



Victor J. Andrew High School

Athletic Booster Club Minutes

May 13, 2026

- Welcome: Kathleen Bobber
- Secretary's Report: Andrea Richardson - waived the reading Sara 1st, Lauren 2nd- Approved
- Treasurer's Report: Paula George - Bank balance as of 4/30 \$50, 111.52 Meagan 1st, Sara 2nd Approved
- Spirit Wear Report: Sara Monner/Yvonne Thigpen/ Cecilia Oftedahl- online sales will stay open throughout the summer- those get shipped to customers. Taking inventory soon and getting an order for fall spiritwear stand. Freshmen and Senior t-shirts will be through the website this year. Looking to do an option of pickup at stand or delivered to homes. Still looking for directors to help out this year to step in for the 27-28 school year. Monday August 10th sale for staff
- Team Rep Director Report: Shea Wolfe/Hilary Gansauer
- Team Reps Report:
 - Freshmen Boys Volleyball- 12-6 record Having been at most of the games, these boys have a bright future ahead of them! It's been fun watching them grow in confidence and truly come together as a team.
 - JV Boys Volleyball- JV record 22-9- Coach says thank you for continuous support.
 - Varsity Boys Volleyball- 21-10 record- Best winning record since 2017- went undefeated in several tournaments. Senior night- Preston and Sean interviewed by Chicago Tribune. Looking to get these articles framed and added to the Volleyball case outside the main gym. Great bonded team and having a great season. 2 seniors committed to play volleyball at college. Next Friday starts playoffs hosted at Andrew.
 - Freshmen Baseball- 15-7-2 as of- Games every day this week at home Monday-Thursday. Friday Bradley-Bourbonnais and with a double header this Saturday at Shepard. Next week wraps up the season.
 - Varsity Baseball- 12-15- Senior day (May 2) went well. VJA will host regional

games on 5/27, 5/28 and 5/30. Senior night was great.

- Special Olympics- 10 athletes made it to state for track!
- Varsity Boys Tennis- 4-6 record- Team placed 8th out of 26; Ean Harvey placed 2nd out of 26 in 1st singles! Had senior night on Monday, will have the end of year banquet on the 19th. Conference started today. 10 seniors
- JV Boys Tennis- The JV boys team has the SWIC invite this Saturday at Lockport. The boys continue their enthusiasm and do their best.
- JV softball 13-13- Friday last game away. Pizza party for girls that day to celebrate their season.
- Varsity Softball 12-16- Last regular season game Friday. Post season next week.
- Varsity Girls Soccer- 9-8-1- Tough schedule this year. 3rd in conference. Playoffs start next week. 12 seniors (had senior night last night).
- JV Girls Soccer- 8-3-1. Team dinner is either this upcoming Monday or Wednesday
- Boys Varsity Lacrosse- 8-4 Wrapping up season. Playoffs start next week.
- Girls Co-op waterpolo- First and last sectionals game last night. Lost 8-9. Had Senior night last week.
- Boys Water Polo- 15-6. In first place in conference.
- Santa's Breakfast: Gina Minetti & Meagan Doornbos- On Vacation this meeting
- Fundraising: Meagan Doornbos & Gina Minetti- See ya next year with more fundraising opportunities
- Membership: Rob & Ed Staudacher- No report at this time.
- Communication Director's Report: Michelle Pluhar- No report. Can push out anything through our social media sites by contacting Michelle at myjoypluhar27@gmail.com
- Variety Show: Michelle Matz/Andrea Richardson. Tryouts on Sunday November 15 Show week will be Feb. 21-27
- Concessions: Kathleen Bobber/Paula George/Nicole Scott/Nikki Bowden- D140 track meet brought in about \$3100 so definitely worth the time and volunteers. Looking for concessions directors to help open and close events (could go by season). Possible suggestion to have a team rep and a concession rep for each team.

- Athletic Director's Report: Kevin McKeown-
 - Next Friday 5/22- 2 lacrosse games on field, volleyball game in gym
 - 5/26- 2 soccer games sectional host, 2 volleyball games regional host
 - 5/28- Volleyball regional championship
 - 5/29- Lacrosse regional championship
 - Senior breakfast- more than 100 senior athletes came in. Caden Wolfe male senior athlete of the year. Anna Cisek Female athlete of the year. Dave DeHaan- coach's leadership award, Coach Luttrell- 110% coach of the year. IHSA Scholastic achievement is an unweighted GPA of at least 3.5- 115 students this year. 6 seniors played 3 sports this year. 5 of those athletes were 4 year 3 sport athletes. All pictures posted on social media. Just under \$2million dollars in scholarship money for seniors this year. Fall and Winter all sports met IHSA academic achievement recognition.
 - Summer Rec is open and will remain open throughout the summer. On home athletic webpage
 - 2026-2027 registration will open at the end of May for all sports for next year.
 - Black and Gold Night will look a little different- It will be a weekend event Starting with football game 8/21 and go into 8/22 for other sports. Winter black and gold may look different as well
 - Spring Updates- Badminton state is tomorrow - 2 players qualified for state. Girls Track had Sectionals today. Tennis and Boys track and field have conference as well.
 - August 21 home opener/Senior Night/Youth Night
 - August 25 back to school night
 - Homecoming game is Friday Oct. 2nd
 - Football traveling to St. Joe's Ogden this year for a game (Central Illinois)
- Old Business:
 - Athletic Scholarships were awarded last month Winners were:
 Booster Club: Ava Oftedahl, Christa Olsen, Veronka Gecevis, Isabella Wick, Christian Scott, Evan Misura, Troy Culbertson, Will Macleod

Matz Scholarships: Abby O'Donnell, Kat Berchos, Nadine Nighosian, Brayden Guzak

- New Business: Motion to accept all reports- Hilary 1st, Nicole 2nd, Approved
 - Athletic Director donations requests- none at this time
 - Election for 26-27 and 27-28 two year cycle- paper ballots handed out and collected at the end of the meeting.
 - \$150 donation goes to special olympics
 - Next year's meeting dates are:

Wednesday August 12, 2026 Wednesday September 09, 2026 Wednesday October 14, 2026 Wednesday November 18, 2026 No meeting in December	Wednesday January 13, 2027 **May need to be adjusted Wednesday February 10, 2026 Wednesday March 10, 2026 Wednesday April 7, 2026 Wednesday May 12, 2026
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- Motion to adjourn Hilary, 2nd Nicole- Meeting adjourned at 7:55pm