

May 18, 2016
Blaine Bengal Dugout Club Meeting Minutes
7:00pm BHS Room 101

Board Members:

Ernie Johnson – President
Mark Sonaglia – Vice President
Mike Laciskey – Treasurer
Diane Mullins – Secretary
Scott Wuertz – Senior Parent
Pete Riola – Junior Parent
Deanne Miller – Sophomore Parent
Chad Spencer – Freshman Parent

Board in attendance: Ernie, Mark, Mike, Deanne, Chad, Diane

Others in attendance:

Not in attendance: Eric, Pete, Scott

1. Finance Update
 - a. Continue to pursue Signage sponsorships: Mike gave Mark the check for Clive's sign; He will pick up & have hung at BBC. Ernie will contact Jerome at the city and have the plaque engraved with all Sponsors, then hang at BBC Home dugout facing stands.
 - b. Scholarships - We have (2) \$250 each scholarships budgeted. Diane will send out email will application link to Seniors, Eric will message thru Hudl & Twitter; Due June 1
 - c. VFW & Legion tournaments fees are paid
2. Team / Development / Training - Sign up status - Re-sent all emails again May 16
 - a. Summer Strength Training BHS
 - b. Summer Speed Training by Acceleration at BHS
 - c. Registration for Summer teams
3. Senior Night Update - Mike: Monday May 23 7-10pm BBC; (weather permitting) Hang Picture board at 1pm, 4:30pm Student Arrival, 4:45pm They will begin Introducing Seniors and read their questionnaire responses
 - a. Mom's will get flower
 - b. Dad's will get Baseball signed by all the baseball players in lieu of previous plan
4. Player Banquet Update - Mike & Julie Laciskey
 - a. Confirmed for Sunday, June 5th, 2016 5:30PM Majestic Oaks.
 - b. No raffle allowed as we are not 501(c)
 - c. Re-sent Email reservation & payment Due May 26
5. Additional fundraising ideas.
 - a. Pete has nearly completed the website for Fundraiser sales- Ernie suggested we hold off on any further sales until we decide how proceeds will be used.
 - b. Deanne - CUB fundraiser scheduled at Northtown location November 19 10am-6pm; The Blaine location won't commit until after January 1, 2017.

6. [501\(c\)\(3\) tax exempt organization; Ernie](#)- Because the Dugout club let license expire for past 5 years, we must go to St Paul Licensing center and have State of MN re-instate as non-profit and discuss what club plans are, Complete Application, Pay fee's, wait for processing. Ernie will do once season & school year is complete.
7. [Next Meeting](#) - Because of Travel & VFW games, Next Meeting will be Wed July 13