

Donegal XC Booster Club Meeting Minutes  
August 27, 2019

Present: Kristy Anderson, Sean Ballard, Wendy Fry, Rosalyn Gehman, Andrew Hinkle, Heidi Hinkle, Christina Myers, Craig Rothstein, Gretchen Rothstein

**1. Update from Matt** - Christina Myers for Matt Werner

- a. Sat, Aug 31 is Mt Gretna practice and breakfast. Signup will be distributed at practice on Wed
- b. Warmup pants are in. They are being embroidered. Will collect \$ from athletes who purchased pants when they are completed. Most jackets are in also
- c. 2 items were purchased for XC this season- 3 foam rollers and spikes. Disappointment expressed that we aren't able to get additional items as these items are likely less than \$30. Matt is planning to purchase kinetic tape and compression sleeves for runners
- d. Next week meet: Lancaster Catholic (at F&M College). JHBoys - 4:12, JHGirls - 4:17, HSGirls - 4:45, HSBoys - 5:15. Address and parking info will be emailed to team/parents

**2. Fundraising**

- a. Team Booklet Fundraiser - Christina Myers
  - Extend deadline 1 more week - Friday, Sept 6
  - Shout outs and business ads coming in
    1. Businesses already committee are State Farm (Craig Rothstein), Pioneer Management, and Conestoga Kitchens.
  - **ACTION:** Businesses to contact - Keystone Pet (Kristy A), CrafterHours (Christina M), Pies Galore (Christina M), Dutch Country Soft Pretzel (Gretchen R), Fern Silberman Realtor (Craig R), Harveys (Christina), Rosies (Gretchen R), Country Store (Heidi H.), Carper Signs (Rosalyn), Twisted Bine (Gretchen R), Higher Grounds (Gretchen R), Little Dippers (Craig R), Two Cousins (Craig R), Papas (Craig R), Northwest Bank (Craig R), Members First (Kristy A), Floral Designs (Kristy A), Wissler Motors (Rosalyn G), GKay (Rosalyn G)
  - **ACTION: Rosalyn** to send out reminder to the above folks
  - Cover and cheer sheet to be color, the rest is Black and White. Craig is working with Engle Printing to get pricing and turnaround time. May ask UPS if response from Engle is not favorable on cost.
- b. Chicken Barbecue - Sean Ballard
  - Tues, Oct 29 3-6pm
  - Planning on 500
  - Sean working with Turkey Hill for drinks. He is putting in a donation request.
  - Sean checking with Webstaurant Store (Tony Myers) for containers.
  - 400 half chicken min. \$4.20/half chicken +\$.85 with potato - We will sell for \$10/meal (meal to consist of ½ chicken, potato, roll, side, baked goods, drink)
  - To be held at the XC Tree - **ACTION: Matt** to get approval from the school to use the parking lot on this date
  - Baked goods are our responsibility - need signup for this.
  - Dedicate spot in Program for this - **ACTION: Craig** to work on this with Michelle
  - Athletes to sell 10 tickets each, check with teachers, blast email to teachers?
  - **ACTION: ?Michelle** to do layout for tickets

3. **Senior Recognition and Potluck** - wait until next meeting to review; notes below are from previous meeting
  - a. Senior night at last home meet, Oct 8
    - Order pizza and have parents bring sides and desserts
    - Senior recognition may be held outside instead of cafeteria. Matt may ask team to make posters to cheer seniors. Will get photos of each senior and his/her parents to be part of gift at end of season.
    - **ACTION: Christina** will order flowers similar to last year.
    - Signup genius for food and volunteers
  
4. **Banquet** - Christina Myers
  - a. Confirmed with Melhorn Manor for Nov 12, contract and deposit paid
  - b. Caterer - Nanalyn's - confirmed for Nov 12
  - c. **ACTION: Michelle** to post on FB
  
5. **DAC** - Christina Myers
  - a. We have a clock!
  - b. Scott Madera (DAC) would like to partner with us for 5K run. Fundraiser for DAC. Scott will be at next meeting to discuss and brainstorm. **ACTION: Christina** to inform Scott of next meeting date.
  - c. Include "thank you" in team booklet
  - d. **ACTION: Rosalyn** to contact Carper Sign for small sign to go under the clock to thank DAC for the gift of our clock for timing home meets.
  
6. **Other**
  - a. **ACTION: Christina** to check with Matt on varsity letters from last season
  - b. Request to have JH runners watch and support HS runners during meets  
**ACTION: Christina** to confirm with Matt that this was addressed

**LONG TERM:**

- Promote XC in the 6th grade and jr high at end of 2019-20 school year
- Permanent posts for home meet course (after new AD)

Next meeting: Thursday, Sept 12 at 7:00pm