



OHS Lady Braves Soccer Boosters Meeting Minutes

July 14, 2021 – 7pm (In-person, room 1259)

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1. Call to Order / Approval of Minutes:

- Attendance in-person OHS room 1259 @ 7pm:
 Laurie Oliver, Jennifer McElroy, Steve Schaffner, Julie Hapel, Natalie Stocker, Robin Gulley, Chad Williams, Angie Schmidt, Julie Rosales, Tracy MacDowell, Terry Hennegan, Karin Klekotka, Eric Ross, Casey Altieri, Leah Carbetta

2. Kids Camp:

- There were 90 girls and 83 boys at the kids camp!
- \$14,000 raised at the camp
 - Split with the boys
 - Take out the shirts, ball, and backpack each camper received
 - Then we used most of the money to purchase a lawnmower for the practice fields (split the cost of the mower with the boys). The grass practice fields are mowed every 10 days, and the grass is not cut short enough for soccer practices. OHS will pay for the gas and maintenance of the new lawnmower, and the coaches will be cutting the grass fields.
 - \$1,800.00 remained after the above expenses

3. Budget:

- \$14,938.00 balance
- We still need to pay for the uniforms, and OHS is helping pay for a portion
- We need to build the budget back up before the season ends, in order to pay for all the needed items that occur each year.
- Fundraising and other revenue generating possibilities will be discussed at the next booster meeting.**
 - SNAP
 - Raffle
 - Other suggestions or ideas

4. Summer Fees:

- Instead of paying for each activity separately, there will be **ONE** fee of \$250
 - Fee includes both showcases, **t-shirts** and team camp
 - Fee is still lower than previous year's event fees paid individually
- Payment (\$250) can be made online thru either **Square** or **Venmo**
 - Square:** <https://lady-braves-soccer.square.site/> (may have a fee)
 - Venmo:** @olentangy-oab
 (Put "**Lady Braves Soccer Summer Fees**" in the comments section for routing purposes as this account is used by multiple OHS sports teams)
 - Almost everyone paid the summer fee (they were due June 15)**
 - Please reach out if you still have any questions**

5. Motivational Speaker:

- Olentangy, Liberty, Orange, & Berlin are coming together as one to deliver "the coffee bean message" to positively change your environment. We are featuring guest speaker Damon West, M.S. in criminal justice, college professor, nationally know keynote speaker, bestselling author and former D1 quarterback at the University of North Texas.
- All Highschool students, faculty and parents are welcome (**MUST RSVP**) and any current Covid-19 restrictions will be followed. Event is sponsored by the Olentangy Athletic Boosters.
- Thursday, August 5, 2021** at 11am, 12:30pm, and 2:00pm – OHS Auditorium
- The girls are going as a team, at the 2pm time slot (it's on the calendar)**
- Parents or other students must RSVP – space is limited
- 3 food trucks will be available before and after all three sessions
- RSVP:** obsecretary@gmail.com (please advise which session you would like to attend). First come, first serve basis.

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 (June 14-17)
 Stephanie Hennegan
 Natalie Stocker

Raffle Fundraiser
NEED ASAP

Restaurant Nights Fundraiser
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OAB Booster Drive Fundraiser
 Stephanie Hennegan

Summer Showcases
 Orange HS (July 17-18)
 Mt. Vernon (July 24-25)
 Stephanie Hennegan
 Tracy MacDowell

Away Game Meals
 (for all 3 squads)
NEED

VAR Ball Kids
 Gina Chirpas
 Bryan Lear

VAR/JVA Announcer
 Terry Hennegan

VAR/JVA Game Clock
 Lisa Green

VAR Game Stats
 Coaches

VAR Game Filming
NEED

Senior Banners
 Andrea Brown

Senior Night
 Tracy MacDowell

End-of-Season Banquet
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6. Coach's Corner:

- The new uniforms arrived! They will be given out after tryouts and team announcements on Friday 8-6-21 (time to be determined). The coaches will have an informal meet and greet at that time.
- All freshman will receive their booster provided socks, backpack and sweatshirt. The girls voted on sweat shirts instead of boat jackets this year. All the booster provided items are the girls to keep and utilize for the next several years.
 - Anyone that might be looking to order new socks for the season, there will be an opportunity to purchase them next month
- 61 players have registered for tryouts
- The new uniforms look like this – view [HERE](#)
 - White
 - Blue
 - Black with pinstripes

7. OAB Update

- New OHS logo has been revealed and mascot
- Boys and girls soccer will continue to use the new logo that is on the training shirts and new uniforms.
- The word Braves is still allowed to be utilized, and will be on the back of the new uniforms

8. Committees

- Please look to see if you can volunteer for any open spots (highlighted in yellow to the right)
 - There is an immediate need for someone to head up the summer raffle fundraiser and other fundraisers

9. Adjournment (8:00pm)

- Next booster meeting is August 11, 2021 @ 7pm room 1259. (second Wednesday of each month)

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