



SPHS Football Booster Club
Monday, August 31, 2009



1. Opening - The meeting was called to order by Rose Trevathan @ 6:30
2. Coaches Report – Coach Chessher explained why he doesn't cut on his football team. You never know when the boys will develop; Will never cut as long he is coaching. Freshman Gold vs Alamo Heights 28-0; Freshman A team vs Alamo Height 22-19 in the 3rd quarter; game called due to lightening. JV White lost to Taylor 8-6; JV Gold beat Alamo Heights 14-6; JV Blue beat Alamo Heights 22-6; varsity beat Alamo Heights 29-0 but he felt it should have been more like 42 or 45 – 0. Great effort but we can't afford mistakes. Alamo Heights never laid down – we could not lay down either. Played pretty well. Play Thursday at the Palace against Connally. 7:00 game time. Senior Parent Night. Be on the field ready to go at 6:15. 38 seniors this year plus trainers to recognize. Connally has good talent, speed; we have a good opportunity to win; we need to stay grounded. The practice in full pads which makes a difference. Makes the guys more physical; is good in the long run. 3500 students at SPHS this year. 1000 will be going to Cedar Ridge next year – girls, boys, athletes, non athletes. All the boys play pretty well; they need to persevere and hang in there. Coach Clark (D tackle coach) was introduced and spoke briefly: JV Blue didn't play as well as they should have against Alamo Heights; but some JV Blue moved up to Varsity which then brought up some JV Gold to play on the Blue team all due to Varsity injuries. Kids in spots that they are not used to. Will get extra practice this week with the JV Blue game being on Friday. JV Blue work with Varsity, watch films etc. It's a luxury to be able to pull from top to bottom for players. Friday JV Blue plays at Connally 7:30 but trying to get the game moved to 6:00 (watch web site for times). JV White will play Hutto at either 4:00 or 4:30. Trying to get a game for JV Gold with Lake Travis. JV Gold has 9 total games; JV White has 8 games. Coach Chessher thanked Coach Clark for speaking. Coach Chessher apologized for the time mix ups at the games on Thursday with Alamo Heights. The games were to be back to back which to Coach Chessher meant one at 5:30 and one at 7:30; Alamo Heights coach thought back to back meant the games played at the same time. The communication between coaches needs to be better! 😊 The senior player's pictures will be taken after the Connally game on Thursday. Senior night; we need to know who's name to announce; Mom, Dad, Aunt, Uncle? We have 2 good QB's; both great athletes. For a defensive coach it's a nightmare switching QB's! Connally scouts didn't know what SPHS was doing – Coach Chessher wants to keep them perplexed! We had a former JV Gold player move to New Mexico this past year and he is now playing Varsity. He was Special Teams Player of the Week this past week. Texas has all around good athletes. SPHS fields make our players tough! 😊😊 Men are meant to be tough – not out of control. Very pleased with our boys. Shocked that everyone in the district lost but us. RR didn't play this week. Surprised about the McNeil game. Very surprised about the WW game on how they lost. Our stats were in the Sunday paper not the Saturday paper due to playing in San Antonio and getting home late. Coach Chessher will be interviewed by Craig Way Tuesday morning. He will also be at our game on Thursday. Grade sheets started this week. Tutorials every morning to those that need it. Mandatory tutorials after progress

reports come out. If you get injured – don't stay out too long – you may not get your job back!
Lots of good players to choose from!

3. Financial Report – roughly around \$12,000. Danny waiting on password change with bank to get account info on line.
4. Minutes – Mr. Covington made a motion to accept the minutes from August 31st and Susan Morello 2nd, and it was passed.
5. Old/New Business –
 - RR Young Life would like to tailgate at the 9/11 game. Pass out info about their group. Will pass out hot dogs.
 - Motion to accept By-Laws was made by Kevin White, 2nd by Joyce Godfrey, motion passed.
 - Program ad's due today
 - Astro Turf – Cost issue; too high; liability issues
6. New Business –
 - Financials: will just post general amount that is in the account; we have money in the bank; we are good! Rose to go to bank to reset the password for the account. Danny won't do full financials at each meeting, just general #'s.
 - Parent night starts at 6:15. All parents need to be at field by 6:00 filling out their student's info card for Jim McKay to announce. Player to give parent flower after name announced and then a picture taken by JJ Platter. A motion was made by Gene Garza to pay JJ this year for taking pictures. Paul Hopp 2nd the motion; motion passed. The tiger we had for a back drop is in need of repair. Motion by Paul Hopp to use a Green Screen was 2nd by Joyce Godfrey; motion passed.
 - Need volunteers for pass the helmet. Those wanting to volunteer are to contact Kristi Anderlohr. It is okay for kids to pass the helmet but the parent/adult needs to count the money. Danny requested 2 parents count it. The one signed up to pass the helmet and another one to also count. Tom Spikes volunteered to be the 2nd adult at each game to count the money and confirm its amount.
 - Rose Garza stated that she received a call from the district office that we cannot sell Bush's Ice Tea even though we had been approved. Band complained so we can't sell it. Randy Statts called her and apologized for approving the tea.
 - We need to sell something at Meet the Tigers! We also need to figure out what to sell since the tea was to be our big money raiser for this year. Our emblems should be in this week.
 - Julie Hopp suggested we set up a Pay Pal account on the web site for membership and merchandise purchases.
 - Awesome that so many were at the meeting! Danny asked that everyone bring someone for the next meeting!
 - Sign in for all the new first time members so your name could be put into a drawing.
7. Adjourn – a motion to adjourn was made by Joyce Godfrey; 2nd by Paul Hopp and was passed.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, September 8, 2009 6:30 G109/G110