

Track & Field/XC Booster Meeting Minutes

02/27/2024

1. Welcome
 - a. Attendee: Tracey, Carrie Upchurch., Christine Moran, Kim Moore, Jessica Orr, Steve Xu, Jim Slife, Dan Mix, Lisa Schmaltz, Joy Fowler
 - b. Absent board members: Megan, Jen, Melissa, Betsy
2. **Treasurer's Report** -
 - a. All Team Track T-Shirts have been ordered and are being delivered for all athletes on the track team
 - b. Spirit Wear from BSN and Friday Threads are both open.
 - c. Treasurer Candidate - Christine Moran (freshman girl, 7th, 6th - all runners!)
 - i. Jen Cortez will stay around next year as an assistant to help with the transition.
3. **Indoor Track** - We have NEVER had this many athletes qualify for the State meet. The only D1 school to qualify in all 6 relays. Mason will be taking 33 students to the Meet.
 - a. State Meet FRIDAY 3/1 at Spire Institute
 - b. Charter Bus reserved for the Louisville trip has been pulled to be used this Thursday-Friday to travel to Spire (4+ hours away). Louisville will now use Yellow Bus (2 hours away).
 - i. Yellow Bus was not an option for Spire
 - ii. Logistically helpful since we have 30+ people traveling
 - iii. Cost savings of about \$700 changing from Louisville to Spire
 - c. Athletes paying for hotel and dinner on the road
 - d. Boosters will pay for Subway Lunch while the team is at Spire all day (\$200)
4. **MHS Spring Parent meeting** - Mon March 11 @7:00pm, Auditorium
 - a. Flyers for parents will be ready with sign-up links for meets
 - b. Christine Moran has updated all sign-ups and will keep tabs
 - c. **Notes:** Dan Mix will keep tabs on MMS meet sign-ups
5. **Buckeye Relays** - Saturday March 23 @ 10am until about 1pm
 - a. Concessions will be minimal - no running water
6. **Concessions**
 - a. Concession Donations - Tracey updating the sign-up Genius and will add it to Parent flyer
 - b. Kate Eckert will be our shopper again this season
 - c. Middle School Lead: Susan Buckley (8th gr girl)
 - d. Kona Ice and Travelin' Tom's Coffee are scheduled to be at all home meets (MHS/MMS)
7. **Track Club**
 - a. Carrie Upchurch working with Allie and Anna on launch date and details for website
 - b. New price: \$125, registration on new platform, all online payments
 - c. Shorter season
 - d. **Notes:** The new price is decided after comparing with other similar camps, there will be about 150 kids. Registration for returning runners will be on Friday, and will be open to all runners on Monday. 2 Meets.

8. Misc Notes:

- a. Coaches Track Liaison for Boosters: Coach Jordan Drake (unofficial Dir of Operations track)
 - i. Handling communications with Boosters, trip details, schoology, meet coordination and hospitality info, etc
 - b. Tracey discussed with Kristi Stephens (JV coach) about possibly hosting a post-practice Ice Cream Party (purchase and serve from the concession stand). Open to other ideas.
 - c. New Tents - Plan to purchase 2-10x15 logo'd tents (\$1900 each). Hand down the older ones to the middle school. **Notes:** May also purchase a dolly for transport. May need to work with the coaches to find parents to transport like we do for HS.
 - d. Varsity Senior Track Poster - New annual venture - Handed out to local businesses for display. Potential for advertisers next year. Poster total Cost: \$275. Group photo at Fleckenstein Park
9. Next Meeting March 19 - Special Guest Scott Stemple - Athletic Director
- a. Bring any questions you may have!