

Athletics Booster Club Meeting Minutes

Sunday, July 19 at 6 PM

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 883 9849 6109

Ryan Case, President (<i>Girls Basketball</i>)	X	Ben Madison (<i>Baseball</i>)	
Marissa Conrad, Vice President (<i>Boys Basketball</i>)		Neal & Meredith Tapken (<i>Wrestling</i>)	X
Carl Duffy, Treasurer	X	Jeff Flora (<i>Wrestling</i>)	
Gretchen Rickert, Secretary (<i>Girls Golf</i>)	X	Shawna Hook (<i>Cross Country</i>)	X
Rod Wiebers (<i>Athletic Director</i>)	X	Kathy Grossman (<i>Volleyball</i>)	X
Audra Sorber (<i>Dance</i>)	X	Julianna Cullen (<i>Volleyball</i>)	
Suzanne Hegarty (<i>Cheerleading</i>)	X	Michaela Freiermuth (<i>Boys Soccer</i>)	
Carrie Austin (<i>Girls Track</i>)	X	Nikki Grove (<i>Boys Soccer</i>)	
Chris Tollari (<i>Girls Track</i>)	X	Chari Paulson (<i>Football</i>)	
Adam and Amanda Gardiner (<i>Boys Golf</i>)	X	Eric Heitz (<i>Football</i>)	X
Lynn Royer (<i>Boys Track</i>)	X	Jennifer Wyant (<i>Softball</i>)	
Ann Heitz (<i>Boys Track</i>)	X	Ryan Smith (<i>Girls Basketball</i>)	X

- 1) Call to Order at 6 PM
 - a. Previous meeting minutes have been approved and posted
- 2) Special Guest - Bart Mueller - Wanted to thank the BC for the new apparel for the girls, as well as the t-shirts for state meets, feels that's great motivation and an honor that we do that for them. He appreciates all of the work the members put in, knows we supported a great amount for all of the teams/athletes this year and it's appreciated.

3) Introduce New Rep - Chris Tollari, Girls Track and Field; Ryan Smith also on as a Girls BB rep.

4) Committee Reports

- a. Athletics Report – Rod - good summer for baseball and softball, 7/1 off-season activities were able to start again. Softball is over, boys play Monday night 7/20 against Norwalk, may play again Wed. New coaches hired on: Josh Chapman (XC), Steve Brown (XC), Jana Morrissey (dance), Taylor White (cheer). Lisa Wilken is retiring 7/22. We did send Lisa flowers for her retirement on behalf of the BC. Boys Athletic Association announced that fall sports going on as planned, what it looks like is TBD.
- b. Treasurer’s Report - Carl - Sitting okay for a year we are expecting less funds to come in. We spent \$60K, year before was \$40K. We were able to fulfill a lot in November.
- c. Apparel Update – Gretchen - order set to close on Tuesday, so far we have 34 orders/ \$355 profit. Please share reminders from the Twitter/FB pages!
- d. Business Membership Update - Ryan - about time to start getting more for the upcoming year, website has been updated as well for businesses. We will now get to do the announcements at the football game quarters and think we will use that as extra offering for the memberships. Would like to look at “sideline passes” in the future as well. Ryan is planning to do the BB tournament this year as well. There might be some opportunity for advertising on baseball field fences, not sure how that works but might be something to think about for fundraising and connect with Jason Book. Varsity Group runs scoreboard in gym and some on scoreboard at FB stadium, Rod thinks there is opportunity we can explore together.

5) New Items/Open Discussion

- a. Update on Touch Pro - wrote a check for \$5K for this system; as part of the system the company will scan pictures to put in. Ryan met with Adam and Rod a few weeks ago to determine what BC would like to see on the site, best to add now as there is cost to add more. Ryan sent a list of ideas to Adam and Rod to include who we are, what we do, how to be a member, etc. There will be an image that thanks the sponsors who helped pay for the system. There will be a page for pictures, and other things we may want down the road. There are many schools who have and just getting started so not many we can look at for examples. System is also available on the internet for people to look at home.
- b. Update on Shrine Bowl - Kaden Sutton had been invited to play in the Shrine Bowl, IA game was canceled so he wasn’t able to play but we did support him with an add in the program. Ryan sent an email to Kaden asking for anything he’d share but nothing at this time; if Ryan gets anything he will share.
- c. Update on Fall Fundraiser/Coach Notifications - Ryan sent an email about this but to ensure all are aware, we have canceled the fall fundraiser for the door to door membership. We will do a mail/email campaign, we know we will miss some but best option right now. We are working with Marcy and Dana Brown to design. Please be sure to

send the email to the coaches so they are all aware, please cc Ryan so he can keep track to ensure all coaches are also aware of this and can help promote.

- d. Update on golf tournament - Proposing to hold on 9/18, message out to RV to confirm date works. We will do tee times that teams can sign up for, will post on the BC website and FB. Will be limited on support needed, will likely do an entry gift and maybe meal ticket. Chris T will be happy to help where needed, along with the direct mailing if he can.
- 6) Meeting Adjourned at 6:40 PM; Ryan motioned, Gretchen second.