

Welcome Athletics Booster Club Meeting February 2nd 2020

In attendance: Karri Hollingsworth, Allyson Spivey, Sarah Williams, Rodney Williams, Rachel Minton, Chad Minton, Tatum Pope, Brent Pope, Tom King, Donna Link, Duran Link, Tyler Beamon, Dru Broadway, Brandon Markland

Prior meeting minutes accepted

Treasury report reviewed and accepted

Cheer: No more practices due to participation. Three games left for K-3 girls and two games left for 4-6 girls. Beginning to plan banquet. Need a coordinator.

Basketball: Discussed incident that occurred at a practice involving Duran Link and a team member. Chad reviewed text we received from Heather White (coach). Child's mom contacted Karri explaining that Duran apologized to child at the game Saturday. Incident involved Duran speaking harshly to child and placing his hand on the child. (Booster club received two different stories) We reiterated that adults should never place their hands on a child under any circumstances. We will institute a parent code of conduct and a coach's code of conduct. Head coaches for all sports is a board member vote, Heather White is the approved coach for this team, this individual is responsible for all actions at practice and games, including disciplinary actions and corrections. Language and tone should be controlled when talking to children. We will reiterate our policy for kids, K-3rd grade, to have parents always present. Duran was asked what other sports he was involved in and he stated baseball. We have received complaints regarding how he spoke to his own son during baseball and some parents voiced their concern with him coaching other sports.

Basketball wall padding on hold until the end of Spring, reevaluate finances. May let 5th grade draw/write on it every year. We still need a basketball coordinator for community league. County regular season done 2/8 and community regular season done 2/22. Tournament TBD. Gym rental fees will be due shortly.

Football: Flag football is happening. Seven signed up right now. Tom to get more signs to put out. No Jr. Knights banquet happening. Welcome will host at least one flag football game day. \$2 gate to get in. We will pay refs with gate money. Meeting at parks and recreation on 2/5, county is stating they would like to split all gate money between the booster clubs. Tom wants them to lay out all the cards at the meeting so we can all get on the same page. Chad and Tom to meet with Arcadia President to see where money is going from Jr. Knights, some confusion on the bank account. Issues to work on, we always reserve the right to pull kids back to Welcome ONLY for football.

Soccer: Michelle not present, but we still need a coordinator. Lori Craver may be interested in this position. Tom to meet with Lori to discuss duties of coordinator. Host day cannot be 3/28 due to Easter parade. We need goals for u4 and u6.

DCYSA also going to \$2 for gate.

Volleyball: Chad told Heather to go ahead and line up coaches, gym practice space, and jerseys. Registration is open until Feb 17th. We will offer a senior league (9th-12th grade)

Baseball: rosters due 3/1, preseason tournament in March. Regular season will run tentatively April 1-June 14th. Saturday games are probably a go. Babe Ruth league hosting March 12th. Gate \$2. Coaches meeting March 15th. Discussed trophies. Discussed pros and cons of hosting tournaments. Registration is open until Feb 15th.

Concessions update: Jamie Roach still owes five volunteer hours from basketball discount. We don't have much in the concession stand. Fridge is okay, we need to get rid of the freezer in there. We got a new air conditioning unit for there as well. Needs to be installed.

Lands/Grounds window number two will be installed too. We have railroad ties for the parking lot. We need to get handicap signs for parking. Clean up day scheduled for February 29th. Dirt and grading needed for fields. Need to get water to drain off the fields.