Mater Dei Academy

Athletic Boosters

Minutes

June 13, 2019

Meeting opened at 7:37pm with a prayer

Present: Tom Madden, John Sweet, Joyce Menart, Dan Kilbane, Lori Ivancic, Steve

Absent: Keven Krajnak, Mike Gruss, Marty, and Ashley Kilbane

**Tom (Athletic Director):**

-Attended the CYO Athletic Directors membership conference. Information from that meeting is as follows:

-CYO considering change and allowing an open registration to ALL kids, not just parish/school kids. (nothing is official as of yet, but seems to be what will occur in the near future)

-All Spring Sport uniforms were checked in by Steve and put away in the back building. Since there is no spreadsheet for checking out/in uniforms, Steve aims to change that and create something that makes uniform hand out and collection easier and more organized.

-Football: MDA is prepared for 1 MDA/OLOL/SJM team. Any teams after that will be considered based upon registration numbers.

-Registration numbers for Fall 2019:

-1 flag football team (1st-3rd grade coed)

-1 cheerleading registration

-53 vb players and 5 coaches as of 6/13/19

-OLMC parish calendar out. Tom sending to Marty for tournament dates.

-IC. No information from them as far as gym availability in Fall.

-Fall Sports Coaches meeting: Thursday, July 11 at 7pm (right before Booster meeting, in the hopes that some of the coaches might stay and attend the Booster meeting. )

-Fall Sports Parent meeting: Tuesday, July 23.

-Plan is to separate out Football meeting from other Fall Sports. Hope to reduce some chaos and be a bit more organized for all the sports if they are separated.

-Adlers to do a Spirit Store, coaches jerseys, and 8th grade warmups (once #’s are in)

-Recruitment for Booster help:

-Lori Skillicorn: volunteer coordinator/Sign up Genius

-Kay Vrban: IC Concessions?

Dave Walter: Site Director help at tournament?

-Discussion about giving coaches access to Privit for their team’s emergency contact numbers.

-FB uniforms (jerseys--have been ordered. The balance due is $380 (grant money covered majority of cost) Discussion was had about uniform pants. Waiting until we find out the number of registrations for purchase. Board or parents purchase? Nothing conclusive on issue, however most seem to favor Boosters paying, since fb is so expensive in the first place.

-Tom and Keven had a meeting with Joanie (Principal) and Father Behrend concerning giving teaching staff more leadership roles in CYO Boosters. For example, the issue of getting continuity within the Board. Tom and Keven suggested the possibility of having P.E. teacher take that role. They argue he has ear of administration, can stay in position longer for more continuity, and can be given a stipend for his work.

-John Sweet “issue” concerning situation where 8th grade vb players suggested John told them they were not invited to play with MDA, despite the fact they didn’t have a team at their school. John had all correspondence to prove otherwise and has had communication with the families welcoming to MDA if they so choose to play.

**John Sweet (volleyball commissioner)**

-Looking into both NEO and Force Sports gym availability for vb tryouts and early August practices. Also suggested the possibility of Browning Ctr in Willoughby if needed.

-Number of vbs: 52 volleylites and 27 regular balls. Not sure of the quality of all the balls, but will re-evaluate in Fall and possibility of purchasing more (as needed).

**Steve (uniform coordinator)**

-Planning on creating a new system for uniform distribution. Will implement in Fall 2019.

-XC new uniform jerseys only to be purchased. Black bottoms purchased by parents.

**Dan Kilbane (President)**

Golf Outing / First of and Annual event (June 8, 2019)

-$3700 raised ($300 YETI raffle)

-48 golfers

-Many compliments on food and overall experience

-50/50 money was donated back to the Boosters

-Extra plates/bowls for next year

-NO Fall Sports raffle this year, due to the success of the Golf Outing

-Gym floor discussion: Dan has calls in to 2 different companies and will discuss at future Booster meetings.

Meeting concludes with a Hail Mary said by the Board at 8:34pm

Respectfully submitted by : LORI IVANCIC