

HRBC Meeting 10/21/25

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Tuesday, October 21 · 6:45 – 9:15pm

Time zone: America/New_York

Google Meet joining info

Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/noe-dzdc-aaa>

Agenda:

1. Call to Order
2. Approve last month's minutes
3. Financial Report
 - a. Balance
 - b. Income Report
 - c. Expenses
 - d. Pending Reimbursement Requests
 - e. Upcoming Expense Pre-Approval Request
4. Chair Updates
 - a. Fundraising
 - b. Webmaster
 - c. Social Media
 - d. Sponsors
 - e. Grants
 - f. Team Rep update
5. Other Business
 - a. Planning for Fall 2025
 - i. By-laws
 - ii. Sponsors
 - iii. FTC
 - iv. Quizzo 10/25/25
 - v. Merch
 - vi. Sign-ups
 - vii. If volunteering, please make sure your clearances are up to date
6. Working Sessions
7. Next Booster Meeting: November 18, 2025

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Attendees: Colette S, Chelle P, Mike H, Kathleen C, Gianine B, Steve S, Cassie P, Brittany L, Jason V

Last month's (September 16) minutes were approved.

Financial Report:

Balance: \$15,437.60

Income: \$49.40 came in from RaiseRight this past month. Total RaiseRight balance is approximately less than \$2,000.00. \$2,400 from Venmo (Quizzo and Candy Bar Sales).

Expenses: None.

Pending Reimbursement Requests: None.

Upcoming Expenses: None. First FTC Event is November 8 in Chadds Ford. Registration fee approximately \$175.00. Might consider a jackery battery pack since we will be losing the one we use from the Hannons after this year.

Fundraising: Colette will reach out to someone who stopped by the Booster Club tent at Haverford Township Day. Will also reach out to Cenzo's who expressed interest. If anyone else has ideas or contacts that might be interested in becoming a sponsor, please reach out to them!

Sponsor packet is available here:

<https://team484.org/support-us/>

<https://team484.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/09/RoboForce-Sponsorship-Packet-2025-2026.pdf>

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Fundraising Dine-Ins: Nifty Fifty's? Shake Shack? No more than one per month.

Business Group at School does a fundraiser with food trucks (Kona Ice, etc.). Colette will talk to Colleen about that. Cassie will talk to Sophia. The kids are also thinking about doing candy cane grams at school.

Pancake Breakfast: February at McGillicuddy's? Colette will talk to Colleen.

Taddeo's: Mike H will talk to Taddeo's about a December holiday fundraiser. Maybe first weekend of December.

Grants: Kristin will get back to Colette. We've applied to several. Boeing closes on November 14. Will look into if we can apply again for a PECO grant (we did not get it last year).

New Parents (FRC) Meeting is tentatively planned for Thursday, November 6 at the High School at 7pm. Will set up a separate meeting for FTC New Parents.

Quizzo Fundraiser is this weekend! Saturday 10/25 at 7pm at the CREC. We still have some spots available! \$30 per person. RSVP to <mailto:jvanbatavia@gmail.com> and Venmo @HaverfordRoboticsBoosterClub

Merch: We are still picking a team color. Will order from C&M in January. Will set up Fourthwall.

Snack and Drink sign-ups: We need more snacks and drinks! We have about 60 kids total. Favorites are Mountain Dew, Dr. Pepper, Iced Tea, Minute Maid Lemonade, Water, variety packs of chips, cookies, other baked goods. During build season, kids are there all day on Saturdays. Kids like Cenzo's, McDonald's, Chick Fil-A, Chicken Fingers.

Bowling Party: Maybe in December?

Senior Gifts: We will do a collection at the end of the year. We have at least 10 seniors this year. Colette will buy graduation cords if they become available at a good price. Will have a participation requirement to receive graduation cords and spirit.

FRC Student Dues: Will be \$175-180 this year. We need to purchase two shirts for the kids this year since the competitions span two days.

FRC Events: We intend to participate in Week 3 (March 20-22) and Week 6 (April 10-12). Districts (at Lehigh University) will be April 16-18.

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