

Date: November 4, 2021
 Time: 8:30
 Location: Oak Avenue

Sports Reports

Sport	Comments
Baseball	Opening registration in early december; Spring rec season starts in March
Softball	Rec ended 2 weeks ago. Played other townships so more games for girls in town. Travel went well and had 3 successful tournaments. We had 12 travel teams this year (including younger kids)
Track	None
Boys Lacrosse	Registration begins soon with practices beginning late feb/early march and games mid march
Girls Lacrosse	Registration is open; The league has secured indoor space; The season runs the same dates as boys lacrosse; ratings are January 30 for 12 U and 14U
Street Hockey	850 kids have registered which is the highest ever. Practices have started. The season starts with an opening tournament Thanksgiving weekend (starts Friday afternoon); We maxed out on rink time.
Cheerleading	None
Soccer	No report
Football	All is going well. There are 2 weekends left in the regular season. In 2 weeks, there will be a homecoming and cheerleader appreciation week. It looks like there will be few teams that make playoffs. Th sport will be reviewing its budget after the season to get budget for next year and make sure equipment is in good shape.
Field Hockey	Field hockey has 2 weekends left and then the season will be wrapped up . Kristin Gipe is the treasurer and is attending. The Season went well.
Basketball	None
Flag Football	Open registration first week of new year. Start play in mid to late March
Wrestling	Everything going well



SUP	Started volleyball season (through end of November) and then basketball in January
Golf	None
Volleyball	Looking to get gym space at Cherokee for Tuesday and Thursday nights. The season will start in the Spring, with two age groups for the first season.

Township Reports

Organization	Comments
Evesham Township	None
Evesham Board of Ed	None
LRHSD	None
Elks	None

Old Business

None

New Business

Finance: \$376,012.30 Travel; \$147,248.18 G&A; \$626,665.46 In Town; \$1,149,925.94 Total

- Minutes now will be posted in draft form on the website so they can be reviewed before the next meeting.
- The pilot for the new scheduling software for M1 and M2 should be starting in January
- The Executive Board thanks fundraising for doing good job. We have \$40,000 in commitments, the majority of which already is paid (still waiting on three signs to come in and we will receive payment on those when they are done). According to our agreement with the Township, so our annual payment to the Township is satisfied and we will have revenue coming in off of the sign sales.
- Carl Bittenbender is heading up by-law and policy committee and will be organizing the policies and reviewing the by-laws to suggest changes.
- All commissioners must give the MRC their sport-specific by laws and policies. Otherwise default is to MRC general policies and code of conduct.
- Individual sports budgets are due by 11/14. Failure to submit the budgets can result in an inability for the sport to get checks cut or their loss of use of fields or courts.



7. The audit is done (clean) and taxes will be in on time.
8. The MRC website is being revamped. If you have a chance, have sport person make sure anything on your website, you have a backup of (rules, dates, rating system, etc.). Ongoing in background and hope to have it up in the next 3 months.
9. Remember, it is the responsibility of coaches to (1) check field of play to make sure it is safe (make sure coaches know they need to do this before every practice and every game) and (2) no sports outdoor if there is thunder or lightning. Reminder to coaches on policies.
10. Coach approvals are going very well. Basketball and hockey both close to being complete. There was a glitch on background checks where the link did not work, but the link is fixed. For spring sports, commissioners should be proactive letting potential coaches know what they need (Rutgers, background check & concussion). Rutgers is online. Link on website.
11. Player safety is paramount, but in no situation should anyone ever berate a referee. If the game is getting out of hand and players may get hurt, do not yell at ref (this is never acceptable) but you can pull the team off if they are in danger.
12. Waiting to hear on grant for SUP.
13. If your sport needs space, let us know.

In Attendance

Scott Tarzy, Erin Bittenbender, Jim Graziano, Adam Ryan, Rock Brown, Tracey Butterline, Christine Chrysler, Frank Donnely, Nicole Gilchrist, Mark Von Berg, Kristin Gipe, Bob Kibler, Joe Robb, Nicole Salabritas, Jim Spicer, Kevin Stone, Jennifer Yocum, Jennifer Williams

Excused Absence

Meeting Adjourned:



