

Navarre Raiders Quarterback Club Meeting Minutes (Oct 30, 2007)

Meeting called to order at 7:03 by Secretary Mike Householder, as our President and Vice President were not in attendance. 16 members were present.

Coach Olson

- Coach Olson did not stay for the meeting but was given the opportunity to speak first before leaving; he stated that he will miss the meeting again next Tuesday as he will be at an FACA meeting
- Coach highlighted all that Al and Anna Carlson have done for the football program; his praise spelled out the fact that they do not have a kid in the program and yet have given everything they had to get our program to where it is today, from the stadium, to the concession stand, to the gazebo, to the floats, to everything we have as an organization
- Coach Olson also heaped praise on Jeff Rodewald as the QB Club President and on Tammie Rodewald as the Moms' Club President as their tenures come to an end at the end of this year; he highlighted the two years that both Jeff and Tammie have given to the QB Club and Moms' Club and all the sacrifices they've made
- He again praised these organizations as the best he has ever worked with to date

Secretary's Report

- Previous meeting minutes read and approved.

Treasurer's Report

- No updates from last meeting, where the balances were as follows: QB Club Balance: \$14,125.47; Moms' Club Balance: \$3,213.55

Membership Committee

- 121 Members

Corporate Sponsorship Committee

- Nothing to report

Merchandise Committee

- None

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- Took in over \$300 last week

Concessions

- Band Boosters have concessions this Friday; they have incorporated parents from the golf team to share in the profits

Stadium Committee

- Rich Posey will arrive Wednesday at 4:00 to begin lining the field and Bobby Chandler will arrive at 5:00; they need additional help

Parking

- At the meeting, it was recommended that we allow outside boosters organizations and other programs fill in to run parking whenever we cannot get enough volunteers from the QB Club; (NOTE: after the meeting, Jeff Rodewald informed us that the parking was already covered for this Friday by the QB Club)

Cheerleading

- None

Moms' Club

- None

Old Business

- Discussed the issues, both real and perceived, that have occurred over the past few weeks and the direction of the QB Club; all members were given an opportunity to speak on their concerns; the unanimous opinion was to highlight all things positive that have been accomplished to date and that whenever we as parents are involved in organizations such as the QB Club and the Moms' Club, we are here to support our kids and Coach Olson...period
- All agreed that the Rodewalds and Carlsons have carried the entire organization on their backs and have given everything for our kids and this program for years; we would not be in the shape we are today without them
- It is our unanimous hope that all current officers remain involved in the QB Club and Moms' Club when their tenures expire at the end of the year; their expertise and experience in running the two organizations, all they have learned, and all of their recommendations for improvements will be invaluable to our future successes; THANKS Jeff, Tammie, Al and Anna!
- Several key themes came out of this discussion and those were: offer encouragement and not criticism, both to each other and our kids; it's all about the program, the team, the Coach and ultimately our kids, not us; stay focused on the positive, stay focused on why we're here in the first place, and stay focused on the future of Raider football; anything else does not have a place in our meetings or endeavors

New Business

- Elections will take place at the Tuesday November 13th meeting; nominations for offices will be accepted through next week's meeting on Tuesday the 6th
- Nominations accepted at the meeting were as follows:
 - Janie Chandler - President
 - Mike Householder - Vice President
 - Beth DePersio - Secretary
 - Mandy Unterbrink – Treasurer
- Susan Venegas stated she'd accept a position to head the Moms' Club next year
- More names for QB Club officer positions were discussed; all who wish to hold office are encouraged to attend the next meeting and volunteer

- It was recommended that all voting in the future be handled by secret ballots; concerns were voiced by several in attendance that they would like to disagree on some issues or expenditures, but feel uncomfortable or pressured into not raising their hands or verbally voting; a sample ballot was proposed
- Current By-Laws were discussed; many were unaware that they are posted on our web site; By-Laws need to be referenced before we attempt to change the way things are being done; when we are in compliance, then any change would need to be voted on at a duly announced meeting
- It was recommended that we have an agenda and announce any key votes prior to the meeting so that those members who may not attend regularly have a chance to deconflict schedules to vote
- Class of 2010 sponsorship for one weight room platform: still need \$625
- Michelle Hill is still working the scrapbooks
- Approximately 75 meals needed for the Milton away game on Monday; will check for precise head count with Coach Olson
- Carlos Lopez has information on a Quantum 5 in1 weight machine that Baptist Medical Center wants to donate to NHS if we are willing to pick it up; it is currently located in the Andrews Institute and has 4 weight stacks, leg press, leg extension, leg curl, bench, and seated press stations; footprint:10'Wx10'Lx9'H; if interested, Carlos can get more information and coordinate with Scott Demahy of Andrews Institute for pick up; assume we will need a flatbed or quick truck rental, heavy duty dollies, and a minimum of 3 or 4 strong folks to load
- Concern voiced on the status of the pirate ship/float; who will finish construction
- Meeting was closed by asking everyone to leave the meeting mending any fences and focusing as a group on our future

President's Report

- None

Motion made to adjourn meeting at 7:50 P.M.

NOTE: Next meeting is Tuesday, Nov. 6th at 7:00 P.M. in the modular building.

Members Attending

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| 1. Mike Householder (Secretary) | 9. Curtis Owsley |
| 2. Mandy Unterbrink (Treasurer) | 10. Daina Skinner |
| 3. Carlos Velazquez | 11. Johnathan Skinner |
| 4. Beth DePersio | 12. Amy Frederick |
| 5. Susan Venegas | 13. Vickie McMaster |
| 6. Joan Irby | 14. Toni Garcia |
| 7. Mark Irby | 15. Evelyn Anderson |
| 8. Tammy Pahal-Morgan | 16. Phil Williams |

Non-Members Attending: None

Minutes submitted by Mike Householder, Secretary