

# Panther Paws Board Meeting

## September 10, 2014

- Welcome and Introductions
  - Ralene called the meeting to order at 7 pm.
  - We went around the table with introductions. Sixteen were present.
  - Minutes from last June's meeting were approved.
- Treasurer's Report
  - Beginning balance is \$1,101.
  - Flea market made \$1,100 and spent \$434 on food.
  - As of 9/1/2014, \$1,639 is in checking.
  - A bill will come soon for an answering service. It is about \$500 for 7 months of flea markets.
- ASB Student Leaders
  - Student Leaders will be elected and start coming next month.
- Athletic Director's Report
  - Sports are just getting started. Football had its first game last weekend. Cross country will start tomorrow. Volleyball has had one game. Tennis was cancelled yesterday when Mt. Pleasant did not show. League seasons have not started yet.
  - Jamboree is a football scrimmage with 4-5 schools in our league. Money from the gate is split between the participating schools. Host schools get 100% of the profits from concessions. We put our name in and hope to host next August 28th.
- Membership
  - We have 84 family memberships at \$60 each.
  - We have 14 single memberships.
  - We have 2 alumni memberships.
  - The Spirit Pack will be \$30 selling 2 t-shirts and a magnet.
- Administration Report
  - We are working on getting team lists into School Loop and this should improve the communication.
  - Gary Rose wants to use School Loop to track student's grades.
  - He mentioned how glad he was to see more attendance at tonight's meeting.
  - He wants to improve the sense of pride students and parents feel at the games.

- New Business:
  - We will need more committees to draw in more people and make it more community based.
    - Flea Market/ Fundraising
    - Volunteer list will be merged with PTSA.
    - Website
  - Backfield scoreboard has a bad battery charger. The athletic director will look into it.
  - Right now we are considering how to spend funds to support teams. We need to build up our beginning balance so we can support teams at the beginning of the year instead of the end of the year. This is something to look at in the future. We need to keep looking at options to build our community involvement and funds.
  - Our next Flea Market is September 27<sup>th</sup> and we will need help for that. Cross country and tennis students will be helping.
- Next Meeting is October 1<sup>st</sup> at 7 pm.