Vicksburg Athletic Booster Meeting Minutes-February 6, 2023

Present: Jen Adams, Melissa Centofanti, Joann Culver, Jennifer Cooley, Nicole Dalman, Lucas Hillard, Anne Howard, Tracy Lovell, Brian Odell, Mike Roy, Deb Schnepp and Tim Wester.

- I. Call to order: 7:03 p.m.
 - A. Approval of Agenda Approved
 - B. Approval of Minutes from January 9, 2023 Approved

II. Executive Report

A. Treasurer's Report – net available spending \$14,590.78 - Approved

B. Athletic Director's Report

- Competitive cheer districts 2/18/23
- Vicksburg to host bowling regionals 2/24/23 and 2/25/23
- Girls basketball are still UNDEFEATED!! Regionals 2/27/23
- Wrestling starts team tournaments
- Ski team will complete as weather permits
- Hall of Fame (catch up from 2020) will be held 3/12/23 at 1:00 p.m. at Angels Crossing and will include a cash bar and cake
- Spring sports start 3/13/23

C. President's Report

- Amazon ended the Amazon Smile program
- Sprots programs will possibly be going digital with a QR code. The vision is to create a QR code for each sport with roster
- Vicksburg Athletic Boosters will be attending the IceBURG festival 2/11/23 from 2-6, with a 50/50 raffle.

III. Coaches Corner- none

Sport Rep Announcements – JP Culver celebrated his 100th wresting win AND he was the conference champion! Way to go!!

Jen Adams said that Eli Welch and Brayden Odell each bowled their personal high games of 206, in competition against Paw Paw. Justin Plankenhorn bowled his personal high game of 215 and Isaac Allen bowled a 299 in practice!

IV. Committee Reports

- A. Corporate Relations The committee will be asking for team sponsor renewals starting in March. Summit will present scholarships as a scholarship sponsor. If you know a business that would like to sponsor please contact Tracy Lovell at lovellt32@gmail.com or Melissa Centofanti at melissa.centofanti@stryker.com
- **B. Public Relations –** See attachment. Please send your pictures from sporting events to 269-744-5552.
- **C. Concessions** prices continue to rise for food. Deb Schnepp and Lucas Hillard will meet soon to get pricing and a long term goal.

- **D. Scholarships** scholarships will be returned to the committee early April
- **E. Rep Committee-**Anne Howard will start soon to create a liaison to get volunteer, help for coaches and sports
- F. Annual Appeal no update

V. Old Business:

A. Booster Bounce 2023

Erin Johnson updated the group that the event will be at Indian Run Golf Course on February 18th 2023 from 7:00 pm-11:00 pm.

B. Baseball 50/50 raffle

Baseball will be running a 50/50 to be shared with the Boosters and the drawing will be held at the last home game of the season. Boosters will submit for license. More info to come at the March meeting.

VI. New Business:

A. Spring Sports Requests:

Softball- Request for \$553.00 {50%} for refill score book, 24 line up cards, dozen softballs

Girls Tennis-no request

<u>Women's Soccer-</u> Request for \$500.00 {100%} for soccer balls, MHSCCA Membership and soccer bag

<u>Baseball-</u> Request for \$1,115.00 {50%} for game balls, 4 dozen practice balls, pitching machine

Boys Golf- Request for \$1,250.00 {50%} for 20 dozen golf balls, Angels Crossing team use fee, swing and short game clinic with PGA pro

Boys Lacrosse- Request for \$2,540.00 {50%} for 6 cases of balls, MLCA Membership, Score books, Hudl, Teamsnap, coaches gear*, 2 air horns, tent, helmet wraps (will check to get more information on what coaches gear is and if VAB supports that purchase)

<u>Track and Field-</u> Request for \$1,676.00 {50%} Brass shots, implement carrier, starting blocks, freight cost, athletic.net site support and pole vault poles

VII. Adjournment: 7:52 p.m

Respectfully Submitted by Nicole Dalman, Secretary

Next Meeting: March 6, 2023 at 7:00 pm in the high school library