

MHS GRIDIRON Meeting
September 9, 2008
Minutes

9/13 vs. Whitman Hanson Game Prep.

- A. 50/50 Raffle – Kelly DeGust has sign ups and will coordinate sales with freshmen parents. Karen Macedo will deliver (or Tony Pomella will pick up) the cash bags and Karen will collect at end of night to put in “nigh drop” at RFCU.
- B. Gridiron Storage/Display Shed – Bill Last has received and coordinated all that is needed for going forward on shed. (10’ X 12’.) He will supervise and hopes to have it up for next home game. (9/26 vs. BR.)

FUNDRAISERS

- A. Aug/Sep Calendars – Coach Silva is collecting all outstanding calendars. Drawing will take place ASAP. Dan Vaughan and Karen Macedo will coordinate.
- B. Pictures – Dan Vaughan to work with Ned Constantino (program photographer) to offer football players opportunity to purchase pictures with a portion going to MHS Gridiron. Cheerleaders already organized through Debi.
- C. Gridiron Film Day – Dan to investigate the possibility of having the game films available for viewing at a hall (i.e. Elks, VFW) with chance to have fun, watch game and make a little for the club.

Other ideas discussed were: selling advertising at the field (along fence or on score board and press box,) flamingos on the lawn (pay to have them moved to another address.) More information to follow as needed.

PROGRAM UPDATE

Ads – all advertisements are in to MAK. Program will be ready for next home game. Bill Last to have fairgrounds group bring stands to sell programs from. Slightly higher than crowd and more visible. Coach Silva to provide visiting team roster to be inserted into program so that it can be sold to all spectators. Thanks to all who participated in program this season.

PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Mike McNamara will be providing \$125 scholarship each week for “player of the week.” The chosen player will go to Mike’s radio show on Saturday morning around 9:00 a.m. (Jake Russell was on this past Saturday, congrats,) and Mike will call Coach Silva so they can talk about game for a bit. The player of week will also receive a gift card upon their arrival to station.

PASTA DINNERS

Kevin Joyal has agreed to chair and supervise pasta dinners (with exception of Thanksgiving dinner that is traditionally hosted by senior players’ fathers.) Jennifer DiGrigoli will help with getting sign-ups and doing e-mails. First dinner will be Thursday, September 18 for ALL JV AND VARSITY FOOTBALL PLAYERS AND JV AND VARSITY CHEERLEADERS as well as all coaches @ 6:00 p.m. in MHS cafeteria. Next dinner is scheduled for Thursday, October 16. If you would like to help contact Kevin Joyal kjoyal@verizon.net or Jennifer DiGrigoli jenrdig@comcast.net

BEVERLY HILLS

YEAH!! BOTH TEAMS WON, CLEAN SWEEP OF THE NORMANS. Thanks to all WATD sponsors that provided advertising dollars so that the game could be broadcast live. Bill Last to coordinate a thank you letter to all the advertisers/sponsors to let them know we appreciate all the support they provide to our program.

Next meeting scheduled for October 7, 6:30 p.m. Location may be changed, will keep you posted.

Respectfully submitted: Jennifer R. DiGrigoli September 15, 2008