

Meeting minutes from Monthly Meeting held at Cascade Park on 8/19/25

These notes are not a verbatim transcription of the meeting. Attendance record kept by the secretary.

Minutes: July minutes were approved.

Refunds/Credits: Nothing new was shared.

Budget/Balance: \$62,000- Registration, golf, crab monies are coming in and we have not paid anything out.

Registration Fees: Fees are coming in. Better than they have in the past. Registration must be completed as this is an insurance piece. (Jen and Jeff's teams are complete) Reminder that sponsorship money goes directly towards the players registration cost.

Social COVID-19: Nothing new was shared.

CCRP/Use of Fields and Facilities: Practice schedules were sent out.

Equipment: Let Mike know what you need he is making a list.

Tractor in C shed needs a new battery.

Fields and Sheds: New codes are coming. Drea will email them to the head coaches once she has done so.

Fields have been sprayed and will need to be dragged.

See self Help****

Try Outs: Tryouts went well. It was the largest tryout we have had in a long time. There are teams that still need players. If you are putting this out on Social Media, send to the board prior for approval.

Fall Ball: Nothing new was shared.

Advertising/Website/Social Media: Things look good on the website. Mike gave changes to Lisa. Teams may have social media accounts however a board member must be listed as an admin. Remind players about appropriate vs inappropriate posts especially while in Hot Shots attire.

Flyers must have all of the Recs and Parks info and need to be approved by Lisa, Jen, Mike or Drea prior to going out.

Clinics/Training: Nothing new was shared.

Rec: Nothing new was shared.

Team Updates: Some still need players. Teams shared their National's experiences.

Travel teams will get 10 tournaments under \$700. More than \$700 will count as 1.5 tournaments. Hot Shots tournaments count as .5 and teams must participate in them. Teams will get 1300 towards nationals and it does count as one of their tournaments. (Yingling, Boswell, Ellis/Hall)

Tournament teams will get 12 tournaments under \$700. More than \$700 will count as 1.5 tournaments. Hot Shots tournaments count as .5 and teams must participate in them. Teams will get 1300 towards nationals and it does count as one of their tournaments.

Fundraising: Must be approved by the board prior to starting. Mile's team approved for cooler raffle in the fall and White's team approved for a Beannie Hat and Blanket sale in the fall.

Mike will send a list of families exempt to head coaches and Drea. Remind families that if they choose to pay the exempt fee they are still obligated to help the team with their assignments. The exempt fee exempts them from purchasing the tickets and participating in the events. No pay no privilege.

-Pictures: Nothing new was shared.

-Crab Sale/Feast: At Lineboro. Drea handed out crab feast tickets to the coaches. Let the families know that this will count as one of the fundraisers' obligations for the 25-26 season. Job assignments handed out. Corsaro- Pull tabs, Cugle-Raffles, White-money wheel, Lettaufood, Ellis/Hall-trash, Miles- crabs, Yingling-beer, Hendricks-Post Its

We will start setting up around 1 that afternoon.

- **-Golf Tournament:** The information was sent out to businesses and previous players. We already have teams signed up. We need sponsors. Team baskets were reviewed.
- -Calendar Raffle February 2024: Nothing new was shared.
- -Spring Fundraiser: Nothing new was shared.
- **-Tournaments:** When you register send your confirmation notice to Mike so that he can get it paid. Let Mike know who is doing Love for Lauren.

Ours:- Teams are signing up

Spring Fling: Nothing new was shared.

Fall Classic tournament: Nothing new was shared.

Halloween tournament: Nothing new was shared.

Background Checks: Must be done for all assistants and volunteers.

Uniforms and Spirit Wear: Orders have been placed. Once Drea has received orders from the vendor, she will check to make sure the player is registered prior to giving them their gear. Registration must be completed as this is an insurance piece. (Jen and Jeff's teams are complete) The pink belts and socks on the team store are a close match.

Helmets can be ordered by contacting Drea.

Let Drea know who is new to travel/tournament ball so that she can order them practice jerseys. Also let Drea know the sizes of new coaches' shirts.

Coaching: Coaches should be the ones contacting the board when there are issues. Parents should not be contacting the board on behalf of coaches.

CPR/AED/First Aid: Nothing new was shared.

Donations: Nothing new was shared.

CML/League information: Who is playing? Fall tournament 11/1 and 11/2.

USSSA/USA: Nothing new was shared.

Survey: Nothing new was shared.

Hall of Fame: Nothing new was shared.

Elections: Nothing new was shared.

Pins: Nothing new was shared.

Parent, Coaches and Players presentation/other: Will be done via zoom this this year. Drea will create links and send them out. Will be held at 8:00 pm on 9/3 and 9/4. All players and one parent as well as all coaches, assistant coaches and team moms need to attend one of the meetings prior to playing.

Self Help: We need 3 quotes each for dirt and shed. Donnie was asked to assist. Mike is going to see if we can hold off on doing the work until after the season has ended. The lips need to be cut as well as clay bricks and the pads on the backstop at A field.

Events:

Cascade Lights: Nothing new was shared.

Pool Party/Hall of Fame: May 29th.

Holiday Gathering: Nothing new was shared

Game Changer/Tournament App: Will try to use Tournament Team Snap.

Team Game Changer accounts should be owned by the head coaches.

Guest Players: Nothing new was shared.

Community Involvement/Information: Nothing new was shared.

Hot Shots Scholarship: Nothing new was shared.

For the Good of the group: Contact Mike with any issues during the week of 8/25. Mike will be unavailable as he will be recovering from surgery.

Dave Reese will be available to ask questions about rules. He will be coming to meetings and may show up at the fields.

Vince's thanked the organization for purchasing State Champs jackets for his team.