Supplemental Funding Request

Badminton Club

Council: Sports

Club Name: Badminton Club

Requested Through: Senate Supplemental Funding - gavinkra@buffalo.edu

Requested by: Ching Jie Chen, President (chingjie@buffalo.edu)

Event Name: UB Badminton (Open Play) Practice

Event Start date and time: 02/25/2024 2:15 PM

Event End date and time: 05/05/2024 2:15 PM

Event Description: UB Badminton Open Play Practice provides UB students the opportunity to enjoy the sport of badminton and be part of the growing community of the world's fastest racquet sport. Practices are on Sundays from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Triple Gym, alumni arena complex.

Benefits of the event to UB undergraduates: Having quality grade birdies and a game standard net system will finally allow UB undergraduates to enjoy the sport as it is supposed. Right now due to the lack of quality in our club many badminton enthusiast having been enduring the travel costs and entree fees to go to off-campus private clubs to play this sport. If we can provide a environment that is up to the standards of the sport many of UB undergraduate badminton player will be playing in UB Badminton saving them money and time.
The purpose of this event is to provide and maintain a quality game play where badminton players get to train and enjoy the sport as it is supposed to. Without nets many of our member have been waiting or worse playing without a net. This pose a danger as many student neglect court line due to lack of net system leading to accidents from player inability to distinguished court separations. Having nets will expand out court count also allowing our collegiate team to finally practice on campus instead of spending money to train off campus. The purpose of having high grade birdies is to enhance our training and club hosted tournaments. Being in a division 1 collegiate sport we will need to constantly be using these high grade birdies to maintain consistency in our game play. It will also allow us to host serious competitive tournament.

Itemized list of how items are to be used:

| Item 1: | Aeroplane Shuttlecock EG1130 (Black Label) - Excellent Grade (total 47/ $37.99 each ) | 2000 |
| Item 2: | ProCourt Freestanding Badminton Posts (total 2/ $369.99 each) | 1000 |

| Item 3: |
| Item 4: |
| Item 5: |

Total: 3,000.00

Current Budget Info:

Current Budget: $595.40

Current encumbrances for this event:

- Encumbrance 1:
- Encumbrance 2:
- Encumbrance 3:
- Encumbrance 4:
- Encumbrance 5:
Other money being requested or has been granted for this event (from other supplemental funding lines):

| Other 1: |  
| Other 2: |  
| Other 3: |  

Will there be ticket sales? - No

Other information that you want the reviewer(s) to know::

UB Badminton have been and is still struggling to get proper equipment especially birdies and quality net system. During this academic year most of our budget was used to provide some equipment like rackets and net system for 2 courts which has improved conditions in gameplay however we still need a little more help in nets and birdies to complete the experience that badminton should be. Badminton is the fastest net sport and like the other net sports tennis, ping-pong, volleyball, and more you can't play a net sport without nets. Badminton birdies is also a defining necessity of this sport, right now we have been using plastic birdies however in a competitive level it hampers quality game play which needs to be consistent in order to prepare for future tournaments.

All the supplemental itemized request have been overestimated for shipping and researched tirelessly by our coaches as the best in pricing and equipment standard and most convenient for the PO process. Although there might be other cheaper options we recommend against them as from experience some of the cheaper equipment have broken in less then a semester. If you have any questions or concerns feel free to email me at chingjie@buffalo.edu.
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Amount of money: 
Event money is to be used for: UB Badminton (Open Play) Practice
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Chair of Senate: ________________________________

Print name & date: ________________________________

Meeting date that the Supplemental Funding request was voted on: ________________________________

Final approval to be added to a Budget Adjustment

SA Treasurer signature: ________________________________

Print name & date: ________________________________

Money to be transferred to club as part of Budget Adjustment: ________________________________
Shopping Cart

ProCourt Freestanding Badminton Posts [Optional Badminton Net] | Regulation 5ft Height | Portable Badminton Set | Badminton Net with P... $369.99

In Stock
Shipped from: Net World Sports USA
Gift options not available. Learn more
Style Name: Badminton Posts Only

Qty: 2

Subtotal (2 items): $739.98

Proceed to checkout

Shopping Cart

Aeroplane Shuttlecock EG1130 (Black Label) - Excellent Grade $37.99

In Stock
Shipped from: Kently Badminton NYC
Gift options not available. Learn more

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Subtotal (47 items): $1,785.53

ProCourt Freestanding Badminton Posts [Optional Badminton Net] ... has been moved to Saved for Later.