

**Boosters Meeting
January 12, 2009
@ Coach Posternack's Room, PL HS**

In attendance: Coach Posternack, Carlos Huelga, Norm Tryka, Daryl Stepina, Julie Urbon, Harvey Hilton, Rich Vermezen,, Tracie Arlington, Jim Martin, Mary Martin, Joyce Hile, Darrold Davis, Dan Stewart, Liz Stewart, Dan Baits, Joan Irvine, Jeff Bruhn & Ann Hirsch

Meeting was called to order at **6:35 pm**.

Minutes of the **November 17, 2008 WERE NOT** reviewed & approved. Rich says we will approve them at the February 9, 2009 meeting.

Coach P's Comments:

Coach P. really appreciates how Coach Ian Gomez had many practices during the Winter Break.

Varsity played 21 innings at the USD tournament.

Even though Coach P. is carrying a lot of players on the Winter League team and all those will not be on the Spring league team, the Thursday scrimmage games allow the players to showcase their talent to try to make the Spring team.

Coach P. thanked Jim Martin for fixing the flat tire on the golf cart.

David Wells may come to PL HS to work with the pitchers.

Bruce Robinson (another pro player) will come to PL HS and work with the catchers on 1/13/09.

Congratulations to Coach P! He and his wife are expecting a baby.

The following items were discussed also:

1) We still do not have a freshman head coach or an assistant. The date that we need to sort it all out by is 2/19/07. While we do not want to ask for available "Dads" affiliated with our program to volunteer, we are coming dangerously close to having to do so. The only alternative is not fielding a frosh team - always on option, but never preferred. Coach P. wants to have a Frosh Team.

2) Jim Martin has made progress with speakers.

- 3) The Coach Delgado award--Coach P. would like to buy the team turf shoes for the batting cages. He will speak with Andy Martin and Sean Lund to order shoes.
- 4) Jim Martin will call the company to get instructions on how to run the scoreboard.
- 5) Coach P. wants a bus for the 3/10/09 Oceanside game.
- 6) Coach P. has fitted hats for sale. \$25 is the normal price but \$20 for Booster members.
- 7) The varsity game on 1/24/09 has been moved from Montgomery to Oceanside. The JV game is still at Montgomery.
- 8) The final spring schedules will be available in the next two weeks.
- 9) Coach P. plans to have a "Hit a thon" for a fund raiser to resurface the cages and get new nets. The estimate is \$2,000 to \$3,000.

Ways & Means: We reviewed our financial position. We have approximately \$2,300. .

Fund Raisers:

On Friday, December 5, 2008, there was a fund raiser night at the Urbon's house. Thank you to Julie & Peter. We raised \$1,500.

Alumni Game on 2/21/09. We will probably have a similar fund raiser like we had at the Urbon's house in December.

Banners-Please see Darrold to buy a sponsor banner.

Membership

We have our new membership flyers. We plan to speak to parents this Saturday (1/17/09) in between the Varsity and JV games to sign them up as Boosters members. We will also have Team Parents for each team to promote Boosters membership.

Merchandising

Mary Martin says we have a good stock of items. There is a lot of interest in the back support cushions. Mary handed out order forms for black PL HS Baseball sweatshirts for \$35 each.

Web Site

Tracie Arlington suggested we use "Publisher" software for our site. She says it is very user-friendly.

Snack Shack

Jim and Mary Martin opened the Snack Shack last weekend and raised \$234. They streamlined the items to be sold, so the sales prices \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, etc. There will be no more 5 cent candy!!

Next Meetings

- a. Booster Meeting: Monday, February 9, 2009 at 6:30 pm, PLHS Room 851.
- b. Booster Board Meeting: (Time TBA & Location at Davis' house.)

Meeting was adjourned at 7:10 pm.

Mission Statement: The mission of the Point Loma High School Baseball Booster Club is to promote team awareness in the community, increase pride and morale among the coaches, players, parents and friends of the PLHS Baseball program, and to provide support for our mission through volunteer and fundraising activities.