

Ontario Christian Boosters Club Minutes of the November 30, 2009, Meeting

1. **Opening Prayer:** Offered by Bernie Gabrielse.
2. **Members Present:** Vince Solorzano, Bernie Gabrielse, Gary Zondervan, Robin Coachman, Malosi Taeleifi, Connie and Al Leyva, Susie Mendoza, Darlene Seno, David Canfield, Brent Westra, Kimberly Olvera
3. **Coaches and Staff present:** David Parkes, David Belden, Len Fakkema, Jon Schaap, Kristen Hoekstra, Nate Kok, Laing Stevens
4. **Visitors present:** no visitors
5. **Coaches Report:**

Girls Cross Country – Len Fakkema reporting. The girls tied for the league championship with Aquinas, with Aquinas winning the tie breaker head to head. This is currently a nine year run with only two seniors this year. The season ended with the CIF Prelims at Mt. SAC. Aquinas ended third in CIF and went to state. Aquinas is in Division 5 we are in Division 4, we return to Division 5 next year. Aquinas will be tough with only one girl graduating.

Boys Cross Country – Jon Schaap reporting. The team was deeper this year and since they were coming off a three league championship run, they had high hopes. They faced a strong league this year and came in 3rd. The guys all worked hard and many improved a great deal. The boys also made it to CIF Prelims at Mt. SAC. Many of the boys will return next year.

Boys Soccer – Len Fakkema reporting. The boys played their first game on Monday, November 29. There are excellent numbers this year and some cuts have been made with one more cut to come once the football players return. This is a young team with three freshmen on varsity and eight new players.

Girls Soccer – Dave Belden reporting. The team lost three All-CIF players to graduation and there are seven new players on varsity. They are currently ranked fourth in CIF. They have a tough schedule coming up which will give them a more realistic look at where they really are.

Boys Track and Field – No report.

Girls Track and Field –No report.

Boys Basketball – Nate Kok reporting for Scott Brummel. Coach Brummel has been ill and is thankful for all of the prayers. Basketball is underway with some players still with the football team. Of the thirteen players there are eight new players, all juniors. The numbers are good this year with enough for all three teams. They start against Maranatha on Tuesday night, November 1, and have two tournaments coming up around Christmas, we will be hosting one of them. Coach Kok is looking forward to Coach Brummel's return and the challenges ahead, including playing in a strong league.

Girls Basketball – Kristen Hoekstra reporting. There is some concern over some early injuries that a few girls are working through. This situation has shown that there is strong leadership and intensity. There are six two year junior varsity starters on varsity and two girls are 6’ 3”. Junior varsity has a new coach, Jessica Hall. Jessica played basketball at Pepperdine University and the girls are giving her a great deal of respect.

Golf – No report.

Boys Volleyball – No report.

Baseball – No report.

Girls Softball – No report.

Football – Laing Stevens reporting. The football team is playing well down the stretch defeating the #2 seed Maranatha last week. The team will play this Friday in the CIF Semi-finals.

Cheerleaders – No report

6. **October Boosters Club Meetings Minutes:** Approved
7. **Treasure’s Report:** Gary Zondervan reported \$26,511.71 in the checking account and \$31,598.75 in the money market account.
8. **High School Athletic Directors Report:** David Parkes reported.
 - a. Winter sports are underway.
 - b. Construction of the baseball batting cage is underway.
 - c. Shotput rings have been installed.
 - d. Softball cage upgrades are underway.
9. **Middle School Athletic Directors Report:** David Belden reported this year’s playoffs went better than expected. The baseball/softball field has received much praise.
10. **Financial Discussion:** Bernie gave an overview of the clubs financial history and how the club has done well in planning for and providing financial support to the school’s athletic department and facilities for the past 50 years.
11. **Bylaws Discussion:** There was much discussion concerning the current version of the bylaws, the revision processes, and the availability of copies. Susie Mendoza will email a current copy to Dave Canfield who will email them out to everyone. The bylaws will be up for review and revision after the first of the year.
12. **Golf Tournament:** Work is ongoing and our course has been reserved. The date of the tournament is June 4, 2010. Assignments will be given out at the January meeting.
13. **Christmas Tree Fundraiser:** Bernie reported the Christmas Tree fundraiser is underway and has bundles of flyers and vouchers to hand out.

14. **Halftime Fundraiser:** Discussed the possibility of selling \$1 tickets at the basketball games for a chance to shoot from half court to win 50% of the raffle monies.
15. **Athletic Book:** Bernie reported most of the monies have come in. He is working on collecting the outstanding commitments.
16. **Pancake Breakfast:** No report.
17. **Booster Bin:** Robin reported the Bin is doing well.
18. **Hall of Fame:** No report.
19. **December Meeting:** This meeting will be on January 25, 2010, the fourth Monday of the month in the high school library at 7:00.
20. **Boosters Club Board Elections:** The elections went as follows -
 - a. President: Nominations
 - i. Connie Leyva
 - ii. Malosi Taeleifi, no second
 1. All in favor for Connie Leyva.Connie thanked everyone and assured us she will be a good steward and maintain the high standards and integrity of the Ontario Christian Athletic Boosters Club.
 - b. Vice President: Nominations
 - i. Malosi Taeleifi
 - ii. Lynnette Coachman
 1. Ballot vote, 5 for Malosi and 7 for LynnettePosition accepted by Robin Coachman on Lynnette's behalf.
 - c. Treasurer: Nominations
 - i. Gary Zondervan
 1. Gary was unopposed and all were in favor for Gary.Gary thanked everyone and stated he is happy to continue in his service to the club and schools.
 - d. Secretary: Nominations
 - i. Dave Canfield
 1. Dave was unopposed and all were in favor for Dave.Dave thanked everyone and stated he is happy to continue in his service to the club and schools.

21. **Roll Call:** All members individually thanked Bernie for his service to the club and schools as president of the Boosters Club. Bernie assured the club he will still be involved in many ways.

22. **Closing Prayer:** Offered by Brent Westra.

The meeting was adjourned.

Next Boosters Club Meeting is January 25, 2010 in the high school library at 7:00.

Respectfully submitted,
David Canfield