Club Meeting Agenda

March 24, 2025

Meeting Minutes

Date: March 24, 2025

Time: 8:00 pm

Location: Zoom

Board Members Attendance: Pete Maxwell, Katie Overturf, Ellen Frazier, Terry Larkin, Matt Beaugard, Brian VanBuskirk, Laura Eisemann. Jessica Starace, Valarie Dubbs, Andy Wilkes

Coaches Attendance: Nikki Scott 2015 B, Val Dubbs 2013 B, Chris Ballard 2017 B, Jason Adamski 2016 B Gold, Leo Kim 2012 B, Jess Starace 2012 B rampage; 2016 B Navy, Biran Walker 8 U girls; 12 U boys, Mike Diaz Pee Wees, Daniel Moser U8 Boys, John Bernardo U 8 Boys, Arianna Keller U 10 boys, Kim Plummber U 10/12 girls, Antyohy Armone U 10/12 girls, Jess Lanning U 8 girls, Ellen Frazier 12/13 girls, Ryan Ball 2014 Navy boys, Pat Vernisi 2014 B White, Ben Wattenmaker 2015 G, Jim Crawford 2009 Legends, Stacy Pokoriski 2011 girls, Stacy Anger 2016 G, Pete Maxwell 2009 G

Trainers: Andy Wilkes and Liam Woods

- Travel Update
    - Tryouts starring. Remind your current team to register. We have over 400 kids registered already. Deadline is 3/28.
    - Send in your drafts for your budgets. Use template that was circulated. If you aren't sure of the cost for up coming session, ask older teams etc. As they get older, the cost becomes higher.
    - Schedule sent out and blasted on social media. Check times and location.
    - Trainers run the tryouts. It will resemble a regular training session. Current players are being evaluated all year. They will be focused on the new players. If you cannot make it to every tryout, make sure you have some coach representation. Trainers will provide feedback to the age group coordinator about first teams.

- Please hold off having conversation with the parents until decisions have been made on the first team. They are going to try to save as many teams as they can.

- Fields/Scheduling Update
  - **Fields:**
    - You Can Book Me is our system for booking field resesrvations. You Can Book Me has been sent out to all travel coaches. The You Can Book Me site for intramural coaches is different from the one for travel coaches and will be sent out to intramural coaches in the coming days, but only if they are cleared by Val. **Asking for a volunteer for this remote position. 8-10 hours early March and Aug to work with School Liaison, IM, and Risk Management to get Google calendar blackout dates in and setup YCBM for the season.**
    - Fields are lined, but some nets may need installation. Goal frames from Heebner 5 need to be moved to Mt Kirk for 9v9 practice. SB is closed for practice this season due to high weekend traffic.
    - **(Intramurals):**Practices will be at Arcola. Arcola is lined with three 4v4 fields. Need a U 8 coach or teen volunteers to keep it lined (after 5:30p or on weekends). Some nets may need to be moved. Games will still be at Heebner. **Nets need to be moved from shed to Heebner 5 for April 5th. April 12th is a blackout day at Heebner 5 for a township event.**
    - IM needs their clearances in order to book field space.
    - Heebner 3 shut down. Heebner 2 will be lit for Academy. Heebner 1 will not be lit for Academy.
    - We will be split up for Travel between Variety and Heebner.
  - **Scheduling:**

        - April is entered into GotSport for Central League. May is coming. Please ask CL coaches to check GotSport against what they have. Thanks to everyone for detailed communication, it really helps. 30 percent more games this spring!
        - This position needs to be filled by June 30th. It's 10-15 hours a week from mid Feb to March and the same through August. **During the season, daily checks of email for updates/changes and availability to the assignor by phone is required.**
- IM Update
    - Schedule should be released by next weekend, hopefully on Wedesday. First game is supposed to be April 5th.
    - Photos will be 5/10 with rain date 5/11
    - Kits for IM are due to be in next week. The coaches will pass along the kits to their teams.
- Risk Management
    - IM coaches need to be cleared before they can book practices
        - 12 people are not cleared-they have been contacted.
        - Reach out to Val with any questions. Once you have all of your clearances are complete, reach out to Val and she will confirm.
        - No games or practces for IM unless cleared.
        - If there is ever an issue with IM refs, please let Val know. Please remember they are only 13/14 yo so be kind.
        - Make sure that parents are on the opposite side of the kids on games. Coaches should be next to the kids playing.
        - Anyone who is helping (sideline, sub etc)-they need their clearances as well. We can have people cover for coaches that are already cleared. Reach out to Val.
    - All travel coaches are cleared.

- Secretary Update
    - Meeting on 4/28/25 will be at Eagleville Taphouse. More details to follow. Save the Date
- President Update
    - Snack stand will be opening up soon.
    - Discussion of parent conduct on sidelines. Reach out to Pete with any questions or more information.
    - 26/27 Season will be a change from birth to school year. Grandfathering will take place with some of the older teams.

Next Meeting: 4/28/25-Eagleville Tap House. Details to follow.