

## **Gridiron General Meeting Minutes**

**Date: Tuesday, March 18, 2014**

**Location: Chatfield High School – Room E104**

**Time: 7:00 p.m.**

The meeting was called to order by Craig Lucero and he gave a brief introduction and welcome to those in attendance.

Kathy Gaiter presented the minutes from the Gridiron Club meeting on February 18, 2014 for approval, and the minutes were approved as presented.

Craig Lucero reviewed fundraising and the Gridiron budget to date. He mentioned that Gridiron Club needs a new tax accountant and that we are researching the tax deductibility of donations.

Coach McGatlin gave an update on the program including the offseason weight training. He recently visited Plant High School in Florida to learn more about their program and its successes. The coach there was a former coach with the University of South Florida.

Coach updated Orlando plans – Varsity will play on Thursday night, August 21 against Everglades High School. JV will play either Thursday night after Varsity or Friday morning against a small Orlando school.

Craig reviewed the Gridiron Club fundraising structure and mentioned that we are looking for new fundraising ideas.

Finally, there was a general group discussion on how we can get the school and community more involved with Chatfield football, and we discussed the possibility of a “Spirit Committee.” We want to get more kids involved and get a spirited atmosphere for the games (like basketball).