

Watertown Mayer Youth Basketball Association

Monday, March 23rd

Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Shawn Killian, President; Kevin Schroeder, Vice President; Tim Wabbe, Treasurer; Danette Painschab, Secretary; Randy Ragner, Tournament Director; Noah Mueller, Equipment Manager; Jeremy Barnhart, K-4 coordinator

Also in attendance were:

Adam Rowan

Jodene Heldt

Darwin Pellett

Financials:

Treasurer Tim gave the officers a current accounting statement.

We don't get reimbursed for the refs for 4th grade because the league doesn't require there be refs at the games. We hosted 32 4th grade games during the 2014-15 season. Randy will check with Jason from the Waconia League. We tabled this topic until the next meeting.

Total entry fees for tournaments were \$10,610. Tim will work on a form for the coaches to complete to make the process for registering for tournaments easier for the coaches and also for Tim.

4th grade tournament – we had enough teams to pay for the cost of the refs. With concession and door we make about \$3500 from that tournament. Next year the cost for the 4th grade tournament will be increased to \$125 per team.

Our tournaments definitely subsidize the cost of the registration fees to keep our program affordable.

Coaches for 2015-16

Discussion was held on who would be coaching for the 2015-16 season.

4th grade has enough for one team. They will need to have some girls play with the 5th graders to fill that team. Can they have tryouts? This will be decided next year when we see who is signed up.

Jodene will coach the 5th grade girls team.

Shawn will coach 6th grade girls

Rob Illies will coach 7th grade girls

Noah will coach 8th grade girls

Jeremy will coach 4th grade boys

5th grade boys will be coached by Noah, Ed Rundell and Adam Rowan

6th grade boys - Kevin. We will need another coach for the B team

7th grade boys will be Darwin and Robb

8th grade boys - Tim Wabbe. He is not sure they will have enough for a second team next year.

Shawn will call 4th grade girls, 7th grade girls and 6th grade boys B-team and 7th grade boys B-team so see if they are still interested in coaching.

The 6th grade boys – Some of the coaches want to break into two tournament teams and one league team. Some of the coaches don't want to make that change. Shawn will contact all the parents. If all the parents are in agreement to have two tournament teams and one league team, then they can do it. If there are any parents against it, then we will keep 3 equal teams since that is how the association has it set up.

Officers for 2015-16

President – Shawn Killian

Vice President – Kevin Schroeder

Treasurer – Tim Wabbe

Secretary – Adam Rowan

Tournament Director – Randy Ragner

Equipment Coordinator – Noah Mueller

K-3 Coordinator – Possibly Dave Ostlie with Jeremy Barnhart to assist during the transition

Still need a volunteer coordinator. Noah will contact LaRita Fenske who has indicated she may be able to help.

Uniform Coordinate – Shawn will take this year.

Parent Volunteers – we had some parents that didn't volunteer. We will need to cash their checks. Next year Tim will add an "opt out" option to the registration. The opt out option will have a higher fee associated with it.

For the next meeting:

- 1) Set tournament dates and mini-camp dates