

Starmont Athletic Booster Club
Meeting Minutes
May 13, 2026 6:00 pm
Football/Track Concession Stand

Present: Ronnie Boardman, Hillary Recker, Jen Aldrich, Brittany Meyers, Terry Groth, and Abbie Schuhmacher. Also present: Mike Augustine, Charlie Gruman, and Vinny O.

Call to Order: Ronnie Boardman called the meeting to order at 6:05 pm.

Previous Minutes: Motion to approve previous minutes from March 2026 by Abbie, 2nd by Brittany. All in favor.

Treasurers Report: Hillary reviewed accounts. Received money from Twins grant. Motion to approve treasurer's report by Terry, 2nd by Abbie. All in favor.

Presidents Report: Ronnie would like to ensure that items approved between meetings are listed in the minutes: **student activity pass donation for post prom prize (2), practice round for boys regional golf (7), practice round for girls golf.** Need to move banners to baseball and softball field.

AD's Comments-

1. Girls golf would like to hold a fundraiser at the Booster Club golf tournament in August. This is approved.
2. Cross Country: Up for uniform rotation but their uniforms are in good shape. Would like to request 40 warm up jackets instead. Charlie will get a quote and picture of a design and send it to the group.
3. Boys basketball is looking at the purchase of 19 dark uniforms at the cost of \$118 per uniform for a total of \$2242. Tabled until coaches send a picture of the uniform design. Still waiting for a design from the coach.

Old Business

1. Cement at Football Stand: Ronnie will follow up with the school and ask that the work get started as soon as possible.
2. Revitalizing Football/Track entrance: Tabled.
3. Record Boards: Boys Basketball is being ordered. Waiting for delivery. Still missing two boards.
4. Trailer: Group decided to table this for now due to lack of interest.
5. Grant Opportunities:
 - a. Caseys: Physical Improvements: 10/12-11/14: Group discussed track and throwing event improvements. Charlie will look at prices and layouts.

- b. UMMGC: Preapplication for a new baseball scoreboard and moving it to be more visible was approved. Full application is due at the end of August.
- c. Minnesota Twins: Fields for Kids Grant: Approved for full grant for tiling of outfield and planting a windbreak on 3/25/26.
Superintendent is looking for information to get bids for tiling.

New Business

- **Batting cage for baseball: Vinny O is requesting a batting cage for practice that can sustain weather conditions and be folded down during games. The price is \$6,800. Motion to approve the purchase of a batting cage by Brittany with the Booster Club paying for the purchase and the baseball team fundraising to cover a portion of the cost through working concessions for football games and the annual Home Run Derby. 2nd by Terry. All in favor.**
- **Digital track timer: The purchase of a digital track timer was discussed as some teams are dropping from Starmont's meets due to the lack of a digital option. Charlie will look at prices and let the group know.**

Motion to adjourn by Terry at 7:00 pm. 2nd by Brittany.

Next meeting will be on July 8, 2026 @ 6:00 pm in the Concession Stand.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jen Aldrich

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Secretary