

Football Meeting Thursday November 14<sup>th</sup> 2019 6pm at Reeds

To remove Pee Wee League from County oversight and create a booster club led Pee Wee League

Jimmy Hamblin called/led meeting

Welcome Reps - Tom King, Chad Minton, Ryan Ochier, Justin Morgan

County Parks and Rec Rep - Zak Crotts

Other booster club member present...

Issues:

1. Having teams play at distant playing locations (would like teams to play in same general area to encourage coaches, parents, and players to support other league teams)
2. Cost is \$10 per player to register with the county (would like to have details and reason for this cost)
3. Gate Admission, teams were promised gate admission to certain games, county took money at some games (would like to have a set schedule for gate admission to game and tournament games)
4. Miscommunications, non-communication with county
5. County dictates any conversation regarding football

Funding county receives to run Pee Wee was discussed but no clear amount was settled on (\$42,000-\$58,000)

Would like to remove the Little League program in a few years. (more involved, bigger fields, goal post)

League would be run similar to Jr Pee Wee, DCYSA, DCBRL.

Increase funding for booster club (no details on how this would be achieved, general agreement)

Field Rental and Availability is a concern, but should be doable. (no details, general agreement)

County has sent an email stating if we form a Pee Wee league the individual booster clubs would be ineligible for Little League Football, Basketball, and Volleyball. (all sports sanctioned by the county)

Terry Shoaf is our Davidson County Parks and Rec Commission Representative (West Davidson AD)

With a separate Pee Wee League we would be responsible for:

Referees

Field Rental or Hosting at our fields

Increase Volunteer duties

Many others items that would have to be considered/covered...