



Oriole Nation Booster Club

The School District of North Fond du Lac

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The Oriole Nation exists for the purpose of broadening the involvement of students, student families, and the community through support for all students (grades K – 12) participating on athletic teams, academics, clubs, and arts.

The funds raised by the Oriole Nation will be used to benefit student programs related to improving student involvement and help students develop general and leadership skills that will help the student succeed in our schools and community.

The objective of the Oriole Nation is to support the growth and development of students in the District. This includes helping to develop an atmosphere that encourages student involvement, promotes positive school spirit, support of all participants and programs.

02/06/2019

6:30 - Motion to call the meeting to order made by Joe Maramonte. A motion to approve our January minutes was made by Rob Giese and Jean Hintze. The motion passed, January minutes approved.

6:31 - The Treasurer's Report was given by Angie Nitz. Our cash in the bank is \$68,452.49. Motion to approve the January Treasurer's report was made by Dawn Niemuth and Robin Maramonte. The Treasurer's Report was approved.

6:32 - The Fundraising report given by Aaron Sadoff. The first Walleye Weekend meeting will be Wed. Ap.3rd at 5:30. Please join us if you can.

- Aaron Sadoff and Matt Rashid met with the new coordinator of Walleye Weekend. They left with a positive feeling.
- Calendar update given by Rob Giese. We are still collecting pictures until Feb. 28th. We are still seeking sponsors. If you know of someone or a business who would like to be a part of Oriole Nation as a sponsor please let Aaron or Rob know. We are looking to sell 700 calendar this year for a price of \$20. Keep our prices the same, \$20 per calendar and a daily prize of \$10. The purpose of the calendar is to get the name of our sponsors out there along with pictures of our district events. A google drive folder will be set up for us to drop photos into. Goal is to have them for sale by Good Friday - April 19th. 2019.
- Sponsorship update was given by Aaron Sadoff. Quick N Smart has given us roughly \$2000. Aaron has been working with Todd Cross who went to Wendt's and they gave us \$500 for Trap. He has also worked with Lakeside Wealth Management who donated \$500 to Trap.
- Please keep our ears open for other businesses that may wish to donate to a specific group within Oriole Nation. We are creating a banner that is called Friends of Oriole Nation that will list our donors and this will be displayed in the gym.
- Buckets for Buddies - Update given by Joe Maramonte. This is a food drive done at the Girls and Boys Basketball Games. They challenged each other to see who could raise the most food. We could make this an annual event.
- Three Degree Guarantee - Cameron Moreland from NBC 26 was contacted to see if they could donate to Backpack Buddies.
- Girls Softball - Fundraiser at Casa de Taquilla. The team would get 10% of the profits that night. All this money will go towards their trip. The girls do need to be there to work it, bus tables and bring out chips. The date is Monday Feb.25th, 2019.
- Gas Pump at the NFDL BP. A check should be coming our way. Aaron Sadoff will follow up.
- Battle of the Bago Tickets - The tickets are selling well. As of now we are looking at a profit of

\$3240. There are still tickets out there so our profit will grow. Thank you goes out to all the groups that have stepped and sold sold sold! Great job!

- Oriole Open dates are Thurs. Aug. 8th, 2019 for the party and Friday Aug. 9th, 2019 for the golfing.

7:20 - Concession Report. All good as of now. One concern raised was for the all day events and how the lunch hour can be concerning. We need to look at the staff working at that time and educate them as to help with the amount of food needed and if we are close to running out etc. Dawn would like a nice board to hang up in the back of the stand to list prices. She also suggested some more cabinets be built in there and that they are able to be locked. There will be community storage when construction is done at Friendship.

- Joe presented a catalogue by Vollrath that has some items we may need for concessions. Dawn would like to take some time to look through this catalogue.

7:28 - Budgeting - This will be postponed for now. This process is still ongoing and the group needs more time to finalize. The goal is to have a budget process in place by our Mar. 6th meeting. Budgeting meeting will be Wed. Mar. 6th at 5:30 in the boardroom.

7:35 - Baseball - Last year they requested netting for the backstops. This was not purchased last year. He is looking at purchasing them this year for \$819.55. A motion was made for O.N. to purchase the netting. Robin Maramonte and Todd Stettbacher made and seconded the motion.. Motion passed.

7:36 - Powerlifting. There are 2 student who have earned the right to go to Nationals in Louisiana. The entry fee is \$100 for each competitor. Transportation is still up in the air. A motion to cover the entry fee was made by Rob Giese and Todd Stettbacher. The motion passed.

7:38 - Powerlifting uniforms. Powerlifting is now a school sport. These will be purchased by the district and not Oriole Nation

7:40 - Softball would like a pitching machine. Their current machine is fading. Todd has found one on sale for \$1995. Last year he requested \$2000. A motion was made for up to \$2000 for a pitching machine. The motion was made by Robin Maramonte and Daryl Benson. The motion passed, there was one no vote.

Todd Stettbacher was looking for \$1400 for the bus cost for the softball teams spring trip. This request has been tabled.

8:10 - A motion to adjourn was made by Dawn Niemuth and Jean Hintze. This motion passed.