



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.

03/06/2019

6:30 - Call to order by Matt Rashid. Matt asked for a motion to approve the Feb. minutes - Aaron Sadoff and Robin Maramonte seconded. The motion passed.

6:30 - Treasurer Angie Nitz reported we have \$71, 600 in the bank and about \$6400 is not allocated. A Motion was made to accept this report. Motion made by Robin Maramonte and Rose McCourt. Treasurer's report was accepted.

6:32 - Fundraising Report - Aaron Sadoff shared the following.

- Battle on the Bago - We made \$3201. We sold 1350 tickets. This exceeded our goal of selling 1200. This group is giving back to Oriole Nation about \$7200. They are sponsoring our Fishing club on a 4 day trip over Christmas Break of Jan. 2020
- Calendar - Aaron Sadoff - We are still seeking pictures. Please get to Rob Giese as soon as you can.
- Oriole Open - Aug. 8th and 9th, 2019
- Walleye Weekend - This committee will be meeting Wed. Ap. 3rd at 5:30 in the district meeting room. Matt Rashid and Aaron Sadoff are our chairs for this event. Please see them for more information.
- Treffert Way - Will be a new charter school here in the North Fond du Lac School District beginning in the 2019 - 2020 school year. They will be seeking some fundraising opportunities.
- Brat Fry was a success. We are seeking someone who can do the first and last brat fry of each season at the NFDL Butchers Block. This person will do pre-orders and coordinate this event prior to and the day of. It is an all day event. We are thankful for those who came and worked this event. This is the first Sat in March and the last Sat in Sept. We are excited to see who would like to coordinate this.
- Wing Fling from Buffalo Wild Wings - \$619 was earned. We are team A. Concessions at Lambeau Field. Joe Maramonte shared this information with Matt Rashid. They asking to see if we are interested in working this event. Some discussion took place. This board thinks this is a great idea for other groups. We will pass on this opportunity.
- Gas Pump - \$1166.66, 2% from the specific pump. Please fill up there.
- Wendt's has donated to our Trap club. They specified their donation was to go to Trap.
- Aaron listed other sponsors who are willing to support and donate to Oriole Nation. If you would like the specifics Aaron can share that information with you.
- Doug Forsythe and Aaron Sadoff are working hard on concessions and putting together information on concessions. More information to come. Aaron will put out the sign up, if no one signs up then it will go unfilled. Girls Soccer games need coverage right now. Aaron will send out the events and ask

- for coverage of the events.
- Dawn updated us on some new items regarding concessions, new nacho machine. We will need a new cooler and a wagon.

7:00 - Budget Proposal. The group met and developed a new budget system. The original way was confusing and hard to really nail down at times. The system which was developed to replace this is a tiered system. Each club was put into a Tier based on past budget requests. If your group would need more you can request additional funds from Oriole Nation. Basically all sports are under Tier 2 and the rest of the groups are spread around. There are some stipulations as to what you can spend your money on and what we feel you can not spend your money on. You will still need to report back to ON as to what you spent your money on. Plaques and other awards are under the 'No'. These can be now be made by Mr. McDowell. You can pay him with your budget money. We are asking you to follow these guidelines in your spending. If you need more funds please ask ON - if you do not follow these guidelines then the following year your group will be moved to a lower tier. You will be held accountable for your money and the spending of it. All receipts need to go to Maria in the business office and then to the ON secretary, this step is the accountability piece. You do not need to spend every penny. An information sheet was developed. If you are unsure if what you would like to purchase follows the guidelines come and ask us. This will go into effect for the 2019-2020 school year.

7:15 - Motion to approve this new budget process - Nicki and Dawn Niemuth. The new process has been passed. Please see the board with specific questions.

7:16 - Powerlifting -A request is being made by Robin Maramonte. At our last meeting we approved funding for 2 girls to attend Nationals. One of the girls is now going, the 2nd girl is no longer able to go. They are asking for \$200 for gas. This is a great opportunity to showcase our district. This group feels the district should be supporting our powerlifters who make it to the state competition. An additional request was made for them lifter to receive an additional \$250 for gas by Doug Forsythe and Angie Nitz. This motion passed

7:30 - We need to do a By-Laws review since we changed the budget process. Matt will send out an email. Watch for an email.