

WCHS BOOSTER CLUB GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Wednesday, May 13, 2026 – 7:00 PM (Cafeteria)

Attendees: Steve Connaughton, Chris Bugel, Amy Oram, Fio Rosen, Marcy Kreindler, Jamie Bolgiano, Jamie Becker, Wendy Feldman, Noor Kirdar, Rachael Datch

Welcome and President's Update (Steve & Chris)

Review and Approval of 04/08/26 Booster Club Membership Minutes

Treasurer Report (Jamie)

- Paid out team expenses - tennis, lacrosse, golf
 - Lacrosse item purchased score table - Boys covered \$10k, Girls covered \$5k, Booster covered the rest
- Multi-sport clinic - how should money be split?
- Flag football clinic - added to website & newsletter
 - Saturday June 6 10-12pm - Rachael will send info to feeder schools
- Concessions are complete - \$47,900 profit with \$30k expenses

Around the Grounds:

Concessions (Paige (not present) & Amy (present))

- Stand being cleaned out, giving some things to Kenzie for senior night
- Will need meeting offline re changes, new purchases, and staffing
- Need replacements for Amy & Paige for next year
- Acme (Scott Attman) will provide deals for concession stand
- Internship opportunity for students to work in the concession stand?
 - DECA club? Rachael will contact DECA member
- Note that Track & Field County Bs will be held at Churchill in May 2027 (Saturday; 7-8 hour meet), concessions are traditionally open at other host schools

Membership (Aby & Mitun (not present))

- Still need to figure out how to pull reports
- Will determine membership bonus

Advertising/Sponsorship (Steve)

- Will likely move forward w/ Ad company, working on agreement, will vote at next meeting
- See February & March meeting minutes for details

Spirit Committee (Rachael (present) & Julie (not present))

- Every team has been invited to sign the wall but not everyone has shown up
- Created signupgenius for Wall signing - coaches were supposed to coordinate with seniors
- Rachael would like another person or two to work with her next year
- Planning to have Captains lunch for all 3 seasons
- Would like to plan Game of the Week for all seasons

School Store (Wendy)

- Contact Wendy Feldman wchsboosterschoolstore@gmail.com to volunteer
- To volunteer at School Store on a Tuesday or Thursday, sign up here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0545ADAB2CAA8-58119390-school-#/> (discussed opening just one day per week)
- After Memorial Day, will do a sale, will promote
- Will open school store on June 3 for incoming athletes
- 8th grade committee/Hoover glow dance would like Churchill giveaways
- Needs include a full-length mirror and wheelbarrow

Communications (Vishal (not present) & Fio (present))

Newsletter (Fio)

- Combo March/April newsletter - 65% open rate
- June newsletter (will go out mid-June)
 - Would like to feature Booster club expenditures
 - Senior wall signings
 - Team updates
 - Ask Jesse re # of games & # of tickets & # of hot dogs sold
- A dedicated newsletter email address has been created:
 - wchsboosternewsletter@gmail.com

Website (Vishal)

- No report

Bulldog Bash (Steve)

- No report, will discuss in the future re whether to proceed

Athletic Department Update & Funding Request (Jesse)

Funding Requests (detailed in April 2026 meeting minutes): (approved via email)

- Championship Banners \$531.57 (have been put up in Championship Corner)
- The Boys & Girls lacrosse teams have raised funds for a portable score table
 - Cost was \$22k, teams are paying \$15k towards purchase and are requesting \$7k from Boosters
 - Can possibly be used for Field Hockey & Football
- Golf simulator has been set up with hitting backdrop and mats, requesting a special projector for \$949; and cover, netting and storage cabinet for \$1200
- Anticipated expenses for 2026-27 school year: Weight room, team requests (approx \$20k), field maintenance - expenses may look similar to this year

New Business

None

Important Dates:

05/19/2026 Senior Signing Day

06/03/2026 Meet the Coaches (middle schoolers) 6:30-7:30pm

07/14/2026 FALL registration will open

08/12/2026 FALL sports tryouts begin

10/09/2026 Homecoming

11/14/2026 WINTER sports tryouts begin

Adjourn 7:57 pm

Next meeting: Wednesday June 3 @ 7:30pm