



St. Alban Roe
Athletic Association

Date: January 7th, 2026

Time: 6:30pm

Location: Mikesch Hall

Athletic Association Meeting Minutes

Attendees

Present Board Members:	Not Present Board Members:	Guests:
• Sally Tschopp • Eileen Sokolowski • Mike Barger • Jenny Rodgers • Bill Rowe • Butch Kenney • Vicki Helfrey • Meg Lhamon • Katie Spedale • Meghan Higgs • Brad Stemler • Patrick Sokolowski	• Fr. Philipp • Dan Amiri • Mike Krieger • Drew Williams • Jaime Brenan • Maddy Menke • Kris Drake	•

Meeting Notes

- Opening Prayer

- Review Last Meeting
 - Star Sponsorship Level of Parish Auction: A Night to Shine (3/7/26)
 - Each board member needs to Venmo Eileen \$26 each, still some outstanding
 - Comes with 2 tickets, Jim Griffith(not interested) or Liz Kraemer
 - Athletic Association Appreciation Night: A Night of Champions
 - Cancelled due to low RSVP rate, will try again next year or come up with a different alternative-maybe Parish Picnic integration?
 - Working on an alternative recognition for Jim Griffith and Liz Kraemer
- New Business
 - President's Report
 - Vice President's Report
 - Touched on how a quick guide for volunteers was emailed out to the AA board on people's responsibilities
 - Treasurer's Report
 - Through November \$9,351 was spent on equipment and uniforms. Even though majority of this was out of our hands on failing equipment and lost/damaged uniforms, the AA needs to be mindful of budgeting restraints moving forward.
 - Secretary's Report
 - Registration's Report
 - Website Administrator's Report
 - bring traffic report next month
 - Equipment Report
 - Signs were put up around the gym without any communication or approval
There were signs intended for basketball put up on the gym walls and doors with tape. Vicki made it clear that no one is allowed to do that due to the risk of taking off paint, damaging walls and doors. So moving forward if anyone wants to post something they need to run it past Vicki. With that said, some of the signs said "East Gym" and "West Gym" so visiting teams know which gym side was which...Vicki is getting done professionally by a parish approved vendor. She will submit the payment request to Bill when she receives it.
 - basketballs and keys were left out
 - emails coaches about parking and blocking PSR parking spots
 - Track & Field/Golf: no action required at this time
 - Uniform Report
 - Going well, uniforms look good

- uniform and registration separate costs (to stay competitive with registration costs with other schools)
 - discussion was held regarding the benefits of having families purchase uniforms directly with the idea of passing down to siblings/friends and/or use for multiple years rather than adding/including uniform costs in registration fees. Members also noted that this approach would help preserve the AA's limited budget for other essential athletic equipment and program needs, reduce ongoing uniform-related responsibilities for volunteers, and encourage greater accountability for uniform care and maintenance.
 - This tied into the issue of how to keep registration fee competitive with Park-Rock, YMCA? Worried parents won't be willing to spend extra money for games when Park-Rock league will be the same. Money raised goes back to our parish and school. The idea of playing for your parish/school builds a sense of community.
- track and field/golf: links working
- start working on volleyball and soccer design soon
- Winter Sports Report: Basketball
 - Season off to a good start
 - (2) refs and (2) scoreboard keepers per game
 - Training League
 - 1 ref at \$12/hour
 - Tournament?
 - potential for spirit weekend games, posters around school for 8th grade
 - Good feedback with equipment, uniforms are an issue
 - Would like to re-visit the practice schedule with Sally next year because like to move adult and teenager practices later
- Spring Sports Report: Golf
 - Up and Rolling; registration is open with 2 enrolled
- Spring Sports Report: Track & Field
 - Registration is open, 12 registered so far, 3 volunteers so far
 - send flyer to Vicki for golf and track registration
- Fall Sports Report: Soccer
- Fall Sports Report: Volleyball
 - There was an issue at a game and CYC is not responding. Eileen told Brad to send her an email and she can personally try to escalate it
- Next Meeting is Wednesday, February 4th at 6:30pm
- Closing Prayer and Adjourn