

# Walpole High School XC/Track & Field Boosters' Meeting

October 6, 2025 - Walpole High School Conference Room

**Call to Order:** 6:50 pm

**Attendance:** Bekah Ahern, Jen Zahurak, Kristy Hunt, Lynette Donnelly, Tony Barossi, Maureen Curran, Jeff Black, Triessl, Elaine Mok, Anna Mitchell

**Presentation of Agenda:**

**Approval of September Minutes and Correspondence:**

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Approved.

**Coaches' Report:**

**WRR Report:** Strong showing with 1300+ runners. One note that there were a few complaints on the 10k going first with the 5k runners in the way. A new WRR director will need to be identified due to M. Curran not able to continue next year.

**Treasurer's Report:** Budget is healthy with the 25/26 WRR a success. Coaching stipends did go up. Discussion on if we need to increase the budget for asst. Coaches. Bekah reminded the group that we voted on asst. coach salary on the approved 25/26 budget so we should be all set even though we went from 1-2 assistants—they will be spitting 70/30. J. Zahurak to talk to AD to discuss what is the base for an assistant before we solidify the budget—however, \$3,300 that we budgeted for last year should suffice. Link to balance sheet below:

 [Booster Balance Sheets .xlsx](#)

**VP of XC Report and Banquet:** Senior night next Wednesday. There are a total of 14 seniors. J. Zahurak volunteered to order and pick up cake and carnations. T. Barossi to check in with AD to present seniors, will bring balloons and can handle set up. Dave Forrester will pick photos for athletes for banners which have to be in by 10/8. Banners will be paid out of Boosters budget. Banquet is all set—date confirmed, space and AV booked. Tracy Black expressed interest to be XC VP for 26/27 season.

**Old Singlet Sale:** B. Ahern suggested that we do a fundraiser with old singlets at next WRR for \$5-10. Thinking is alum may want a piece of history. If we do not sell—we can have extras go to XC/track tea.

**New Business:**

**Open Positions: Winter and Spring VPs:** Anna Mitchell expressed interest in Winter Track VP. Lynette Donnelly will continue on as Spring Track & Field VP.

**3 Season Apparel Coordinator:** Blue hoodie with wings and Walpole will be the team giveaway this year. K. Hunt to work with Run House to see if we can get a bulk order rate. Current price online is

\$45/ea We anticipate 180-200 shirts ordered. We would like to keep the order close to \$8k for the year if possible.

**Adjournment: 7:45pm**

Next Meetings:

Monday, November 3, 2025

Monday, December 1, 2025

Monday, January 5, 2026

Monday, February 2, 2026

Monday, March 2, 2026

Monday April 6, 2026

Monday, May 4, 2026