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**Wednesday, October 14, 2015**

**Location: Angelo's Pizza, Steak, and Spaghetti - Pantego, Texas**

- Darla Peznell: Welcome/Call to Order – 7:01pm
  - Remind everyone to check-In on Social Media
  - Guest Speakers
    - 7:05pm Coach Criss, thank you for outpouring of support and eager to get back on the field
    - 7:11pm Coach Rodriguez, soccer team is going to Orlando, Florida. Looking for support for cookie fundraiser and goal is \$3000.
      - AT&T game will be at 5:3pm on Friday, will post details on Facebook. Pre-sale at school is \$8, At the gate \$10, Parking is \$10
- Brenda Wolf: Minutes
  - Mike Mullen moved to accept minutes as read, Kathy Schwiger seconds
- Nicia Harrison: Treasurer's Report
  - Judy Thomas moves to accept report as read, Melynda Merrifield seconds
- Darla Peznell
  - Audit Committee Update
    - Chair, Jayme Thomas along with Melynda Merrifield and Al Critz, working on report to present to board and general membership
  - Spirit Rally & North Texas Giving Day
    - Over \$3000 raised by alumni for the school, great things are happening! The Spirit Rally was a huge success and every student received a blue shirt.
    - Spirit Rally Shirts in demand
      - Al, Mike and Mike donated \$300 to purchase more "I Am A Texan" shirts to sell at sporting events
  - November 11<sup>th</sup> Meeting (Veteran's Day)
    - We will be recognizing our vets at next months meeting, please help us to spread the word and invite any alumni veteran members to join us.
  - In addition, AISD board will be coming to November meeting for special recognition presentation to the alumni.
- Judy Thomas
  - Actively collecting donation baskets for fall fling, please let me know if you have any baskets to donate.
- Nicia Harrison
  - Collecting funds for alumni Homecoming Tailgate, pulling money together to get spots for alumni
- Sheila Ivy Young
  - Beyond Lunch Food Pantry Update
    - 97% of students are on free/reduced lunch

- Personal care drive for holidays needed for homeless students
  - Brenda will make flyer, get it posted on social media
  - Bring items to December Christmas party
- Brenda Allen
  - Please go online to [Greatnonprofits.org](http://Greatnonprofits.org) and leave a review
  - Bylaws, please provide any feedback you may have about existing bylaws, proposed changes, anything you feel like we should add or change, board is actively receiving feedback.
- Open Forum (questions or concerns)
  - Kiss the Goat fundraiser for Wrestling is coming up, alumni nominations due!
  - Becky Phillips passed out information and talked briefly about PEP program. She is also helping with the 45<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Tex-Annes planning if anyone would like to participate.
- New on agendas is the Treasurer Time so members can handle memberships, donations, merchandise sales, etc. with Treasurer.
- Jay Thomas motions to adjourn, Judy Thomas seconds. Meeting adjourned.