

St. Patrick's Athletic Association
February 26, 2012

The meeting was called to order at 6:30pm by Dan Lawless, opening with prayer.

Meeting Participants: Lisa Bartlett, Tricia Beachnau, Diane Bissell, Sue Bosworth, Tony and Sherri Dixon, Carol Gunderman, Dave and Mary Kramer, Dan Lawless, Neil Miros, Chris Pung, Eva Pung, Randy Pung, Pat Russman, Teresa Schneider, Kim Schrauben, Kristen Schrauben, Amy Smith, Doug Smith, Tony and Gayle Thelen, and Christine Wilcox.

There were 23 people in attendance at this meeting. We welcome our newest member, Diane Bissell.

Secretary's Report: Minutes from the previous meeting were accepted.

Treasurer's Report: Dave Kramer provided financial statements.

Dave presented a spreadsheet of income from games and concessions, noted key games that brought more/less income for the association.

Checking Balance	
Parish Account Balance	\$24,940.84
PFCU Checking Account	\$ 274.63
PFCU CD (Matures 2012)	\$23,279.13
PFCU Savings Account	\$ 5.08
PFCU Money Market Account	\$17,500.95
PFCU Officials Account	\$ 1906.25
TOTAL Cash Balance at this meeting	\$67,906.88

Sports Raffle:

Raffle Winners:

February: Scott/Robin Pline John/Cindy Meyers Craig/Cathy Schmidt Kevin/Audra Pline

Athletic Director's Report: Pat Russman provided the Athletic Director's Report.

- Portland Middle School has been more than accommodating this year, going above and beyond. From the principal to the custodians. Pat Russman asked for a donation to PMS in appreciation for facilities to help them upgrade and keep them current. Their cleaning staff is top-notch. Amy Smith proposed a \$100.00 donation for facilities and individual thank you notes to the cleaning crew along with raffle tickets. Gayle Thelen motioned. Eva Pung seconded. No objections. Secretary will write the thank you notes, Pat Russman will deliver.
- Tournament brackets are on the MHSAA website and in the school hallway for boys/girls basketball. Tournaments begin 2/29 and 3/07.
- Youth Volleyball: we have 18 participants in grades 5/6; Coaches are Nicole Schrauben and Katrina Schrauben; continue in the Lansing Catholic Youth League. We are hosting two nights of tournaments. We earned approximately \$350 per Saturday hosting tri-meets.
- CMAC update: vote on proposal to allow Maple Valley into the league will be next month. Maple Valley is a school of 400 students.
- Gym Storage – Thank you to Tony Thelen. This is really helping keep the storage units and gym cleaner and more organized.
- Spring schedules: Almost complete – will be out in a couple of weeks.

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OLD BUSINESS

Winter Sports Banquet: March 15 at 6:30pm

set-up: Christine Wilcox, Sue Bosworth, Neil Miros at 3:45pm
pop/coffee/cups/tablepaper/dessert plates – Dan Lawless

Scrap Metal fund raiser: This is a joint fundraiser with the school at large. The date for a Scrap Metal Drive is April 14, 2012 9:00am – 2:00pm. We will need trucks and volunteers to pick up scrap metal on this date. We encourage all to come out, bring your scrap metal, then donate blood at the Dale Stiffler Memorial Blood Drive!

Scrap metal is accumulating at Tony Dixon's. There is an account set up at Portland Metal for anyone who wants to bring their own scrap out. Account is under St. Pat's Athletic Association. If you have scrap metal, including old appliances* or junk vehicles, please contact Tony Dixon at 517-204-7381 or Randy Pung at 517-719-4257 to arrange pick up. A request to set a date for spring clean up was tabled until further information on dates available could be gathered.

*An authorized technician (Ben Cross) has volunteered to take Freon out of refrigerators, etc..

Lenten Soup Supper – Athletic Association will be hosting the Lenten Soup Supper on March 23, 2012. Sue VanLente will coordinate. Bread and soup list are filled. Please come and join us.

Shamrock Auction: April 28, 2012 At the next Athletic Association, there will be sign up sheets for workers and cookies. If you know of a shift/time, you would like to work, contact any of the auction committee members.

Baseball/Softball Districts: Dixon's have been working on the concession end of this: They are looking into getting a health department permit to ensure the largest selection of food feasible as this is an all day event from breakfast to dinner. Pat Russman will look into port-potties (approximately 4). He will also get a committee together to do some painting to freshen up the facilities. Discussion surrounded gates/entrance fee collection and the foreseeable loop-holes in our complex (mainly the entrance from the student parking lot).

Builders Lumber Sign - Sue Bosworth looked into this, Builder's is undecided on what they wish to do with the sign. Others have also inquired.

NEW BUSINESS

PTO Tailgate – The PTO will be hosting a tailgate for K/DK students parents at the first football home game on 09-07-12. Tricia Beachnau motioned to approve a one game family pass. Dave Kramer seconded. No objections. The PTO will create passes and distribute at their tailgate.

McDonalds Ticket Receipts: A request was received as to why we do not utilize the McDonalds receipts. Discussion surrounded. Pat Russman has them and will get them to the gate workers.

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Signs for the baseball/softball field: Tony Dixon will coordinate. Same pricing as previous years.

Spring Sports Assignments:

	Softball	Baseball	
Gate/concession workers	Amy Smith and Tricia Beachnau	Amy Smith and Tricia Beachnau	
Score Keeper	Coaches	Coaches	
Clock Operator		Mark Smith	
Bus Drivers	Pat Russman	Pat Russman	
Conc Supplies	Randy Pung	Randy Pung	
Clean up	Parents	Parents	
Field Set-Up and Line Field	Pat Russman	Pat Russman	

Recognition –Tony Dixon for his continued work on the softball/baseball fields.

The 5th/6th volleyball wants to thank the Athletic Association for allowing them to play and to Pat Russman for his help with the games and showing professional grace during a frustrating situation.

Meeting ended with prayer; Adjourned at 7:35pm: Gayle Thelen motioned, Amy Smith seconded.

Next Meeting: March 26 – 6:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Carol Gunderman

Remaining Athletic Association Meeting 2011-12 Dates. Meetings begin at 6:30 p.m.

March 26, 2012 May 6, 2012 June 3, 2012