



**South Hills Catholic Athletic Association Board Meeting Minutes
August Meeting: July 29, 2024 - 6:30 PM**

- Attendance
 - Andrew Baldasare - Athletic Director
 - Renee Thornton - President
 - Paula Murovich - Vice President
 - Dina Marshall - Secretary
 - Rich Unger - Treasurer
 - Chris Madden - Fundraising Chair
 - Sam Aves - Soccer, Tournaments/Clinics Program Director
 - Donnie Gilmore - Boys Basketball Program Director

- Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes
 - Approved by Andrew Baldasare and Chris Madden

- Treasurer's Report - Financial Update
 - Petty cash has been deposited
 - League fees are due in the coming weeks
 - Gym floor - waiting for ok to proceed from insurance company

- Committee Reports
 - Athletic Director
 - **Approaching Dates, Deadlines & Special Events:**
 - August 1st - Soccer Registration is Due
 - August 16th - Volleyball - Rosters and Registration Fees due
 - August 26th - Girls Volleyball Season Starts
 - August 30th - Soccer Rosters are due
 - September 2nd, Soccer Season Starts
 - October 5th - Spikefest, referees contacted

 - **Overall Update Status:**
 - **Missing Jr Dev Soccer Coach**
 - Need to determine if tryouts will be needed for any teams this fall
 - Banner and 8th Grade Pictures need to be discussed.
 - Membership: 119 Complete, 2 In Progress, 14 In Cart
 - Need to set dates for Winter Sports
 - **36 Steelers Squares sold so far**

- **35 Pirates Tickets sold with 100 reserved**

Volleyball:

- Spikefest documentation - October 5th - Archangel Gabriel School has already registered, documents need to be sent to them.
- Paula was able to secure the Greentree Sportsplex for Volleyball, only other availability was Hough Building, \$50 per hour
- **Varsity: 12 Girls | JV: 16 - Registered for a Blue (A) and a Green (B) teams**
- **Need to set a date for Cheerleading cutoff date**
- Need to check on sizes for shirts - **We have a request for a Adult 2XL**
- Look for favors, door prizes, gift cards etc

Soccer:

- Goals and Balls were purchased and delivered, we received a \$20 discount from the original price.
- **Harry Marshall** was able to secure Riehl Park for soccer practices.
- JV & Varsity practices will be on Thursday [4pm to 6 on Thursdays]
- Little Kickers will be on Mondays [5pm on Mondays] - Turf
- Development Soccer -
- Jr. Development Soccer - **No coaches. 1 or 2 teams?**
- **Varsity: 10, one 7v7**
- **JV: 10, one 7v7**
- **Development: 12, one 7v7**
- **Jr. Development: 21, two 5v5**
- **Little Kickers: 25**
- Home soccer matches will be:
 - 9/7 | 12:30-6:00 PM
 - 9/28 | 12:30-6:00 PM
 - 10/12 | 12:30-6:00 PM
 - 10/19 | 12:30-6:00 PM
- Games will be held at Seton
- Soccer equipment needed: Little Kickers shirts and balls

Action Item for Rich: Checking on Little kickers storage, possibly in garage by rectory?

Track and XC

- **Cross Country** - 18, 8th grade - 4, 7th grade - 4, 6th grade - 4, 5th grade - 2, 4th grade - 1, 3rd grade - 3
- **Little Runners** - 16 runners, Pre-K - 6, K - 4, 1st grade - 4, 2nd grade - 2

Cheerleading - September 23rd

- Basketball Cheer - 12

- Competitive Cheer - 8
- Spirit Squad - 4

Potential Spend:

Item Description	Request	Sport	URL	Cost	Qty	Total	Additional Comments
Cheer Mats APPROVED FOR WISHLIST, IF NOTHING BY AUGUST, PURCHASE WITH FINAL PRICING.	4 to 6 Cheer Mats for easy maneuvering and preparation for future competitions (need 6)	Cheer	https://www.greatmats.com/products/cheerleading-mats.php https://www.resilite.com/products/carpet-bonded-foam https://www.rubberflooringinc.com/gym-mat/6-42-cheer-mats.html	\$805/rl+ship \$919/rl+ship \$850/rl+ship	4-6	4 Mats \$3,220 6 Mats \$4,830 +ship +tax	
4 Basketball Hoops: Portable, Adjustable APPROVED FOR WISHLIST, IF NOTHING BY AUGUST, PURCHASE WITH FINAL PRICING.	In order to run 3v3 at practices, run clinics, work on foul shooting, and prepare younger kids for Dev basketball, this would be a great investment in the kids at all ages.	Basketball	https://www.dickssportinggoods.com/p/lifetime-52-mvp-portable-basketball-hoop-16lifult52prtblsybke/16lifult52prtblsybke	499.99	4	\$2000+ ship+tax	
Soccer Jerseys							
XC / Track Jerseys							
"LITTLE SAINTS" shirts							
Little Saints Soccer Balls							

Vote for 6 Cheer Mats - approved by board (Andrew, Rich)

Vote for Basketball Hoops and Foam Protection - approved by board (Sam, Paula, Dina)

Spiritwear:

- There will be three dates that the online store will be open throughout the school year.
- Ladies T-Shirts requested
- Rain Coats
- Ashley is working to get Spiritwear launched on Wednesday.

Fundraising

- Steelers Squares - 35 of 100 sold

- Consider a text that would be easy to send to family and friends
- Cornhole Tournament - tentative plans
 - 10 sets of cornhole boards needed
 - Top 3 teams win prizes
 - Basket of Cheer or case of beer
 - No gift basket raffle
 - 50/50 raffle offered
 - Cost per person \$20 per person/\$40 per team
 - Possible food truck
- Cash Bash
 - \$5 per person for food/Bethel Bakery for desserts
 - Request for \$200 for items to prepare for event (request to Rich)

Sponsorships - Potential Sponsorship Levels:

- **\$1,000 Platinum Level-**
 - LARGE company logo on gym banner for one year.
 - LARGE Ad on any printed SHCA program (ex: musical, Christmas program, sports program... would need Harmony approval)
 - LARGE logo on any tournament shirts offered or sold for one year (across all sports)
 - Social media thank you shout out, preferably with a group team picture of a sport, or cheerleaders
- **\$500 Gold Level-**
 - MEDIUM logo on banner/1 year
 - MEDIUM ad on anything printed
 - MEDIUM logo on any t shirts
 - Social media thank you shout out
- **\$250 Bronze Level-**
 - (Same as above but small logos, not on shirts)
 - Social media thank you shout out
- **\$100 Friends of the Saints Level-**
 - Names will be printed on a sign and hung in the gym.
 - Social media thank you shout out
 - In addition we can offer weekly emails, musical program etc.
 - "It takes a village to raise a Saint!"

d. Program Directors

- Soccer
 - Fields - Castle Shannon and Seton for fields
 - Saints Cup Tournament - Spring activity since we will not have a league
 - Possibly raise 5k by hosting an event
 - Need a "Title Sponsor" for the event
- Basketball
 - Host summer basketball league, start discussing in October at start of basketball season
 - Turkey Shoot - Date has changed to Nov 21 - 24
- Concession window
 - Gilmore group can do the work and are available
 - Start clearing out closet for renovation
- Idea: Blow up arch for events like senior rec night, pep rally etc.

- President/VP/Secretary
 - Looking into sponsorship banners for gym
 - Kicking off Golf Outing registration and sponsorships soon - event on 10/14/2024

- Old Business
 - Recap of Recent Events
 - Gym Floor Update - waiting on insurance to start work and our contractor will take one month
 - Volleyball/Greentree - reserved for August for volleyball practice
 - Status of Ongoing Initiatives
 - Review of Action Items from Previous Meeting

- New Business
 - Upcoming Events
 - Proposals for New Initiatives

- Open Forum
 - Opportunity for Members to Raise Issues or Concerns

Next meeting scheduled for Monday, August 26th at 6:30pm at St. Anne Gym.