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# ABHS AF-JROTC MI-931 Booster Club Meeting

**Minutes:** AF-JROTC Classroom; Tuesday, 19-DEC 2023, 19:00 – 20:00

Board Present: SMSgt Quintana, Larry Rachow, Jaremy Davis, Bill Calihan, Jordan Siwula,  
Board Absent/Excused: Ninette Probyn, Wendy Chunn

## Prep and Call to Order (Time: 7:03 PM)

1. Booster Club snack, (**Davis family**) / Door prize; (**CC Rachow**)
2. Pledge of Allegiance / Welcome & thank you for attending tonight (**Bill**)

## Approval of the Minutes from the Previous Meeting (Board Vote)

- ~~1. Provide an overview of the previous month's meeting minutes.
  - a. capture comments and then approve with a board vote (roll call, and record)~~

## Treasurer's Report (Larry Rachow)

1. Inform balance, income, expenses, and performance to budget.
  - a. October/November budget file explained by Larry and reviewed by entire Booster Club.
  - b. Highlights: balance ~13,000 USD, Drill Meet Concessions ~478 USD, HoCo Concessions ~1300 USD, Candy Bars ~3,300 USD

## Fundraising Reports (Jaremy Davis)

1. Restaurants of the month for January
  - a. January will be either Jillian's Coney Island or Father & Sons Pizza
  - b. February is Buffalo Wild Wings, March Marine City Fox Fire Fixings, April/May Sea Burgers Cheeseburgers.
  - c. Booster Club suggested a Port Huron location and was known by Jaremy.
    - i. There will be a follow up direct to Jaremy or the Booster Club email.
2. Spring Charity Raffle preparations to begin after the new year.
  - a. Call for donations, even gift cards or sponsorship wince we are 501 3c.
  - b. Basket categories will be made in January.

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- i. Already the JROTC basket is donated from the merch vendor.
- ii. Calihan family donated Sports Memorabilia packaged and ready to go.
- c. Sub-committees to contact vendors, organize donations, and create baskets will be January through until spring break.
- d. Target is to have all media available after Spring Break and ticket sales starting in mid-April.
- e. Farmers Market is first Sunday in May.
- f. Adding the Restaurant of the Month to the sponsor banner was proposed.

### Old Business

1. ~~none~~

### New Business

1. Review upcoming events the Booster Club attends and/or volunteers.
  - a. Toledo (Springfield) Drill Meet      Saturday 06-JAN
    - i. Please attend to support our school & AF-JROTC program.
  - b. Howell Michigan Drill Meet      Saturday 03-FEB
    - i. Please attend to support our school & AF-JROTC program.
2. Future events to discuss; Booster Club attends and/or volunteers.
  - a. ~~Spring Dance Concessions      Saturday 03-FEB~~
    - i. Canceled this fundraising event due to Howell DM conflict.
  - b. Overnight Drill Meet      March 15<sup>th</sup> thru March 19<sup>th</sup>.
  - c. Spring Charity Raffle sub-committees in Feb/Mar/Apr
  - d. Spring Charity Raffle NBFM      Sundays in May
3. Positions vacating for 2023-2024
  - a. President      Current: Bill Calihan      Graduating Senior
  - b. Vice President      Current: Jordan Siwula      Relocation in 2024
  - c. Nominations for positions at April Booster Club meeting
  - d. Vote of nominees at the May Booster Club meeting
  - e. Please reach out to us to discuss positions and interest prior to April
  - f. A description of all the roles were given by Bill Calihan and is available on the AF-JROTC Weebly (linked in page 1 footer).
4. Hobby Lobby tax exempt card received and valid for three years.


- a. This will enable smoother purchase of model airplanes for after school model club and other material purchased from Hobby Lobby.

## Open Discussion

1. SQ's Corner; Senior Q's update of the JROTC Corps activities & happenings
  - a. Recap for the December community service.
  - b. March 6<sup>th</sup> will be inspection.
    - i. Cadet leadership will be commands focus.
  - c. Under Construction
    - i. New AF logo and moto in front of room
    - ii. Many cadets taking ownership of boards and updating.
    - iii. World map is coming down and replaced by Cadet mural of AC130.



- iv. May 19<sup>th</sup> is Military Ball and May 31<sup>st</sup> will be Hail & Farewell.
  - v. More participation of Cadets at after-class activities is requested.
    1. Corps have grown this year, but after school attendance is lower → please cadets and parents encourage and support.
2. CC's Corner; Corps Commanders 'Cadet view' of Club's help and appreciation
    - a. Thank you for the Booster Club drivers at Good Fellas
    - b. Cadet participation at drill attendance, after school JROTC activities.
    - c. Please encourage your cadet to attend the Christmas Party!

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- d. Attend Drill Meet, cadets and Booster Club, your support for our school and the program overall means so much.
  3. Public Comments, general membership topics/motions according to the bylaws
    - a. Stephanie highlighted the importance of the Kitty Hawk social events like bowling, and the other gatherings.
    - b. Good dialog on encouraging the entire Corps, parents/Booster Club, Senior Cadets, and newer Cadets to come together and experience the best of what AF-JROTC have to offer in building up our youth into the young leaders.

### Adjourn (Time: 7:53 PM)

Bill Calihan requested a motion at the board to close the meeting, Jeremy Davis made sure to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and then motioned to close, Jordan Siwula 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion and Bill Calihan adjourned the meeting at 7:53 PM.