

REP Meeting 02/23/2025

Present: Board Members and Coaches

I. Financial Update:

A) Nordic: Balance: 3,042.17

1) Up about \$700 from last year.

B) Track Girls and Boys: Balance: \$4921

C) Cross Country Boys: Balance: \$12,000

D) Cross Country Girls: Balance: \$6200

II. Needs:

A) Nordic: 1) Grooming Equipment down the road. It has not gotten much use in the last couple years. Hoping the school will pay for maintenance because they are using it more at this time.

2) A grant was applied for by kids on the team to get capes and warm up jackets.

B) Track: 1) Research was completed on record boards. Debating about where to put it: track or indoor space since we are getting a new facility. Decision: wait to decide. They are more affordable if you get an indoor version.

2) Looking to bring on another coach. We do not have another FTE from school, so we need to pay the coach through Booster funds. Payment must go through school, so FICA and TRA money must come out of funds. 16% of money will be FICA and TRA. Something will come in the mail to our treasurer to pay the coach. Boosters will pay school \$4,000 and they will take out what they need.

3) Uniforms for boys-we did get new ones 100 each (for boys and girls): Shift our old boys' uniforms down to middle school, but high school boys want to hold onto a good number of them in case our numbers are high.

4) Need pole vault padding-but will use school account for this.

5) Volunteer coach payment will come from Booster funds.

6) Senior night flowers.

7) Pentathlon supplies will be bought with Booster funds.

8) Fees will likely go up for sports next year due to budget cuts at district. We are unsure what other cuts will be coming to sports budgets.

C) Boys Cross country: 1) Purchased track training system and cross country training system. Using this to revamp summer training plan. One-time purchase and good for life. \$990 paid through boys xc fund.

III. Board Succession:

A) Erin Johnson-parent of Nordic, XC, and Track. Potentially President

B) Kaethe Schwehn -Parent of XC, Nordic and Track. Potentially Secretary

C) Dave-continue as Treasurer.

- D) Continue with parent liaisons.
- E) Jason Aldordfer's mom will help with track.
- F) Captains' parents will be used more for track as well.
- G) Next meeting will be transition meeting—Tentative August 17th
- H) -thoughts ahead—
 - 1). Set up Venmo
 - 2.) File Paperwork for tax exempt status.