

## MMCRU ROYALS BOOSTER MEETING

August 15, 2017

Attending: Taylor Bork, Dave Nicks, Robin Jenness, Barb Cave, Carrie Lux, Becky Whited, Lisa Alesch, Doug Owens, Val Owens, Amy Maass, Shelly Pick, Kristi Ames, Shar Duncan, Stephanie Loutsch, Kelly Tentinger, Jim Miller, Traci Miller, Laura Prescott, Denae Dreckman, Theresa Schmid, Mark Brighton, Lonnie Boekhout, Gillian Letsche,

The meeting was called to order by President Robin Jenness at 6:31 P.M. in the Marcus Commons.

Secretary Report- Doug motioned and Kelly 2<sup>nd</sup> to approve the Secretary's minutes. Motion approved.

Treasurer Report- Treasurer's report was given. Balance on hand is \$35,170.26, approx.. \$6,000 from Marcus Fair not included, an approx.. \$5000 bill is outstanding from Steve Neuberger's request. Carrie motioned, Dave 2<sup>nd</sup> to approve Treasurer's report, motion approved.

### Old Business:

1. Clothing Committee Update – There was a great turnout at the Marcus Fair, approx. \$6,000 sold between closing and memberships. They plan to be set up for the 1<sup>st</sup> Home football game as well as open houses in both Marcus and Remsen.
2. Plymouth County Fair Clean-up – August 26<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>. Good volunteer turnout Wednesday through Friday nights, but shorthanded on Saturday and Sunday nights. Should bring \$3,00-\$3,600 if bonus is received. Will vote during the November Booster meeting, whether we will participate for the 2018 Plymouth County Fair, need to have decision to fair board by December.

### New Business:

#### Election of New Treasurer-

Barb Cave needs to step down due to outside commitments. Julie Frederick has shown interest in the position. Kristi motioned to approve Julie Frederick as the new Treasurer, Becky 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion approved.

#### Money Requests

- Dance Team – Kayla Schroeder will be taking the dance team to Florida in December to perform at the Outback Bowl, the team will consist of 9 dancers plus 2 chaperones, the whole team had the opportunity to participate. Cost is approx. \$2,000 per girl. The Dance Team ran a lot of the BB/SB concessions this summer to help fundraise. Request given for loan money through the Boosters for their upcoming payments. Another request given for the Boosters to cover the 11 needed plane tickets at \$563.10/each or a total of \$6,194.10. Motion to deny all requests by Doug, Traci 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motions denied.
- JH – Mark Brighton
  - o JH Basketball Uniforms for 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> grade boys and girls, 4 teams total equaling 64 reversible jerseys at \$43/ea. and matching shorts at \$11/ea. total request of \$3,456. Motion to approve by Becky, Dave 2<sup>nd</sup>. Jim and Kelly oppose. Motion approved.
  - o JH Wrestling Singlets looking for 12 singlets at \$54/ea. The youth wrestling program will cover half of the costs. Motion to approve the payment of ½ of the costs for up to 15 singlets for a total of up to \$405 (15 at \$54/ea. totals \$810). Motion to approve by Doug, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Becky. Motion approved.
- Archery- Shar Duncan stated that this new program was approved by the School Board to implement for this coming school year and that she has 30-50 kids interested, it will be considered a Club and used in PE classes. Shar is needing a startup package for the program

which costs around \$3,300. The DOT will pay ½ of the costs, Shar is asking the Boosters to for \$1,600 to cover the other half. Motion to approve by Doug, Traci 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion approved.

- Cheerleading – Heidi Holmes is seeking \$250.60 for new pompoms for the cheerleaders, 16 sets in total. Also seeking \$150.00 to order the music they will use for State competition. Motion to approve by Doug, Jim 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion approved.

#### Salt Sales-

Doug and Robin stated that the Fall Salt Sales will be out of Marcus on October 14<sup>th</sup>. Last spring trailers were used and made the job much easier, they will look to use trailers again. Robin will check with Marcus Lumber on pricing so that we can get the forms sent out.

#### Fence Design-

Robin handed out options for click-in fence designs, to be located in Marcus on the smaller baseball field fence facing the highway to be seen by majority of traffic coming to all events at the high school. Majority liked option #3 for approx. \$900 that states “MMCRU ROYALS” w/ the crown logo in-between. Amy motioned to approve, Kelly 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion approved.

#### Concession Stand Committee-

Becky Whited would like to follow suit with the different committees being formed (I.E. Clothing and Spirit) and form a Concession Stand Committee, 2-4 people from each community to make sure that the concessions are stocked (place orders, Sam’s trips, etc). All agreed this would be beneficial.

#### Homecoming – September 29<sup>th</sup> – Spirit Committee-

Discussion on different ways to promote team and school spirit. For Homecoming, they will be ordering Eye Black stickers with the logo on them to sell for the football game. Motion to approve a \$1,500 budget for the Spirit Committee to order items of their choice to help promote school spirit. Traci motioned to approve, Taylor 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion approved.

Booster Members will once again enter the parade using golf carts and throwing out candy.

#### Sponsorship & Membership Drive-

Robin noted there was a good turnout at the Marcus Fair for memberships and that people will be able to sign up at both Open Houses on Monday night. Taylor commented that we have approx. 70 business sponsorships received at this time and that \$6,800 has been deposited for these sponsorships. Sponsors are given a window cling and those business that request the paper certificates will receive one. Next year, there will be an option added to the letter for the business to choose which they would prefer to receive.

#### Glow Run-

Taylor has been contacted by a Remsen Chamber member, asking if MMCRU Boosters would like to have a table/booth at the Glow Walk Event in Remsen on Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup>. All were in agreeance to participate and to hand out glow bracelets and have a drawing for a goodie bag of Royals gear. Robin motioned to approve up to \$50 be spent on glow bracelets, Stephanie 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion approved.

Next Meeting is set for November 14th at 6:30 P.M. in Remsen

Meeting adjourned at 8:03 P.M. Traci motioned, Amy 2<sup>nd</sup>.