

## SWINGSTERS BOOSTER CLUB MEETING MINUTES

June 1, 2009

President, Michelle Bardin called the meeting to order at 6:37 p.m. Beverly Barrett moved to approve the minutes from last meeting, and Christi Adams seconded the motion.

\*\*\*Michelle presented the option of fundraising monthly using various events and fundraisers to raise money for the monthly activities and upcoming contest season or doing "monthly buyouts" and avoiding fundraisers. The monthly buyout option was \$50 per month starting in July, skipping September, and then resuming October through February. The team will still host the golf tournament September 19th and will still host an ADTS Dance Clinic in probably January or February. Then the Spring Show is in April. Buyouts would eliminate the need for other monthly fundraisers. A majority vote of members present approved this measure. The first fundraiser buyout payment will be due July 15th. Various fundraiser options will be made available to those parents who would prefer to raise the money instead of pay it out of pocket, but that is optional.

1<sup>st</sup> VP Fundraising, Sharon Trousdale (assisted by Tammy Hutchison) discussed golf tournament and candle fundraiser.

- Woodbridge Golf Club in Sachse ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH
- \$100 entry fee per golfer; SBC profit is \$52 per golfer
- Each Swingster is responsible for signing up 2 golfers
- \$104 buyout per Swingster if she doesn't meet the minimum
- Dee Dee Bates discussed the importance of corporate sponsors and offered her assistance!
- Candle fundraiser packets were passed out to any parents interested in raising money to pay fees on their Swingsters' accounts. This is an optional fundraiser and the only one that will be offered to cover the cost of items on the girls' accounts, such as SBC dues, petticoats, hats, line camp, etc.
- Candle fundraiser packets will be available at the next SBC meeting.
- Other fundraisers will be offered to raise money toward the monthly \$50 due by the 15<sup>th</sup> of July, August, October, November, December, January, and February

2<sup>nd</sup> VP Social, Christi Adams discussed End of Summer Party.

- Possible location: Waterview Pool
- Possible date and time: Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup> late afternoon or early evening

Treasurer, Cathy Lee updated the financials; Michelle and Cathy discussed a possible bank change and implementation of a bank card.

- A vote was taken and approved. The SBC account will be moved from 1<sup>st</sup> Bank to Bank of America.
- Email was sent with account balances to each parent
- SBC Treasury Report will show current income and expenses, the budgeted amount, the increase/decrease, and percent change. Further details will be provided upon request.

Secretary Communications, Amy Smith offered decal orders. There are 3 separate decal orders available this year.

- One is navy and orange, with the Swingster's name and rank, and is for parents' cars. Cost \$10 each.
- One is all white, rank may be added but no name, and it's for the Sophomore and Junior girls' cars. Cost is \$6.
- One is orange with white outline, rank or the word Senior will be added, and it's only for Senior girls' cars. Cost is \$8.
- Decal orders will be accepted through the booster club meeting in August. The sooner you order, the sooner you'll get your decals!

Parliamentarian/Spirit Wear/Patches, Beverly Barrett reported that next month a vote will be taken on the Bylaws.

- SBC members need to look over the Bylaws, which are posted on [www.sachseswingsters.org](http://www.sachseswingsters.org) under the Files tab, and email Beverly at [bearitus@yahoo.com](mailto:bearitus@yahoo.com) with any proposed changes.
- Changes will be discussed and a vote will be taken at the next SBC meeting.

Historian, Tanya Shipley had no news at this time.

Co-Head Prop Dads, David Smith and Phil Thurmon reported that they'll build new horseshoes this year for the homecoming game and will need all the help they can get!

#### NEW BUSINESS AND REMINDERS:

Ms. Shaver

- Technique training for all Swingsters this summer will be at Plano Sr. High on Independence near 190. Bring \$30 cash to the first class on June 22nd. 1 ½ hours of technique and kick training each week.
- Technique classes are on Monday and Wednesday, June 22, June 24, June 29, July 1, July 13, and July 15
- Intermediate Classes are 2:00-3:30, and Advanced Classes are 3:30-5:00.
- Spurs technique classes are on Tuesdays at XD2 Dance Studio from June 16<sup>th</sup> to July 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Spurs Lyrical team will practice from 2:00-3:00 each Tuesday.
- Spurs Jazz team will practice from 2:30-3:30 each Tuesday.
- The half hour overlap time is technique for both groups.
- Sergeant Camp is Tuesday, June 9<sup>th</sup> - Thursday June 11<sup>th</sup>. Parents and friends may attend the Showoff from 5:30-6:30 Thursday evening at the Rockwall Hilton.
- Officer Camp is Thursday, June 17<sup>th</sup> - Sunday June 21<sup>st</sup> in Houston.
- Line Camp is July 23<sup>rd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup>. The cost is \$400. It's at the Renaissance Hotel in Richardson at Galatyn Parkway and Central Expressway. Returning girls will perform the Home Routine on Friday, July 24<sup>th</sup>.
- Swingsters Team Picture will be taken at 8 a.m. on Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup> at the Rockwall Harbor by the big fountain. Individual pictures will be at Southern Images Studio on Shiloh Road near 190 after the group picture that day. Girls will sign up for their times.
- Tights have not been ordered yet. The amount owed for tights will be added to each Swingster's account, and Cathy will send updates after that order is completed.
- April 17<sup>th</sup> is the date of our 2009-2010 Swingsters Spring Show.

Next SBC meeting Tuesday, July 7th @ 7:00 p.m. AT STEAK KOUNTRY on Highway 78; Board Meeting at 6:00 p.m.