

# Bath Athletic Boosters

## April 17, 2006

**Present:** Sandy Foley, Suzanne Nelson, Keith Nelson, Tom Cooley, Norm Slee, Sharon Slee, Alicia Paape, Ruth Miehlike, Ann Chaffee, Gray Bendall, Trixie Brown, Sue Garrity, Coh Rohen, Robert Orr, Rick Hammond, Warren Nugent, Mary Jane Nugent, Margie Sisson

The meeting was called to order at 7:18 p.m.

**Secretary's Report:** Thank you to Sue Garrity for her expertise in posting the minutes to the Athletic Booster Website. The secretary read a thank you card from Coach Miehlike regarding the matching funds (w/school) purchase of uniforms/sweats by the Boosters. President Nelson made note that the amount of funds borrowed from Coach Kibby was an added \$1,000 (totaling \$4,000) approved by officers after last month's meeting. Coach Orr noted that the softball program would make do with last year's clay (re: Motion from January approving funds). Clarification: \$500 questioned motion from last meeting-not a motion, just an approved change to the proposed by-laws. Discussion on notifying Board of Education of monies spent by Boosters that could be yearly budget items for the school. Norm Slee will compile the report and the secretary will prepare a "just thought you'd like to know" letter. Thanks to Norm Slee for preparing mailing stamps with the Bath Fighting Bee. Minutes approved.

**Treasurer's Report:** Payment for MS uniforms/sweats paid from the project fund. Treasurer Slee will transfer monies from Clothing to Project Fund pending okay from Bendall. Slee will transfer \$300 commission payment from Boy's Basketball to Freshman Boy's Basketball.

Clothing: \$5,604.91  
Concession: \$2,991.56  
General Fund: \$ 662.64  
Project Fund: \$3,555.57  
Treasurer's report approved.

**Concession/Spiritwear:** No report.

### Building & Grounds:

- Discussion on MS uniform room (boy's locker room) & volleyball room (girl's locker room). Roof (leak) has been capped, rooms need cleaning/organizing (Alicia Paape to email Maryanne Boylan (NHS) for help during Unity in Community Day) & painting. Coach Miehlike will check with other volleyball coaches to see what they want done in their room. It has come to the committee's attention that the uniform room will be re-tiled (school has materials-need to confirm on this). Thanks to Trixie Brown for getting the ball rolling, to Doug Brown/Gray Bendall for their commitment to making the shelves and to the other committee members (Alicia, Sharon, Rick & Norm) for working together on this project!
- The ice chest just needs to be plumbed/wired and Pepsi will come out and charge it.
- Unity in Community Projects (Margie to email Maryanne): Clean trophy cases in high school, clean Pressbox, pick up trash around track/under bleachers, and de-worm track area.
- **IT WAS BROUGHT TO THE BOOSTERS ATTENTION THAT THE POLE VAULT RUNWAY (RE-DONE BUT CRUMBLING) AND THE HIGH JUMP APPROACH NEED SERIOUS ATTENTION (POSSIBLE SAFETY ISSUE?). LONG JUMP APPROACH IS FINE.**

**Donations:** Gray will put together various clothing items for door prizes for Post Prom, Renaissance, and the Walk-a-thon.

**By-Laws:** Excellent job Rick! *MOTION: That the Bath Athletic Boosters approve the amendment of the by-laws as presented (pending addition of all officers' names to document). Moved by Paape, seconded by Brown. Motion passed.*

**Courser/Nugent Scholarships:** No applications received for the Courser. *MOTION: Reopen the Courser Scholarship for this week (due Friday). Moved by Slee, seconded by Chaffee. Motion passed.* Margie will contact the counselor and she will request it published in the HS announcements.

**Courser (April 28<sup>th</sup>):** Alicia reported that the Coursers would be at the meet. The middle school Spring Fling will also be held that day/evening so no MS students available to work event. Kathy Dontje is organizing workers, medals/trophies ready to go, and the PTA is working concessions.

**Nugent (May 12<sup>th</sup>):** Warren and Mary Jane Nugent gave a brief talk on the Alma Endowment. They are considering expanding it to include students from DeWitt and Haslett. Reviewed qualifications for the Bath High School Nugent Scholarship. Mary Jane would like to retype the application form. It was suggested that Sue Garrity ([sgarrity@michamber.com](mailto:sgarrity@michamber.com)) put the application on the website as a PDF file.

**Other Discussion Highlights:**

- Tom Cooley mentioned what a nice job Joe Houghton did on installing the split rail fencing. There is only one left to do.
- Record Boards – NOT UPDATED-Tom Cooley to help coordinate changes. Ruth Miehke will check with Dan Anibal and Lorenda Jonas regarding track records. Will need track/cross records for past two years. Boosters to cover costs. All record boards will be transferred to the new gym. When Joe Houghton takes down the banners, Nan Bendall will update.
- All State Plaques – Nan Bendall was on this a few years ago. Gray Bendall to check with Nan and Erik Harrelson.
- Walkie-Talkies: 10 units purchased (12 mile radius/with weather channel) = \$300. Replacement ear sponges also available. Thanks to Gray Bendall for his work on securing these very necessary items.
- Hurdles: Gray to talk to Lorenda Jonas / Erik Harrelson
- Concessions: Walk-a-thon May 13<sup>th</sup> (7:00-2:00)
- Soccer Under the Lights: Mon., May 22<sup>nd</sup> (7:00-tentative) -Soccer Club to run concessions

**Meeting Adjourned at 8:45 p.m.**

NEXT MEETING: May 15, 2006

Respectively submitted:

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Margie Sisson, Athletic Boosters Secretary

Baseball is 90%  
mental, the other  
half is physical.  
Yogi Berra