University High School Boosters
Meeting Agenda
Nov. 4, 2014

Attendees: Rod Bray, Tom Dulee, Doug Gillam, Susan Rink, Andrea Markert, Mary Walker, Tracy Patkunas, Michelle Houchin, Kate Rodriguez, Michele Wittman, Joe Mussey, Ursula Mussey, Karen O'Shea, Jodie Slothower, Jeff Huettemann, Larissa Kennedy, Denise Castillo, Laura Amble, Beth Dulee, Cory Roop, Jennifer Trevarthan, Susan Kullman, Lucy Morkin, Janine Rodriguez, Roberta Trites

Agenda:

• Welcome/Call to order – The meeting was called to order at 6:32.
• Officer reports
  o President (Rod Bray)
  o VP (Tom Dulee)
  o Treasurer (Doug Gillam)
    ▪ We have money for grants; need to invest it in our kids
  o Secretary (Susan Rink)
    ▪ Minutes from last meeting are available on U-High Boosters site. Motion to approve Doug Gillam; seconded by Tom Dulee.
• Administration report (Andrea Markert)
  o Reported on vandalism to the school building last week. We have an ISU grant for security cameras which will be installed this year
  o Owen Nursery has donated 7,500 tulip bulbs for the Earth Club to plant. Orchestra is also selling U-High tulips.
  o Cross Country is competing in state this weekend
  o Thursday, Nov. 20, Mr. U-High competition to benefit Home for Haiti
  o Finals prep for students; help available from U-Link
    ▪ Teachers and U-Link Mentors are offering study sessions
    ▪ Mentor sessions are available the week before finals and the Monday of finals week
    ▪ Note taking and testing skills workshops available
    ▪ Parents will get an email with details and teachers will promote in class
  o Planning a Town Hall meeting in December and a Diversity Committee meeting in November
• Old Business
• New Business
  o Celebrate My Drive Results – Shared report from Lane Hansen. U-High had a great run; in the top 100 on our first try! Results will be finalized by Dec. 5. Looking forward to success next year.
  o Booster Website Update – Fixing a few last items, then the new website will be ready.
  o Art Club grant request – The art department is requesting $1,000 toward a new kiln. The total cost is $3,695 + shipping. The art department plans to raise the rest. The kiln would benefit about 120 U-High students.
    ▪ The Art Club is also eligible for a matching grant. Andrea will let them know.
    ▪ Motion to approve by Roberta Trites; seconded by Cory Roop. All in favor. Motion carries.
• Committee reports
After Prom will offer finals week snacks.
Date for Prom / After Prom – May 2, 2015; Doors will open for After Prom at 11 p.m.
Theme of After Prom 2015 - #itsallaboutU
NEW this year – mobile laser tag
Planning a “gift card extravaganza”
Bling wear fundraiser is going on now – see website (closes Nov. 17)
Selling green & gold twist wristbands for $10 each
Great response to Unraiser so far. Money raised will be spent on the kids.
Will solicit for volunteers as we get closer to the event

Got a lot of spirit wear out into the community this year.
Online holiday order available by the end of the week
May set up a booth at the first home basketball game

Big push on 50th anniversary of the first class at this school building
There is a time capsule somewhere. Planning to replace it with a new time capsule.

Jockey fundraiser closing out this week
Looking for a fundraiser for next month
Janine Rodriguez and Sherry Orgler are tracking down additional fundraising opportunities – will get them added to the site.
Let Tom or Cory know if you need a fundraising opportunity – school organizations should not contact local businesses on their own
Please note, it often takes 60 – 90 days to collect fundraising money from businesses
Working on better ways to make the U-High community aware of fundraising events – monthly Skyward message?

Next hospitality opportunity in Feb. 2015
Faculty/Staff breakfast coming up next week. Will resend Signup Genius
Raised over $11,000 with the Gold Rush Raffle
Chaperones

football is wrapping up. Tracy will represent boys’ basketball
Tailgate

Our band earned 2nd place in the ISU competition
A link to the U-High Marching Band site on YouTube will be added to the U-High website

The directory has been distributed
Jody DeCremer / Ty Thomas – Website
- Open – Chorus
- Open – Speech
- Open – Parents / Support Network
- Open – Orchestra

- Adjourn
  - Motion to adjourn by Doug Gillam; seconded by Cory Roop

Next meeting
- Tuesday, Dec. 2, 2014, in the U-High Library

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### U-High Boosters Treasurer's Report - October 2014

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**Receipts:**

- Gold Rush Raffle Sales                           | $100.00    |
- Booster’s night at Rosati’s                      | $176.89    |
- Booster’s night at Rosati’s                      | $66.95     |
- Tupperware Fundraiser                            | $722.18    |
- Gold Rush Raffle Sales                           | $100.00    |
- Spirit Wear Sales                                | $1,561.00  |
- Spirit Wear Sales                                | $1,115.00  |

**Total Receipts**                                 | **$4,232.02** |

**Disbursements:**

- Gold Rush Raffle Drawing (at Homecoming)         | $26.00     |
- Avanti’s (Homecoming Tailgate food)              | $2,550.00  |
- Stamps                                            | $29.40     |
- Gold Rush Raffle Drawing (10/15)                 | $150.00    |
- Gold Rush Raffle Drawing (10/24)                 | $150.00    |
- Envelopes (Walmart)                              | $3.74      |

**Spirit Wear**

- Select Screen Prints (Invoice 38735)             | $469.00    |

**Total Disbursements**                            | **$5,172.14** |

**Net Gain or Loss**                               | **$859.88**  |

**Total Funds**                                    | **$61,337.18** |

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## Beginning of School Year: End of month (20/31/2014):
- **Beginning Balance (Bus) 8/1/2014**: $37,797.89
- **Foundation Account**: $23,599.29
- **After Prom Account**: $19,445.75

**TOTAL BALANCE**: **$73,842.93**

**Proposed Budget NET**

**Budgeted Start-up left over for 2015-15**