meeting Minutes – prepared by Kim Tedford
March 5, 2013**

Officers Present: Linda Jones, Vice President
Libby Hartter, Treasurer
Kim Tedford, Secretary

Coach L, Coach C, Coordinators and some BC members were also in attendance.

Agenda Items

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| 1. Call to Order | Linda Jones |
| 2. Review Minutes from the last Meeting | Linda Jones |
| 3. Treasurer Report | Libby Hartter |
| 4. New Business | All |
| 5. Adjourn | |

Discussion

1. Call to Order

Linda called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm.

2. Review Minutes from Last BC Meeting

Kim Tedford sent out minutes prior to meeting for review. Eric Hartter motioned to approved minutes and David Myers seconded the motion - minutes were approved.

3. Treasurer Report

Libby Hartter will send copy of treasurer report to Kim to include in the minutes email. We continue to be in good shape regarding the budget. We will be receiving another payment from Kroger amounting to ~ \$459 for the Kroger cards. So KEEP using the cards-get one from Cheryl if you have not yet. bradcox@sbcglobal.net. Libby explained some of the expenses the booster covered for the coaches.

4. New Business

a. Lovejoy March Meets - Stefani will provide map with volunteers areas to help place volunteers

A motion was made by Jennifer Lindelof to cover the cost of the ribbons for the meets. Bob Brands seconded the motion- motion was approved.

The Lovejoy meets are Thursday, March 7th (middle school) and Saturday, March 9th (high school). Thank you to all the volunteers for your help- turnout is great- meets should be great!

MS Meet needs (March 7th):

**Volunteers – please be at the field house meeting room (AKA Hospitality Room) at 4:00 pm for a brief meeting and instructions from Stefani. Field events will start at 4:15pm*

Shot (2 volunteers)	coaches have students handling
Disc (2 volunteers)	coaches have students handling
Rakers (4 volunteers)	Seay, Lindelof, still need
Reserves (4 volunteers)	Brands, Ballard, Seay, Hartter
Hospitality/Awards (4 volunteers)	Tedford, Jones, Hartter, Brands, Goodell

HS Meet needs (March 9th):

**Volunteers – please be at the field house meeting room (AKA Hospitality Room) at 8:30 am for a brief meeting and instructions from Stefani. Hospitality volunteers, please be there by 7:00am for set up to be ready for coaches by 7:30am*

Shot (2 volunteers)	Nick Powell, still need
Disc (2 volunteers)	Rick Wise, John Ruhala
Rakers (4 volunteers)	Joiner, Seay, Lindelof, Lang
Reserves (4 volunteers)	Seay, Hartter, Flora Brands
Hospitality/Awards (4 volunteers)	Tedford, Carmichael, Hartter, Kruzich
Spirit Wear Booth	Ballard
Volunteers	Lang, Kimberly Phillips

b. Concessions – Debra Guillemaud

Each year the cross country/track booster club members generate funds for the club by volunteering to support concessions for the various Lovejoy sports. This typically brings in between \$1500-2000 for our club with the pay being about \$9.60 per hour. To support this fundraising all that is needed from you is to complete the volunteer form, 20 min – 1 hours of training (either training for new concession volunteers or refresher training), and to sign-up/show up at the concession booths!

Everything is on-line at <http://www.lovejoyisd.net/> under the Parent section. This includes the volunteer form and the link to “concessions”. If you haven’t done the concession training please contact Meredith Rumsey (meredith_rumsey@lovejoyisd.net). This is an easy and fun way to support your child’s sport so please sign up.

c. Spirit Wear & Yard sign/decals update – Marlo Ballard (4theballards@sbcglobal.net)

Marlo showcased the great Spring Fling t-shirts that will be for sale as well as other items at the High School meet. She will have a booth set up by the West gate as people enter the gates and then will be moved near the concessions for good visibility and access. **Those volunteers that need to be visible, Stefani has a neon yellow Spring Fling shirt that you can pick up from her.**

d. Scholarship Representative for Track Season

Flora Brand stepped up to be our scholarship representative for Track Season- thank you Flora! If you have a senior- tell them to apply for the scholarship. Coach C has already

arranged for some coaches to be our committee to review the scholarships once they come in. Below is the info from Flora (application is attached to minutes):

You may print off application from this email, from www.lovejoy-running.org website or get a copy from Coach Christensen. **Deadline for all applications is May 1, 2013.** All scholarship recipients will be announced at the Track and Field Spring Banquet the middle of May. Please contact Flora Brands with questions, 972-658-2200 or florabrands@gmail.com

e. **Track Banquet**

Camille wanted to remind everyone to take pictures to be ready to share for banquet soon!

f. **Country Run – in May**

LLI has a Chair for this event!!!!!! We should be getting an email soon as to what we need to be doing but we have already secured a \$500 sponsor for us! And we perhaps have another sponsor waiting as well. Jana Carmichael stepped up to be our representative when planning begins.

g. **Texas Relays – March 28th – 30th (to be determined after Spring Fling)**

We might have around 10-11 athletes eligible for Texas Relays. Coaches funds are depleted so would need Booster to cover expenses up to around \$1,000. A motion was made by Linda Jones for the booster to cover around \$1,000 for Texas Relays and Marlo Ballard second motion- motion was approved. Costs include 2-3 room at \$169/night for hotel (Residence Inn in Cedar Park); \$20/athlete entry fee and meals for athletes and coaches.

h. **Fall Fundraiser Update – Cheryl Cox (bradcox@sbcglobal.net)**

The Kroger cards are a-go! See treasurer report for new details. Cheryl ordered 100 cards with \$1 on each to activate them. **PLEASE get your Kroger cards and start using them!** As a reminder of how the cards work: you will purchase the cards for \$1 from the booster club. Cheryl will log your name with that number on the card. You go to the service counter at Kroger and load the card with the amount desired and then use it for gas or groceries at Kroger. Once our club reaches the \$5000 mark, we will begin to get 5% back. The card is like a debit card (without a pin)- so it is ready cash. *(*note- if the card goes without a balance for more than 90 days, it is inactivated- you would have to buy a new card to activate yourself again)*

5. Other Business

Future meeting dates will start at 7:00pm in the Lecture Hall at LHS

4/2/13; 5/7/13

6. Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 7:43 pm.