## MOHAWK ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

## **APRIL 2 2018** Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Executive Committee, Greg Vorous, Maura Crossman, Larissa Miner, Mark Biagini, Tawyna Graves, Kay Ward, Doug McCloud and Missy Elie Meeting called to order 630pm

- Reviewed and approved March Secretary Report and Treasurer Reports
  - o 1<sup>st</sup> Motion Larissa Miner and 2<sup>nd</sup> motion Maura Crossman
- Redemption Update: Kathy Cairns-Chairperson (absent) Tammy Lowell reported recent theft
  of sorted cans and bottles from the Shelburne/charlemont center. It has been reported to local
  authorities and the redemption center attendants. This is incredibly disturbing due to all the
  volunteer efforts and money that MAA earns from the redemption. Since 2011 MAA \$63,030 has
  been raised from redemption.
- 2018-2019 Calendar Fundraiser: Tawyna Graves has offered to re-establish this fundraiser. She will
  collaborate with Tammy Shippee Discussion involved pricing of the calendars, looking for the least
  inexpensive printing options, obtaining pictures and involving all sports not just the fall sports in regards to
  selling.
- **Girls Basketball: Chuck Miner Plaque** Maura Crossman-JV girls basketball coach presented the committee with a Plague designed to honor the late Coach Chuck Miner for all his dedicated years as Girls Basketball Coach and loving father. The Plaque will be displayed in the Gym. Approved to cover the cost of the plaque \$125.00
  - o 1st motion Maura Crossman
  - o 2nd Motion Larissa Miner
- **Scholarship Committee:** 2018 Scholarship Committee was formed to review applications. Pam Guyette, Marion Scott, Tammy Lowell and Tammy Shippee
- Open Floor: Wrestling Mats: Coach Mark Biagini presented 2 cost options for new mats. As previously discussed in past meetings, the current mats were given to Mohawk for free and are very outdated and unsafe. Mohawk will not be allowed to host meets until new mats are provided. Coach Biagini has 2 teams and they made Tri-state this past year. His team is committed to volunteer work for MAA. His team is committed to selling calendars to help offset the costs. With new mats he will be able to host Tri-state Meets that will generate more money for MAA. The options are: both will be Mohawk colors and regulation standards met.
  - o –Classic style \$12,000 Life expectancy 35 years. (heavier to move around)
  - Newer style \$9,000 Life expectancy 15 years (comes in 7 easy to move pieces) These mats can be re conditioned. (3 yr warranty) The Newer style is the best fit for the cost. The athletic Department budget will pay for \$2,250 and MAA will pay the remaining \$6,750.

2<sup>nd</sup> Motion

- o The Wrestling team will continue to fundraise to offset the MAA contribution.
- o APPROVED 1<sup>st</sup> Motion