Gridiron Meeting Minutes August 4, 2020

In Attendance via Zoom

Attendees: Heather Goldberyg, Coach Louis Brown, Cathay Thiry Jill Siemieniecki, Kelly Nicolaison, Paul and Karen Hartje, Patrick Harris, Keila Schrodl, Lance Allan, Cheryl Zylka, Bob Kling, Mike Hill, Jason Kazmierc, Mike Harrington, Dave Guzlecki, Tom Kamlay, Crissy Matthews, Laura Galusha, Jessica Wilcon, Schuster, Dale and Amy, Jennifer Stamm, Heather Rivard, Jessical Wilson, Lindsey Gersz, Tammy Jessup, Patty Timm, Tyler Podoll, Tricia Burkett, Tom Kamlay, Scott and Fran, Schuster, Cloyd, Nichole and Dale Human, Karen Martins, Tom Humpa, Bob Kling, Jennifer Stauber, Dudor, Dan Gannon, K. Johnson, Jim Kuchenreuther, Julie, K Johnson, Kelly Petersdorff, Carrie Berg, Melissa Shelton, Hajdasz Lindsay Graffin, Jenny Schwingle, Robin Slomczewski, Adley Kling, Matt Grant, Tricia Burkett, Patty Timm, Typer Podoll, Jen Trinko, Kelly Petersdorf, Jim Kuchenreuther, Erin, Dean Drajkowski, Tammy Jessup, Kerri Kohler Glynn, Cindy Glynn, Phil Henschel, Heidi Miller, Laura Galusha, Melissa Shelton, Milan Rajkovic, Max Glynn, Meeting Began: 7:02 pm

Accepted meeting Minutes from last meeting: Coach Brown and Pat Harris seconded

Welcome and Introductions: Heather Goldberg

Financial update: Patrick Harris reported that very few expenses so far . Spent \$11,700 on golf so far. Major expenses were scholarships for seniors. \$16, 816 in checking account to date. Should have the money to purchase headsets. Working on an online store and using square to purchase things like masks online.

Golf outing: Heather Goldberg gave huge thank you to Golf committee because of the sold out event. Golf on Saturday August 8th is a go! Starts at 1:30 pm. 152 golfers. Raffle will be open from 2-4 pm while golfers are on the course and others can come to Muskego Lakes Country Club course to check out the raffle items. Volunteers are full! We will also have 2 bags toss games available for raffle. Coach prefers that it's a ticket raffle rather than go to the highest bidder. Heather Goldberg accepted that idea. Amy Baretz will make a franklin team clothing basket for the raffle for golf.

Gold Cards: Karen Martens reported some people still need to pick up cards. The freshman have 24 players needing to pick up, 5 sophomores, 6 junior, and few seniors. Hoping to end sale Aug 22nd. Tentatively there will be a table outside school on August 22. Staggered drop off with 9:00 freshman , 9:30 sophomores , 10:00 juniors, 10:30 seniors to turn in money and remaining cards. Not required to sell all, but expected to sell. All unsold cards MUST be returned. Backpack or Jacket if your son sells 20 cards. No pizza this year.

Clothing: Sale is over but 125 people purchased clothing. Only thing left to sell is baseball caps-let Heidi Miller know. Charity shirts will still be sold. Coach Brown stated we are waiting for legal information on selling of these items. Charity is for the military with some focus on camouflage shirts.

Banners: Dance team finished the banners; left out the opponents name due to the uncertainty of the games; Jen Trinko will take over for the dance team and banners.

Masks: Scott Smith designed 3 designs with masks for sale; expected to be here by the golf outing for \$5 each. Also sale at high school 11-1 on Sunday for drive by sale- pay online, cash, check, apple pay. Other dates will be available later on.

Online registration: Should have gotten an email from FHS today for online registration for sports. Will need to upload scanned forms including the exemption if you will not be able to get a physical. Heather Goldberg will post a reminder on facebook of the information for online registration.

Signs will be available for pick up and payment at the golf outing from 2-4 pm AND on Aug 22nd during the gold card drop off as well. No names will be on the signs but individual families will be able to put the name on if they want. Heather Goldberg thanks Patronous for making the signs.

Senior Posters: Hartje family is working on the senior posters but date is not out yet. It will be on the facebook page.

Coach Brown update:

- Make sure you take care of online registration-have until September.
- Thank you Karen Martens for organizing the gold cards and Heather Rivard for organizing golf outing.
- Weight Training (Monday-Thursday beginning at 6:50 am-14 lifers at a time) begins again tomorrow 8/5- must WEAR a MASK; other FB programs are also mandating masks; **If you have a son who wants to lift and isn't scheduled in a group, email coach brown AM or PM and he will schedule that so they can get into a group.** LET COACH KNOW IF YOUR SON WILL MISS A LIFTING SESSION.
- Senior parents if you need a jersey for senior pictures, coach will pull all the jerseys so that parents can pick them up. Email Coach Brown.
- Coach Brown met with all head coaches of our conference. We have several counties represented in our conference. Probably no Racine schools will play this fall. Kenosha is "on the bubble" whether they play in fall or spring. Coaches do not have the ultimate say, Meeting this week to determine this. Worse case scenery-kenosha and racine out; oak creek and franklin only teams in conference. We will be looking for teams to play. Because COVID numbers are going in the right directions and Mr. Hein and Franklin Health department allowed the lifting. If we play one game and then get shut down, the season will be done. We can not move to Spring at that point. Coach Brown's opinion is to plan for Fall and if school gets shut down before that, we can move to Spring. Be smart and talk to your kids about how many kids they are hanging around with. September 7th is the start date. Gives time to move things in the right direction.
- Why not the spring season? parents and students do not want that right now. If we move to spring, we can't have youth football either, Coach is confident that we are doing the right things to stay safe.
- Team bonding is cancelled for now.

Q/A

1. If we proceed with Fall season and play one game, and things are cancelled due to COVID there will be no Spring Season

Coach: YES based on WIAA

2. Is it better to postpone to Spring?

Coach: Fall Season: It's 7 games and 1 maybe 2 post season games-It would not be a true state title. Better shot in the Spring, but why not give this a shot for 3 weeks of practice because we will know what our schedule is and then we will still have an opportunity to make that decision. Senior captains will have a say in the decision. May be able to pool together teams for Fall play. Lot of opportunities if we do play fall.

3. If enough teams opt for Spring will WIAA force all teams to go to the spring?

Coach: Minnesota moved FB to spring and Illinois will probably do the same. Right now, Wisconsin is supporting whatever the school wants to do. Many areas in Wisconsin where COVID is not affecting the community as much. Time will tell.

4. Would there be a state tournament in Spring? WIAA wants the tournament because they make money off the tournament but it may be shortened.

Email <u>fhsfbgridiron@gmail.com</u> if you need to be added to the Gridiron List

Text Scott Smith (414 530 6424) if you have questions about masks

Meeting adjourned 8: 09 pm