

Midland High Football Booster Meeting 08/26/19

- I. Opening meeting: David Worley called the meeting to order at 7:06 pm
- II. Approve minutes from 8/19 meeting (minutes can be found at midlandhighfootball.com/boosterclub/min)
 - a. Treasurer update / Hill Glover: Account is reconciled through August. If anyone has questions please call Hill.
 - b. Membership update / Lori Forbus: Continuing to take in membership. We are in the 50-60 member range and still have more coming.
- III. Snack Bags/ Michele Canis- Snack bag sign up was put out. Christina Granado informed that all the snacks were covered just need one more to sign up for bananas. Drop off for snacks will be on Wednesday, August 28, at 6:30pm at the locker room decorating. Asking all teams parents come out for locker room decorating and snack bags on Wednesday night. Volunteers are needed for decorating. A sign-up sheet was passed around for team leaders for locker room decorating. Team leader is responsible for putting together volunteers, decorations, theme for their week, and cleaning up on Sunday. Decorating theme this week is Crush Canyon-Randall. Collecting empty Purple grape Crush can drinks for decorations, all moms are welcome to bring tape and scissors.
- IV. Coaches Dinners /Kendra Pearson
 - a. Coaches watch game film on Saturday, would like to provide lunch about 11:30pm. Looking for someone to provide for this Saturday. There will be a sign up for Saturday lunches.
 - b. Donate to help with gift cards and snacks- continuing to collect gift cards and money for snacks and drinks left for the coaches throughout the week.
- V. Homecoming Float / Michele Canis- homecoming is coming up in a month. Michele Canis has reached out to McCoy's for an 18-wheeler to use for the parade. Any parent with a Varsity player who would like to help, help will be needed to get the float decorated. Shorty's Rental and Feed will give the booster club hay for free as long as we don't tear it up. Need some dads and trucks at Shorty's Rental Thursday morning to pick up hay. Needing someone to chair the Homecoming parade float.
- VI. Varsity Dinners- Varsity Parents need to sign up for Varsity dinners- Needing someone to coordinate the dinners, set up and clean up. Dinners will be held at First Baptist Church at 6:00pm.
 - a. Sept. 19- Abilene –This is the night of the homecoming parade so this will need to be changed.
 - b. October 24-Permian
 - c. October 31-Lee
 - d. November 8- Odessa
Dos Compadres and Bushes Chicken each donated one night. We will need two other nights with donations.

- VII. Whataburger Night / during bye week- tentatively to be held on October 3, 5pm-8pm, on Andrews Highway. Once the date is set there will be flyers sent out the school to get the word out.
- VIII. Introduce Ellie Bigger- STARS Dance Team- Senior Homecoming Dance – Momma Dawg dance, Ellie Bigger has offered to have the STARS dance team help with a dance for the Momma Dawgs.
- IX. Varsity Send off – Friday, August 30th at 12:30/12:45pm. The team will leave at 1:00pm for Canyon Randall at Kimbrough Stadium.
- X. Thursday, August 29th at Grande Stadium
 - a. 4:30 pm JV Purple vs. Monahan’s JV
 - b. 6:00pm JV Gold vs. Canyon Randall

Friday, August 30th Kimbrough Stadium 2800 N. 23rd St. Canyon, Texas

7:00 Varsity vs. Canyon Randall

- XI. Coach A-Z (questions / practice on Labor Day?)- Coach A-Z talked about the scrimmage against Plainview. All the teams did a really good job from the freshman level up. Teams showed a lot of energy. Varsity has a good chemistry. Team did what was needed and progressively got better; one negative was turning the ball over too much. Overall, Coach A-Z felt really good about where we were at the end of the scrimmage. We outnumbered Plainview and dominated the scrimmage at the quarter. Every week we have a raise the bar. Canyon Randall is a going to be a better football team. Pebble Hills is a good 6A football team; El Paso Franklin is the best 6A football team in El Paso this year. Abilene high is a very physical football team. Every single week we have a five week opportunity to get where we need to be. Feel really good about where we are as a football team. Canyon Randall is a well-coached football team. Their numbers don’t match ours. They may have 48 kids on the roster; we have 68 kids on the roster. They have 5 kids that play both ways. We have to play hard and can’t give them extra opportunities. Canyon Randall huddles up, it slows the game down. They are a good football team it will be a good win for us. We are expected to go up there and win. We have to get our young team to be able to travel well. 3 hr. drive, driving straight through, getting there earlier than normal to give the boys time to get acclimated to the environment. Itinerary, leaving at 1:00pm, get out of class after 3rd period. Let them go to lunch and report to the field house. There will be a pep-rally at 8:30 in the morning. It’s mandatory for the players to be at the pep-rally. Coach addressed the concern for the heat during work out today. Coach visited with Megan, trainer, the day before. There is a policy in place for them to follow for days like today. Normally on Mondays the team practices 20 periods, today they practiced 17 so the practice was half an hours less. They practiced on the grass field which was cooler than the turf field. The players’ safety is number 1 priority. Players were kept hydrated, there were hydration fans on the field for the players to walk to, shaded areas. Questions: Practice on Monday, Labor Day at 9:00 am. Freshman practice 8am-10am in Labor Day.

Freshman coach sent an update for freshman team's scrimmage against Plainview: Purple team scored 6 touchdowns, white team scored 4 touchdowns. Two defenses did a great job. Freshman team received complements on their behavior on and off the field.

Momma Dawg lunches will be on home games and Daddy Dawg Lunches will be at Mac's Bar-B-Que on Friday home games. Daddy Dawg lunches are open to all players, lunch is \$10. Jimmy will need help at the home games setting up the Bulldog on the field for the players to run through. Also need parents to help put up the flags before the home games at Grande.

Meeting adjourned at 7:46pm