

*Our mission is to passionately support and uplift our high school cheerleading program, fostering a culture of unity, dedication and excellence. Through fundraising, volunteer support and communications, we aim to support our coaches, cheerleaders and their families, ensuring they have the resources and encouragement needed to achieve their goals. Together, we strive to promote school spirit, sportsmanship, and community pride, creating lasting memories and empowering our athletes to shine brightly as they represent our school with grace and spirit.*



Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024 6:00pm @ Pearl Street

1. Welcome

- Thanks to Pearl Street
- Purpose – to enhance the experience, document things to ask coaches each year

2. Board member updates

➤ President (Kristy Kinder)

- Registered with IN/EIN #; 501c3 (pending)
- Paperwork for bank account with Farmers is in process
- Other payment accounts (Venmo, Square) once bank account is complete
- **There will be an expense report on the website for each committee to fill out and attach receipt to be submitted for payment**
- Rally Club email – [fhsrallyclub24@gmail.com](mailto:fhsrallyclub24@gmail.com)
  - **Kristy will share password with all board members/committee chairs**
- PO Box? \$200/year; talk to school about mail coming there?
  - **Decided to move forward with PO Box, but this will be an added cost each year**
  - **Treasurer and President will be responsible for the PO Box each year**
- Budget in progress – please review your line items and provide
  - **We will share with each committee chair to review and add**
- Standard templates for communication (created by Lisa)
- Updates from Coaches
  - Anything printed needs to be approved
    - **All printed material, tshirts, signs, etc need to be sent to coaches first**
  - Athletes have been removed from SportsYou
  - Needs/wants as we put together '24-'25 budget
    - Try out shirts, Nationals swag, catered banquet
    - Nationals –
      - i. dinner reservations for Thursday in Disney Springs **-Nationals committee to look**
      - ii. Visa GC for meals vs providing meals **these can be used at resort food court or at food trucks at ESPN**
  - Suggested a form that can be shared on social media for Alumni to complete **Jonathan will work on form to add to website and to share on social media**
  - Calendar **review all of the items below as some things have been added**

➤ Vice President (Todd Rafalski)

➤ Secretary (Carrie Daniel)

- Treasurer (Jonathan Cernero)
  - Rally Club website [www.fhsrallyclub.org](http://www.fhsrallyclub.org) – THANK YOU Jonathan!!
  - We are using some of the Clinic funds that we have collected already to use for setting up the 501c3; Registration in the State, and website fees
  - ASK: does anyone know a tax accountant that is a “friend of Fishers” that would be willing to work with us year after year on filing tax stuff
- Fundraising & Social Media Chair (Julie Buck)
  - Committee – Heather, Meredith, Jody, Krista, Cyndi
  - Sponsorship:
    - Form is ready to go as soon as we get a Fisher picture from camp; the form will be shared for all with everyone to help reach out to all of our contacts for sponsorship. More information will be coming .
    - There will be different levels of “Thank You” gifts – card; plaques; gifts; etc.
  - Update on Youth Clinic
    - Julie has tshirts already approved and will use funds from the FHS Cheer acct
    - Orders Bows and Poms to sell at the clinic (.50 each; selling for \$5.00)
    - Changed from just cheer clinic to also stunt clinic – we have raised over \$1000K
  - T-shirt & banner sponsors Julie has tshirts already approved
  - Before the Bell – passing out Torchy Dine-to-donate coupons at event
  - Dine to donates All Rally Club meetings at Pearl Street will be DTD; more to come
- Golf Outing Chair (Jonathan Cernero and Todd Rafalski)
  - Updates
  - 16 TEAMS confirmed and 7-9 possible returning teams – goal: 30 TEAMS – if you want to golf please get your team registered! Info on the form on Sports You
  - Sponsors: NEED Lunch and Dinner sponsors (BIG) and then other small sponsorship opportunities still available
  - Holes Sponsorship: 7 confirmed – this is a NEED – 11 more holes to cover
  - Sponsorship form on Sports You and will be posted on the new website
  - Donations: Live and Silent Auction items needed
  - Bar Crawl to ask for sponsorship or auction items – July 20<sup>th</sup> – more info to come
  - Look at “renting” out our Tiger hole flags to other FHS team golf outings
- Events Chair (Jody Meredith)
  - Committee – Krista R (V), Heather V (V), Michelle W, Sasha B, Michelle P, Lori W, Julie B, Shannequa H, Julie M (JV), Amy F (JV), Alais H (F)
  - Parent mixers Primeval Brewing on July 16<sup>th</sup>
  - Team bonding (funds) Add estimates to the budget form
  - State breakfast - Dates
  - Choreography – Jody will be sending out a signup genius for food /snacks/drinks for each team choreo
- Nationals Chair (Heather VanVoorhis)
  - Committee – Carrie, Therisa, Meredith, Michelle
  - Thursday Night – we will plan a Team Dinner and Parent Mixer at Disney Springs
- Senior Class Chair (Tricia Akers)

- Senior parent jersey – vendor change, refund from previous vendor **Tricia to be in touch with additional information on ordering new jerseys for Senior Parents**
- **Banner pictures turned out great – being hung August 5<sup>th</sup>**
- **Senior Gifts: Sashes; Buttons; Tiaras; Jerseys; Flowers from Sweet Peas**
  - **All Senior Parents are invited to Thursday, August 29<sup>th</sup> to practice to present all gifts to girls – more info to come**
- **Senior Ad – will be in the program for Senior Night and every parent will get a copy of the program**
- **Tricia will send a sample of a “Trader Card” template for all Seniors – complimentary**
- Gridiron Club Chair (Lisa Powers)
  - First parade mixer was a success
  - Cheer/football mixers
    - After practice popsicles (date TBD)
    - After practice water balloon toss for prizes (August date TBD)
    - Cheerleaders pass out good luck treat bags to football team (8/22 or 8/29)
    - Thu, Sep 12<sup>th</sup> – after practice athletes will make signs & decorate football locker room for Mudsock
    - Senior families will receive copy of the program on senior night and a copy of the football schedule calendar
- Alumni Chair
  - Still need to fill this position **going to start the form to start gathering alumni info**

### 3. Upcoming payment due dates:

- Choreography \$300 due by 6/25
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Varsity order (camp gear) payment due

### 4. Next meetings

- Jul 23<sup>rd</sup>, Aug 27<sup>th</sup>, Sep 24<sup>th</sup>, Oct 10<sup>th</sup>, Nov 14<sup>th</sup>, Dec 10<sup>th</sup> @ Pearl Street 6:00 – 8:00

### Looking ahead

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Summer practices T/TH</li> <li>➤ 7/12 – 7/14 Camp (F) @ IU</li> <li>➤ 7/14 – 7/16 V!Roc Choreography (V)</li> <li>➤ 7/16 Parent Mixer @ Primeval Brewing</li> <li>➤ 7/25 Stunt Clinic</li> <li>➤ 8/1 Before The Bell (V) @ Nickelplate</li> <li>➤ 8/9 Red/White Scrimmage (V, possibly JV &amp; F) <b>at FHS</b></li> <li>➤ 8/10 Dance Choreography (V)</li> <li>➤ 8/16 Scrimmage @ Lawrence North (V)</li> <li>➤ 8/23 Game @ North Central (V)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ 8/24 Game v North Central (F, JV)</li> <li>➤ 8/30 Game v Pike (V) – Senior Night</li> <li>➤ 8/31 Game @ Pike (F, JV)</li> <li>➤ 9/6 Game v Noblesville (V) – Hoco &amp; Youth Night</li> <li>➤ 9/7 Game v Noblesville (JV away, F home)</li> <li>➤ 9/13 Game @ HSEHS (V) – Mudsock</li> <li>➤ 9/14 Game v HSEHS (JV) – Mudsock</li> <li>➤ 9/16 Game @ HSEHS (F) – Mudsock</li> <li>➤ 9/20 Game v Brownsburg (V)</li> <li>➤ 9/21 Game v Brownsburg (JV away, F home)</li> </ul> |
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- 9/21 Mt. Vernon Invitational (V, JV)
- 9/26 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Golf Outing
- 9/27 Game @ Avon (V)
- 9/28 Game v Avon (JV home, F away)
- 9/28 Royal Nation (V, JV)
- 10/4 Game @ Franklin Central (V)
- 10/5 Game v Franklin Central (JV home, F away)
- 10/5 CICC (V, JV)
- 10/11 Game v Westfield (V) – Pink Week
- 10/12 Game v Westfield (JV away, F home) – Pink Week
- 10/12 – 10/16 Fall Break (V practice 10/17)
- 10/18 Game @ Zionsville (V)
- 10/19 Game v Zionsville (JV home, F away)
- 10/19 HCCA (V, JV)
- 10/26 State Competition Qualifier (V)
- 11/2 State Competition (JV)
- 11/9 State Competition (V)
- 11/1 Varsity Sectional Game 1
- 11/8 Varsity Sectional Game 2
- 11/15 Varsity Regional Game
- TBD End of Season Banquet
- 11/16 UCA Hoosier Regional (V, JV)
- 11/22 Varsity Semi-State Game
- 11/28 Thanksgiving – no practice (practice 11/26)
- 11/29 Varsity State Game
- 12/16 – 1/2 Winter Break (practice 1/3)
- TBD January Judges Sweep (National teams)
- 2/5 – 2/10 UCA Nationals in FL (National teams)
- TBD Nationals Banquet