



Press Release

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Revere All Sports Booster Club to Explore Wrestling Room Feasibility *Initiative Would Involve More Fundraising*

(May 24, 2019) – The Revere Board of Education has given the green light for \$100,000 in funding from the capital campaign, spearheaded by the Revere All Sports Booster Club, to be set aside for a potential future wrestling room.

The capital campaign had raised roughly \$1.2 million to add a second auxiliary gymnasium to the new Revere High School, which is currently under construction. The Board had agreed to contribute an additional \$200,000 to \$300,000, depending on the final cost of the second gym. The \$100,000 set aside for a potential wrestling facility consists of contributions and pledge commitments raised through the capital campaign.

Recently, campaign co-chair Whitt Butler told the Board he believed a separate venue for wrestling was needed and proposed building a free-standing structure somewhere on high school property. The structure would be an estimated 4,000 to 5,000 square feet.

The Booster Club will dedicate \$10,000 for schematic designs for a wrestling facility using BSHM Architects. ICON Construction will provide a cost estimate. The two firms are already being used for building projects throughout the district.

No timetable has been set for determining if the project will move forward.

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