



December 2025 Sports Booster Club Meeting Minutes

Hailey Murphy & Antonia Bevington called the meeting to order at 7:10 pm on Monday, December 10, 2025.

In attendance: Hailey Murphy, Antonia Bevington, Cherri Dickinson, Krista McNally, Julie Desso, John Franz, Pauline Franz, Kristin Sorel, Valerie Lee, Julia Patrick, Melinda Kuiken, Lindsay Beraldi, Sanada Bailey, Shonda Clinton, Chad Miner, and Tanya Kane.

Public Input

→ None.

Athletic Director's Report

- We had a great end to the fall season.
- We can meet to discuss Fall Awards Night – overall, it went well, but there are a few adjustments we should make for next year.
- 199 students are signed up for winter sports.
- Hudl will be the best option for livestreaming moving forward.
- Several big events are coming up soon, including:
 - Tamarac Duels
 - Big Red Day (BRD)
- We are looking into ordering a new shot clock.

Concession

- As we begin the winter season, please be sure to count the cash at both the beginning and end of each night (no need to count change).
- A great deal of work went into the fall sports awards night; the total cost came to \$580.
- The concession stand is well stocked at this time; we just need to restock Pepsi.

Treasurer's Report

- The October bank statement was reconciled to the Booster Club ledger. As of October month-end, the Booster Club checking account had a total balance of \$42,821.52. There are twelve outstanding checks totaling \$9,105.75. The Booster Club

General Fund had a balance of \$2,758.50 while the Individual Team Accounts had a balance of \$30,957.27

- The October Profit and Loss Statements will be sent to all the Varsity Coaches. The following is a recap of all Individual Team Account balances as of October's month-end.

Football \$ 855.54

Volleyball \$ (603.95)

Girls Soccer \$ 1,430.28

Boys Soccer \$ 4,352.21

Cross Country \$ 429.96

Golf \$ 62.39

Wrestling \$ 4,004.31

Boys Basketball \$ 3,690.93

Girls Basketball \$ 1,944.62

Cheerleading \$ 3,480.17

Indoor Track \$ 820.55

Track & Field \$ 407.02

Baseball \$ 8,463.89

Softball \$ (66.10)

Boys Lacrosse \$ 1,622.97

Girls Lacrosse \$ 62.48

TOTAL \$ 30,957.27

NOTES FOR OCTOBER STATEMENT

- The Booster Club Wreath fundraiser has completed and was very successful. Money is still coming in and being reconciled. This will be completed during November. As a reminder, this will be a GF fundraiser only and not credited to any programs this year, as the GF requires funds due to HUDL and overall expenses this year.
- The Booster Club completed, submitted, and filed our 990 tax forms for the previous school year.
- The Booster Club's First Annual Bengal Bonfire was very successful, bringing in \$555 to our general fund!
- The Booster Club Mum fundraiser was very successful with the sale of 352 mums! We made a profit of \$1,630. Credit Breakdowns are as follows:
 - Volleyball 304.09
 - Girls Soccer 275.70
 - Boys Soccer 393.29
 - Golf 28.38
 - Cross Country 178.40
 - Football 20.27
 - Cheer 154.07
 - Booster Gen Fund 275.80
 - TOTAL \$1,630

- Boys Soccer held a successful Big League raffle fundraiser with a net of \$1,515; 15% of that went to the Booster General Fund, totaling \$227.
- Cheer held a successful Krispy Kreme fundraiser with a net of \$698; 15% of that went to the Booster General Fund, totaling \$104.
- Donations to us made during this month were \$150 to Cross Country from Tristan Villnave, \$50 to Cheer from Kimberly Jensen, \$250 to the general fund from Tamarac Class of 2025, and \$1,000 from Dan Casale of Rensselaer County to go towards Coats for Kids!
- Currently, there are no old outstanding checks.

Request to Fundraise/Review of Fundraising Effort

- No new requests to fundraise
- Please see Treasurer's Report for review of fundraising efforts

New Business

→ Coats for Kids

- ◆ Dan Casale generously donated \$1,000. To date, we have purchased 38 coats. We are still in need of 18 pairs of pants and 19 pairs of boots, which would require approximately \$850 to complete. After careful consideration and due to the significant impact this would have on the general fund, we have decided to focus solely on purchasing coats this year, rather than covering all remaining items.
 - Footnote: Following the meeting, Mr. and Mrs. Franz graciously reached out and offered to purchase boots for the students in need. With their kindness, along with two anonymous donations, we were able to provide boots for every student who needed them. We are incredibly grateful for this outpouring of generosity and support for our students and families.

→ Holiday Bengal Bankroll

- ◆ The sale has been extended through the 19th, with efforts focused on selling as many remaining tickets as possible. Approximately 80 tickets remain. QR codes will be available at this weekend's events to help promote additional sales.

→ Winter Award's Night

- ◆ Feedback from fall cheer parents reflected some concerns, including that the event felt too long and that they would have preferred a smaller, more intimate format. In some combined situations, entire teams were not present, which some people stated impacted the overall experience. While not all participants fully bought into the format, it was acknowledged that change

can bring resistance, and it is important to listen to feedback, consider alternative ideas, and continue improving moving forward.

- ◆ Student feedback indicated differing preferences—boys expressed interest in having food, while girls enjoyed the opportunity to dress up. Some students noted feeling disappointed that parents were unhappy, though many appreciated the chance to see other sports represented and to support their peers.
- ◆ The Winter Sports Awards Night is tentatively planned for March, and a poll will be sent out to gather additional input.

→ Team Parent Representatives

- ◆ Mrs. Bevington created Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for all team parent representatives. As a reminder, fundraising activities require a request for approval, except for 50/50 fundraisers, which do not require a fundraising request.

→ Coaches Vs. Cancer

- ◆ The following programs will be covering door/concession for the following dates
 - Exec- 12th & 13th
 - Boys Basketball- 14th
 - Softball- 20th
 - Cheer- 21st (2:30-7:00)
 - Lacrosse- 27th

Old Business

- ◆ None

Public Comment

- ◆ None

The meeting was adjourned at 8:18.