

****Marlins Board Meeting Minutes: July 17, 2024****

****Attendance:****

Juliet, Brooke, Carrie, Whitney, Susan, Steven, Amina, Buffy

****Agenda Items:****

1. **Sports Psychologist:**

- Whitney is in discussions with Dr. Heil regarding a senior group discussion planned between September 3rd and 20th.

2. **Parents Meeting:**

- Planned scheduling the first week of practice, considering a mix of virtual and in-person.

3. **Fundraising:**

- Carrie is leading efforts to revise corporate sponsorship tiers before the short course season. Further conversations took place regarding engaging an apparel person. Amina will follow up with Amelia about a potential website for purchases, and Buffy will connect with a parent showing interest in apparel.

4. **Raise Right:**

- April G. has expressed interest in setting this up, and the board has approved her initiative.

5. **Equipment:**

- Plans are underway to purchase a new computer for Steven. Additionally, it was noted that the pool pump is in need of replacement, with North Cross expected to cover the associated costs.

6. **Discussion of 50m Pool:**

- Discussion centered around the potential development of a 50m pool at the Salem YMCA, with Roanoke College, City of Salem, and Salem YMCA already involved. The board highlighted the need to engage local representatives and encourage the involvement of Roanoke County and City, given the significant funding required for this initiative.

****Next Meeting Scheduled:****

August 25, 5pm