



St. Mary Catholic Booster Club

2/8/17

6:30pm

St. Mary Catholic High School IMC

### **Booster Club Meeting Minutes**

**Attendance: Adam Bates, Jeff Braatz, Lynn Parks, Dave Thone, Al Dejno, Rachel Brown, Tara Gagne, Jay Zelinski, Melissa Uhlenbrauck, Ryan Pues, Pam Seidl**

#### **A. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes**

Motion to Approve Previous Meeting Minutes: Jeff B.

Second to Approve Previous Meeting Minutes: Al D.

#### **B. Financial Update – Adam Bates**

- Current Unrestricted Net Assets: \$26,759,06
- Current year balance: \$11,160.06
- Girls' basketball purchased items late in the season.
- Spotify Premium paid last 2-3 months.
- Received a \$200 donation.

Motion to Approve Financial Update: Lynn P.

Second to Approve Financial Update: Melissa U.

**C. Athletic Director Report HS – Adam Bates**

- The SMCHS Girls' Basketball team received an 11-seed in the Big East Conference tournament and will travel to the 6-seed, Reedsville, on Saturday, February 4. The JV game will be at 5:00pm and the Varsity game will be at 6:30pm.
  - On Tuesday, February 7, the girls played Sheboygan Christian @ SMC in the Consolation bracket and won 51-37.
  - On Thursday, February 9, the girls will play at Kohler. If they win they'd take 9<sup>th</sup> place, lose they'd take 11<sup>th</sup> place. Play at 10:45 a.m.
  - All 14 conference teams will play at Lakeland College on 2/11.
- The SMCHS Boys' Basketball team received a 10-seed in the Big East Conference tournament and will travel to the 7-seed, Kohler on Friday, February 10. The JV/JV2 games will be at 5:50pm and the Varsity game will be at 7:15pm.
  - The other dates in the tournament are as follows:
    - Tuesday, February 14
    - Thursday, February 16
    - Saturday, February 18
  - Games on 2/14 and 2/16 will be played at one of the high schools involved in the matchup and all 14 conference teams will play at Lakeland College on 2/18.
- Ben Seidl received the Badgerland Conference All-Academic Award.
- Spring sports meeting is Monday, February 13.
- Track starts first week of March.
- Dance Team has been performing, along with the pep band.
- Power lifting last chance meet is at Neenah High School to help qualify for State & Nationals. Right now we have 3 qualified for Nationals.
- Hockey conference tourney took 2<sup>nd</sup>. We got the 4<sup>th</sup> seed and host Appleton United on Friday, February 17.

**D. Athletic Director Report MS – Adam Bates for Rachel Brown**

- Gearing up for spring sports.
  - Girls Softball
  - Co-ed Tennis
  - Co-ed Track
- Kids need to be registered by Friday, February 17.

## **E. Standing Committee Chair Reports**

### **Concessions – Melissa Uhlenbrauck**

- Middle School & High School will be restocked for upcoming tournaments.
- Extra food will be moved to the outside concessions for spring sports.
- Boys' middle school tournament is this weekend February 11 & 12.
- Middle school forensics is Tuesday, March 21. Jennifer Waulet was to contact Melissa for food. Pam needs to set up sign-up genius for volunteers to serve food.

### **Volunteer – Pam Seidl**

- Middle school – consider going back to the parents working the sport their son/daughter plays in.
- Next year consider assigning only concession stand and gate because they are the hardest to fill.
- Middle school handbook is being updated. Volunteer section needs to be updated.
- Basketball season was the toughest to get volunteers because it's a long season. Consider having basketball parent's work within the season.
- Need concession stand coordinators at the middle school.
- Need middle school Booster Club liaison to help cheerlead and fill those spots.
- Consider adding a middle school volunteer coordinator.
- Tara will create a note for middle school to come and support their Booster Club.
- Spring baseball, softball and soccer, keep volunteer schedule the same as we've been doing and rethink for 2017/2018 school year.
- Need to be prepared to present changes for the July 31 Fall Sports meeting.

### **Sports/Activities Book Update – Jeff Braatz**

- Jeff thanked Lynn & Adam for proofing the sports book.
- Coordinating with Adam for team photos for spring sports book.
- Working on outdoor signage for spring.

### **Booster Backer – Tara Gagne**

- Softball logo for clothing was shown.
- Spring shirts are in the works.
- New beanie hats – light blue in color.
- Apparel will be out at high school & middle school.
- Spring sports apparel order forms are due February 28.

### **GZO –Dave Thone**

- No report.

### **Athletic Committee – Adam Bates for Pat Breen**

- Reviewing high school budget amounts for different sports. Need to come up with recommendation to give to Helen for the 2018/2019 school year. Proposal to Helen and Board by the end of school year.
- Review coaches handbook by start of school year.
- Look at uniform rotation to include middle school and high school.

### **Middle School Boys/Girls Basketball Tournament 2017 – Dave Thone for Al Dejno**

- Boys' middle school tournament is this weekend – February 11 & 12. We have 32 teams signed up.
- Volunteers for the boys' tournament are set except for a few slots. Coordinator positions open. Sunday 3-5 middle school and 5-8 at the high school.
- Girls' middle school tournament on March 11 & 12 is full.
- Please save the dates on your calendars if you are able to help out.

### **Zephyr Basketball Club – Jay Zelinski**

- Most teams wrap up by the end of March.
- Hosted first ever 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grade tourney at the middle school.
  - 19 teams total.
  - Approximately \$2,400 net profit.
  - Gate alone was \$1,500.
- Summer open gyms, hired trainers to run a basketball program.
- Implemented a buyout if opted out of volunteering. No problems with that.

### **F. Additional Topics**

- Jeff Braatz willing to come up with a committee to discuss senior night and minimum expectations for both parents and athletes. May be different for each sport.

**NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, March 8, 2017 at 6:30pm at HS IMC**

**Meeting Adjourned: Motion to Adjourn by Jeff B. – Second Motion to Adjourn by Al D.**