

CHURCHILL SPIRIT CLUB
GENERAL MEETING AGENDA
August 20, 2025 - Churchill Library

- Welcome and Introductions

- Introduction: Kara went to booster club presidents meeting today.
- Bylaws are on our website churchillspiritclub.com-read what your chair position description is if you have questions.
- We have a tax ID and everything has been filed.
- Kara recapped what we did last year including a membership drive.
- Went through officer and chair positions.
- Be a champion for the booster club when we talk to other people, explain what the booster club is, encourage people to help and join.
- Volunteer background check. Make sure to come check in at the front door when volunteering during school day. Make sure you are an approved volunteer through DPS.
- Best practice to review bylaws once a year. Read your section. Readopt and send to the leadership team.
- The goal of the booster club-fundraiser is to support our groups here as opposed to individual students.
- You can sign up to work concessions for the district. Can get paid 10/hour and the money goes to your booster club.

- Committee Updates

- Cheer Clinic

- 68 registered so far, can take walk-ins. Cost is \$50. Some holes in donations, sign up genius. Need help with registration and check in and merch sales on Saturday. Got the ok from Coach Smith to have booster club sell merch at event. Make sure to select CHEER or SPIRIT SALES when working merchandise tables. Talked through best practices for registration and check in at the event.
 - Passed around MTC sign up. Kara asked former parents to come back and help fill in gaps for MTC and Greenback night.
 - Cheer-going to sell yard signs at MTC.

- Dance/Drill Clinic
 - Sign up genius went out. Suggestion to let freshman parents help. 28 kids enrolled. Talked through advertising ideas. Elementary schools, restaurants, dance studios, churches, etc. Socials making photo back drop.
- Senior Week
 - September 3rd for senior parent meeting. 645. In the library. Cole will send an email to senior parents. 12 graduating seniors. Budget for senior events? Be thinking about it.
- Fundraising - Poinsettia sales and Spirit Nights
 - Poinsettia sales-approved. Will be a fundraiser for the booster club as a whole. Need to discuss how to go about it. 8 poinsettias/case. Have each girl sell a case? About 8 dollars profit/plant-64/girl. Fundraiser runs end of September through the end of October. Pay through a link. Order form will have QR code on it.
- Special Events - Meet and Greet Family Event - Oct. 11?
 - Meet and greet confirmed at Bigz October 11th.
- Spirit Gear - Updates and requests
 - Discussed what we are selling-WC t shirt, WINston t-shirt, crossbody fanny packs, bandanas, and buttons. Kara encouraged the group to send people our way during Meet the Chargers.
- Membership and Sponsorship - Letter approval and eblast
 - Kara passed out a letter regarding general membership, donation requests, and joining information. Start thinking about donations. Membership levels. See handout. Cole suggested putting a banner on the front of school with donors for recognition.
- Spirit Angels
 - hearts in the spring. Stocking the shelves in the locker room. Locker decorating football season and competition season.
 - Locker Decorating-dates are set. SUG sent.
- Vice-President Reports
 - Locker decorating
 - Clinics
 - Request for funds for locker room decorations
 - Cheer
 - Dance
 - Drill
 - Pep Squad
- Treasurer - Budget Overview and Goals

- \$940 in membership
- fundraising - \$726 (minus expenses)

We have the cute merchandise!

- We paid our taxes

- Budget - need to decide on starting place with money for each group. The VP of the group, sponsor, treasurer, and president decide how they want to spend it.

- Financial Needs
 - Specific Spirit Groups (Pep, Drill, Dance, Cheer)

Starting point

800 pep

1200 cheer/dance/drill

600-meals separate from other amounts

500 seniors

200 spirit angels

Cole mentions OSS meals-all four groups

Competition meals

107 girls in spirit

Chris asked for a motion to vote on amounts

Kelly seconded the motion

Ayes have it

Approved Amounts:

\$800 pep

\$1200 dance/drill/cheer

\$500 for Seniors

\$200 Spirit Angels

- Locker Decorating
- Winston Mascot - Winston needs a new costume! Mascot costume \$1600
winston and clementine. Funny t shirt sale to raise money suggested. Will
revisit.

- Next Meeting Dates
 - General meeting 9/25

Board and officers meeting 10/29

Questions

Jeni-wants to highlight girls on social media who have received awards. Everyone liked the idea.

Emily-Game day meal sign up coming, one person per team. Check in at the front when coming to serve meals.

Meeting adjourned at 7:43

Member in Attendance

Kara Mowrey

Chris Balthrop

Lauren Belden

Yvonne Sterling

Emily Urban

Cameron Vickery

Heather Andis

Karen Conless

Karen Farrel

Barbara Jean Thompson

Jeni Sandoval

Kelly Kellar

Brenda Novak