Friends of Ironmen Football

Meeting Minutes

Monday, February 13, 2017

* Meeting was called to order at 6:07 PM by Karen Bussone.
* Minutes were presented by Jennifer Lowrance.
  + Minutes were approved as read.
* Karen Bussone presented the President’s report.
  + Parent meeting is June 12th, so FOIF meeting will be right after varsity meeting.
  + Karen Bussone shared that the executive board meet with Coach Temples on Thursday, February 9, 2016.
    - Coach shared that Hudl items that are needed are:
      * Yearly Hudl subscription payment
      * Sideline Hudl subscription payment
      * Hudl playbook subscription payment
      * New camera for use with Hudl
      * Sideline generator for TVs to be used for the coaches and players to view Hudl on the sideline
      * Hi-Pod Upgrade allows for the end zone camera to become a part of the Hudl viewing immediately
      * Coach would like for Yearly, Sideline, & Playbook Hudl along with Hi-Pod upgrade be paid by March
      * Total for the Hudl needs is $2644.
    - Coach shared that Program needs are:
      * Freshman coach salary to be continued to be paid for FOIF after position salary was cut do to monetary cuts in the district
      * Help with the increase in OSEC offseason personnel that help run off-season workouts.
      * Staff would like to have monthly awards during offseason to use as incentives.
      * Total for this section is $6030.
    - Coach shared that the wishes for the program are:
      * 1) 5 Man Sled ($5177)
        + Coach would like to have this piece of equipment by July if possible.
      * 2) Tackling Rings ($1328)
      * 3 & 4) Pop-Up Dummies ($1996) & Isolation Sled ($2085)
      * Karen has asked Julie to add these four wish pieces of equipment to be part of the sponsorship opportunities for companies in the community.
  + The Summer Calendar for camps and weightlifting are out. The week long camps are mandatory. The weightlifting days are the time to miss if need be.
  + Freshman parent meeting will most likely be towards the end of April.
  + The JV/Varsity meeting will June 12th.
* Lisa Lay presented about the Cash Bash.
  + Cash Bash is August 19th.
  + The Stadium Club has their scrimmage that day and time will not be able to get set up and out in the time allotted.
  + Lisa will be researching other venues to hold the Cash Bash at.
* Andrea Couillard
  + Balance started at $5852.23.
  + Income was $81.08
  + Expenses were $507.63
  + Ending balance was $5425.68
  + Checkbook balance was $15191.31
  + We need to add a line item for concessions. Average expenditure per game was around $1100.
  + 2017 Budget will be approved in August.
* There will be a meeting regarding Sponsorship on Wednesday, February 15.
* Fundraising still needs a chair
  + Applebee’s Pancake Breakfast (July 15)
    - We have 300 tickets to sell at $5 each.
    - We make $4 out of every $5.
    - We will need to provide at least 17 workers per hour. We would like for it to be players and parents.
    - The breakfast is from 8-10.
    - Jennifer will make a Sign Up Genius for parents and players to sign up to work.
  + HyVee is allowing us to lock in June 10-11 for our shopping days. That way we can hand flyers out during camp.
    - A hard copy of the flyer is needed for FOIF to get money.
  + Courtney will contact BWW about the dining for a percentage, team meal and possible sponsoring a player of the week.
  + Papa John is currently around $400
  + HyVee was $283
  + BWW was $274
* Lori Kiley has been making contact with various businesses that donate. She will keep us update.
* Fun Committee is still in need of a chair.
  + Saturday before Orange & Black scrimmage is decorate the stadium day and is usually planned by this position.
  + This position is also the one that:
    - plans and buys trinkets to be handed out to the students during certain games.
    - makes sure that pennants are in good shape, replaced and hung up
    - makes sure that fence wraps are hung up and taken down
  + Do we need this committee? Do we just want to plan a decorate the stadium day and put a Sign Up Genius out?
    - Lisa Lay motioned to eliminate the FUN Committee and change it to a Sign Up Genius for decorating needs.
    - Courtney Selle seconded.
    - The motion was carried by the majority.
* Concessions Committee is looking for game managers for each level to manage money and volunteers.
* Carlton Potts has agreed to be photography chair.
* Lisa Zbrozek has volunteered to be the Team Parent Coordinator.
* An Alumni Liaison is still needed.
  + Does any one know of someone that might be interested in this position?
  + We would like this person to get the alumni more involved in supporting the program.
    - Add a table at the tailgate welcoming the alumni
    - Karen will reach out to Jake Detmers, Troy Tevis and Coach Temples about reaching out to some alumni.
    - Jennifer will talk to her father, Rick Percy about gathering info from graduates in 60s.
    - Post on FB and Twitter that we are looking for football alum.
* We will follow up with Sean Kerr about the use of Student videographers and what he would like.
* Coach Temples is working with the 4 students that still owe us yard signs.
* We will be talking to senior players about possible Video Theme for 2017.
* The Girl’s Night Out is June 6th at the Olive Bin. We are looking to have Pampered Chef there that night. It is a night for moms and coaches’ wives and girlfriends to get together.
* Coach Temples is very supportive of providing some Community Service options for players (upperclassmen) to participate in. Miracle League and Special Olympics are two we will offer. We will also look into the golf outing sponsored by the Chapman family.
* There was a motion to fund the Hudl requests as well as the off-season monthly awards for $3644 by Andrea Coulliard.
  + Seconded by Courtney Selle
  + Motion carried by the majority.
* New Twitter is @NCHSFOIF
* The FOIF executive board will be meeting with NCWHS football executive board to brainstorm ideas for fundraising.
* Andrea Coulliard motioned to adjourn meeting at 7:27
  + Lisa Zborski seconded
  + The motion was carried by the majority

Next Meeting Monday, March 13 (6:00) in the Senior Cafeteria