

School Board Meeting/Workshop:

October 23, 2017

Subject:

MSHSL Cooperative Sponsorship
– Adapted Activities

Presenter:

Tom Bauman, BHS AD

SUGGESTED SCHOOL BOARD ACTION:

Recommend approval

DESCRIPTION:

Adapted Athletics Proposal (Meeting of schools 10/4/17) - Buffalo/Monticello/STMA

Recommendation that Special Olympics Bowling (Fall) and Special Olympics Swimming (Winter) move to community offerings outside of district. Recommend participation in MSHSL sponsored Adapted Activities - Adapted Floor Hockey (Winter 2017-2018), Adapted Soccer (Fall 2018), and continue offering Adapted Softball (Spring 2018) but starting cooperatives in all 3 seasons with Monticello High School and St. Michael Albertville High School.

- Get administrative and school board approval in the 3 school districts
- Submit Application for Cooperative Sponsorship to MSHSL
- Register with MSHSL for the activity and make sure \$100 fee is paid
- Budget \$15,000 for each season for coaches, supplies, transportation and fees.

Adapted Athletics Budget Approximates

- Staffing- \$6400 (2 coaches)
 - Transportation - \$3000
 - Miscellaneous - \$3000
 - Dues and Fees/Workers - \$1000
 - Supplies - \$1500 (Start up first year will be more)
 - Registration with the League \$100
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- Cost for each school is based on cost for program divided by # of participants
 - Start Winter Season 2017-2018 with CI Adapted Floor Hockey - (Buffalo Host)
 - Spring Season 2018 CI Adapted Softball - (Buffalo Host)
 - Fall Season 2018 CI Adapted Soccer - (TBD Host)
 - Discussion - Future Host School opportunities
 - Host school staying the same provides continuity for kids, coaches, facilities and activity administration.
 - Rotating Host school provides opportunities for all districts to be involved in administration of activity.
 - More discussion to follow regarding "Host School" for future seasons.

- Other items still under consideration
 - Team Mascot and Team Name.
 - Budget for coaches is based on Buffalo Master Agreement (Host School)
 - Determination of participation fee in each district to be determined
 - Buffalo host school will likely charge fee of \$115 (Category III)
 - Monticello has suggested they will be charging \$120
- Practice and Game Schedules
 - Pre-Season coaches will conduct practices 2 times a week
 - After game schedule starts, practice at most will be once/week
 - 10-13 game schedule provided by MnAAA affiliated with MSHSL
 - Section playoffs and State Tournament for programs which advance

ATTACHMENT(S): None