



MARMION ACADEMY SPORT BOOSTERS

**February 13, 2024
7:00 p.m.**

Attendance

Board Members: Garrett Burt, Michelle Scales, Christy Pall and Jason McCoy

Coaches: Dan Thorpe (Track)

Athletic Director: Joe Currie

Opening Prayer/Call Meeting to Order: Garrett Burt opened the meeting at 7:00

Athletic Director (Joe Currie)

- Football coach update – An offer has been made; Waiting to hear from the candidate

Secretary Report (Michelle Scales)

- Approval of December, 2023 Minutes
Vote: Garrett Burt motioned to approve
Jason McCoy 2nd the motion
All in favor – Approved
- Approval of January, 2024 Minutes
Vote: Garrett Burt motioned to approve
Jason McCoy 2nd the motion
All in favor – Approved

Concessions Report (Garrett Burt)

- Pizza warmer is working well
- We have enough product to get us through the playoffs

Membership Report (Michelle Scales)

- No new members

Volunteer Report (Christy Pall)

- A volunteer signup has been created for basketball playoffs

- Coach Thorpe has asked Sports Boosters to have concessions on the below track dates.
A volunteer signup will be prepared for these dates:
 - April 11th (indoor middle school 5:30 – 9:00 p.m.)
 - April 30th (outdoor CCL meet 3:30 – 7:30 p.m.)
 - May 3rd (Kane County meet 3:30 – 9:30 p.m.)

Treasurer Report (Jason McCoy)

- Jason presented the revenue report: Sports Boosters has approximately \$25,578 as of January 31, 2024
- We have been told that locker room lease negotiations have come to a halt. Sports Boosters will be denying this request based on no lease specifications
- This amount is NOT included in the balance:
 - \$2,747.50 Marmion Academy bonfire reimbursement

Events Report (Garrett Burt)

Overtime –

- In October, Sports Boosters made a request from the athletic department to schedule a date on the school calendar to host the Overtime fundraiser. In January, Sports Boosters was informed that due to constraints of the school calendar, the academy was not able to accommodate our event until April 19th. The Sports Boosters board determined that having an event on April 19th, would not be cost effective based on the numerous end of the year activities going on for senior families, the schedule of spring sports, and the lack of volunteerism.
- Sports Boosters checked with Abbey Farms to see if they had any availability to have an event in early March, but they are closed for remodeling.
- After much consideration, the Board has unfortunately decided NOT to host the Overtime event this year. We are hopeful to get on the school calendar for January 31, 2025.

Requests

- Track & Field – 16 Hurdles Request: \$3,355.00

Approved: \$1,675.00

Vote: Garrett Burt motioned to approve the purchase **8 hurdles** for \$1,675.00

Jason McCoy 2nd the motion
All in favor – Approved

****Anticipated requests coming in the future:**

Coach Bletzinger – Weight room equipment/flex bands (approx. \$3,500)

Athletic Department – Camera/Lenses/Microphone/Monitor (\$4,200 - \$5,500)

Hockey – Year end party

Miscellaneous

- Garrett and Michelle met with Mr. Large and Mr. Tinerella regarding participation and parent involvement in the future. Suggestions for consideration were made to charge a fee for sports through 8 to 18; every sport have a member on the board during the playing season; have coaches place more emphasis on membership; and ask Alumni to participate as well.
- Young Hearts for Life (free heart screening) is scheduled for March 21st;
- Sports Boosters requested someone from MA staff get the Food Temperature Manager Training

Closing Prayer

Adjournment @ 8:15 p.m.

Next Meeting is March 13, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.