

South Lyon Panthers
May 2 2016 meeting

Meeting called to order at 700 pm

Roll Call: All Present

May Agenda: Motion to approve Robert , seconded by Carlo. Motion approved

April Minutes: Motion to approve Robert, seconded by Maria. Motion approved

Call to the Public: None at this time

Managers report:

Football: There was no meeting last month because only 3 communities were present. Lakes Area Hawks are going to review LCAJFL by-laws and see if we can work with their group to become a member of the LCAJFL.

Cheer : The league has decided that there will be no music allowed for the cheer portion of the competition. There will be an invitational competition at Whitmore Lake no date has been set yet. Cheerfest will be October 23 at Hamburg.

Treasurer: 1 bill is still outstanding to Riddell.

Cheer Equipment: Nothing at this time

Football Equipment: Nothing at this time

Events Manager: September 11 will be the golf outing at Cat Tails.

Volunteering: Nothing at this time

Registration: Nothing at this time.

Old Business: Nothing at this time

New Business:

Numbers for the freshman teams are low this year. Currently there are only 16 per team with the current numbers. If we reduce the teams to 4 colors/teams then we would have 20 per team. 2 Options that we could do would be to reduce the number of teams or push to recruit more kids. We could either have a picnic or bowling night. If we decide to recruit then it must be done in May. If we reduce the teams we wouldn't have to follow the rule that states the last team added would be the first team eliminated because we are not eliminating a full color at all three levels just reducing the team at the freshmen level. If we decide to reduce a team we would draft the kids to all five colors then the freshmen on the reduced team would be placed on one of the four remaining teams for this year. This way we would not lose the number of kids on the reduced color as they move up to higher levels. Next year the kids that were originally drafted to the reduced color team would then return to the original color they were drafted to. After a discussion with the freshmen coaches and board it is decided that we will have one more push to recruit kids. If we do not recruit enough kids then we will discuss playing at a lower number or reducing the freshmen teams by 1 team.

Youth Assistance- we need to determine if youth assistance should be provided to families when they didn't volunteer the previous year. Robert makes a motion that starting in 2016 if a family is receiving youth assistance to pay for Panthers Football the they must volunteer the required number of volunteer hours. If they don't volunteer then the following year they are not eligible for youth assistance. Motion seconded by Mike. Motion approved

Motion to adjourn 9 pm by Nicole seconded by Maria . Motion approved