

PMHS ATHLETIC BOOSTERS GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES March 14, 2023

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm.

ATTENDEES: Maya Shertzer, Alison March, Julie Bechtel, Karen Pickard, Jenn Heymann, Michelle Kelly, Jeroud Clark, Leanda Welker, Ella Laurentius, Kim Kries, Caitlyn Welker, Jake Matson and Bryan Matson

REVIEW OF MINUTES: Alison March presented the February minutes for review by the meeting attendees. A motion to approve the minutes was entered, seconded, and approved unanimously.

FINANCIAL REPORT: Jenn Heymann presented the financials. There was a starting cash balance of \$72,767 with deposits of \$842 from Membership, \$1661 from Concessions, \$94 from Concessions Square, \$151 from Merchandise (White Out shirts), \$3500 from Sponsorships and \$12 from a Give Lively check (Total Deposits \$2760). Payments included \$5 for square fees, \$1495 for Concessions, \$145 for Sponsorship banners, \$8500 for softball field grading, \$2400 for bingo cash boxes and \$312 for the Spring Sports Social at Miller's Ale House (Total Payments \$12,857). The remaining cash balance is now \$62,670. A motion was brought, seconded and approved unanimously.

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR UPDATE: Coach Clark gave an update. Our winter seasons were very successful.

He has hired a new cheerleading coach for the fall as Ms. Custis is stepping away. He is still looking for a new volleyball coach.

The baseball field is having some unexpected work done on it with the dirt infield and sod in the outfield. They will not be able to be on the field until March 24th at the earliest.

Middle school girls and boys soccer will start next week. Middle school gym is being resurfaced this summer. There will be some work done on the high school gym floor as well but not a full resurface.

Wrestling room renovations has begun with new mats. Wind screens for tennis courts. Wall for lacrosse. Painting the wall in the stadium, Steps to the football field from the corner where the football boys enter and exit. Softball dugouts.

At some point in time, it may become required for the girls lacrosse players to wear helmets. This would be a large expenditure.

COACH UPDATES:

Coach Huryk - Football... They are working on weight training sessions. We have been able to start the order for the practice items that Boosters is funding for the fall.

Coach Huryk - Track... Cold practice today. Senior Night is already coming up on March 28 because they only have one home meet. This is rescheduled from March 22.

Coach Matson - JV Boys' Lacrosse... They had their 3rd scrimmage today against North East. They had a round robin scrimmage day last Saturday. JV and Varsity coaches are working closely. There are several kids on JV who haven't played lacrosse before. There aren't many schools in the county who are fielding JV teams.

COMMITTEE UPDATES:

COMMUNITY RELATIONS - A discussion was had about this committee. We'll be taking the banners down in the gym this week to get them up on the fence for spring sports events. Michelle Kelly has agreed to help with this committee. Bryan Matson agreed to send her the sponsor letter that he had updated. Michelle will follow up with a few businesses but we're mostly done for this school year. We will start soliciting more this summer and into the fall.

MERCHANDISE - Maya Shertzer presented the update as Tina Tolliver couldn't attend. Tina is putting together an order of items to donate to have for the end of summer events and the fall. She'll have a number for approval next month so she can start purchases.

CONCESSIONS - Maya Shertzer provided the update as Barb Neutzling couldn't attend. So far this year, they have brought in approximately \$24,521 in profit!

MEMBERSHIP - Karen Pickard provided the update. 148 families have become members this school year. There aren't too many new members in the spring but there have been some. The blankets have been ordered and embroidered.

TEAM LIAISONS - Karen Pickard provided the update. Alison to take over this committee in 23-24. Alison will get a Sign Up Genius out to spring teams for concessions volunteers.

BUSINESS FOR DISCUSSION:

BINGO - Alison March provided an update. Bingo was a big success. We sold 390 tickets. The prizes turned out great. We did 10 silent auction, 6 raffles, 3 special raffles and 6 rounds of 50/50. Lacrosse teams helped with setup. JV baseball and varsity softball helped during the event and with cleanup. She thanked all of the board members for their help to make the event happen. We are considering a bull roast next year instead of a bingo event.

SPRING SPORTS - Scrimmages have begun. Competition that counts begins next week. The spring social with coaches was successful at Miller's. All spring coaches were present except for tennis.

COACHES REQUEST - No new funding requests were received.

SCHOLARSHIPS - Applications are due by April 21st in the office or in John Campo's mailbox. The applications is on Naviance and was sent in an email from the guidance office to all seniors. Seniors who aren't members yet can see Karen in the office to become a member but this has to be done by April 1 and March 31 is the last day the office will be open.

FINANCIAL APPROVALS: There were no financial approvals this month.

CLOSURE:

Next General Membership meeting to be held on Tuesday, April 11, 2023 at 7:00pm in the media center.

The meeting adjourned at 8:25 pm Minutes prepared by Alison March