

**CRHS Baseball Booster Meeting  
February 24, 2026**

Present: Zach, Rachel, Mark, Mike, Coach G, Jess, Denise, Christy, Gina

Meeting was called to order at 6:34 PM.

The minutes from the January 20<sup>th</sup> meeting were approved, motioned by Denise, Seconded by Mike

**Treasurer Report: Mike**

Checking: \$17,452.06

Savings: \$28,909.60

2 deposits made: \$10,000.00 and \$3,500.00

Check went out to Brian Johnson

**President Report: Christy**

- Approval to pay invoices from Rebyl
- Gerten's has 7 orders so far totaling \$948.00. It ends March 30<sup>th</sup>. Will look into putting it in the high school bulletin.
- The web page for SNAP is filled out. It starts March 19<sup>th</sup> for emails and kicks off March 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- Zach will look into getting decals for the batting helmets.
- Signage – Mark reached out to ABC, the price depends on the volume, there is a discount for 10 or more signs. The sign will be 4x8 and have wind holes. Mark has a letter in the 2026 folder. He will also make a spreadsheet to keep track of the businesses contacted. Mark is looking for recommendations. New signs will be \$500.00 and renewals will be \$250.00.
- We will ask Nicole if she can clean up the folders in the drive.

**Vice President Report: Denise**

- The paperwork for the MN Secretary of State has been filed. We are good until 2027.
- Gerten's is rolling.
- Chipotle fundraiser is on Monday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>. It's the Chipotle by the high school.
- Zach said someone has offered to do a beer bust for us. It was unanimously decided to go ahead with it. We will need to start getting donations for the raffle. Keep in mind that we also will need donations for Youth Night.

**Volunteer Report: Gina**

- Gina will start working on the volunteer sign-up sheet in Signup Genius for Cub bagging. We will be at 2 sites again this year. We will ask for 4 volunteers per shift for the Riverdale location and 2 per shift at the Northdale location. Gina and Christy will work out the shift times.

**Website Report: Mike**

- The website is updated.

## **Coach Don's Report:**

- Coaching staff – The staff is now full. Please welcome Jack Arndt for the JV assistant and Bill Combs for the B Squad assistant. Bill came from Totino-Grace. We will possibly have another coach.
- Open Gyms – Open gyms are now done. There were anywhere from 14 to 26 players at any of the open gyms.
- Scheduling – JV and B will play on most days that Varsity plays. Coach provided updated schedules. B Squad will play at the opposite site, if JV and V are at home, B Squad will be away.
- Arm Care Week – It starts March 10<sup>th</sup>. We can't hit, but Coach has other activities planned. Coach provided schedule for event/practice times. There will be meetings and measurables.
- Full Practices – They start Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> – Monday through Friday for all, Saturday, March 21<sup>st</sup> for many.
- February 11<sup>th</sup> Parent Meeting – 26 players filled out the Google form (7 Fr, 8 Soph, 8 Jr, 3 Sr) and 26 parents filled out the Google form (8 Fr, 8 Soph, 6 Jr, 4 Sr). Seven players are registered. We need to keep getting the word out.
- SNAP Raise – Coach met with the new representative, Valerion, at the clinic. March 19<sup>th</sup> is a key date. Coach provided a video link that will be shared with the players.
- Store – the store is live. Coach provided the link. Some suggestions for additional item include blankets, seat cushions, water bottles or mugs, and women's T-shirts.
- Hats – the Zephyr order will arrive by early March
- Mower – MN Equipment in Rogers has a mower for us at a price of \$2495. The one originally looked at has sold. The mower will be delivered at the end of March. The old mower will be moved to the 2<sup>nd</sup> field.
- Communication – Facebook and Instagram will be used for rain dates, etc.
- Retire Jersey – We will honor former Coach Don Bright on April 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- Mike Dupont – Coach has connected with Mike regarding game dates.
- Team Selection – if cuts are needed, they will be made by the end of the 1<sup>st</sup> week. Teams will be flexibly assigned by the end of the 2<sup>nd</sup> week. There can be movement based on performance and need.
- Summer Baseball – 12 players expressed interest in Legion baseball and 3 expressed interest in VFW. VFW is for 15U and 16U and needs 12-13 players. Legion is for the top players and requires 15-16 players. Coach got the brackets for the Legion Gopher Classic and they are changing it from past years. It used to be 6 teams playing over 3 full days at each site, now it is 5 teams playing over 2 full days. Coach has attached the schedule.
- Little League opening day – May 2<sup>nd</sup>, Volunteers are needed and all hands on deck

None of the grade representatives has anything new.

The next meeting will be Thursday, March 19, 2026 at 6:30 PM  
Meeting adjourned at 7:40 PM