

February 2023 Dugout Club Meeting Minutes

Attendees – Tiffany Godfrey, Bree Stuflick, Denise Richmond, Ted Erickson, Jen Kinney, Samantha Thomas, Laurie Curnow, Al Stauffacher, Eric Potvin, Kari Parkos, Karen Clark, Mary Plankers (Phone)

- January Meeting Minutes – Approved
- Financial update:
 - Sponsorship money starting to come in
 - Ted is buying player pack supplies
 - Jackets arrived and Paid for
 - Ted going to Hockey board meeting to request 4k donation
- Events & Sponsorships:
 - Events
 - Home Opener, Community night, Youth Night, Senior night, and Teacher night
 - Still working on sponsors for all these nights
 - Looking for singers
 - Recruiting for possible parents to help with the themed nights
 - Baseball coaches will have donation boxes outside of classroom for Community night (Hope for Youth)
 - Jen and Mary will email an updated to the Dugout club with updates on everything Events & Sponsorships
- Parent meeting:
 - Scheduled for Wednesday March 29th at 7pm
 - Board will meet at 5pm to put player packs together
 - Player packs will be given out at the parent meeting with additional apparel for sale.
- End of year banquet – Majestic Oaks
 - Will not be doing grill station due to staffing shortages
 - Room Rental fee
 - Per person charge for backyard BBQ
 - Scheduled for June 11th from 5:30pm-7:30pm
 - Approximately 90 attendees
- Technology – Ted Erickson
 - Chat.openai.com/chat – available to all board members for use
 - Rapsodo - Blaine Baseball program getting this technology.
 - Will provide charts, graphs and video as a recruitment tool.

- Cost roughly \$4k for initial purchase and \$1,500 for yearly membership.
 - Will be an evaluation tool for try-outs
 - Board approved this purchase
 - Trial for Huddle
 - This will also be used for statistics and film
 - Another recruitment tool
- Fundraising
 - Raffle tickets are in
 - Keri Parkos and Karin Clark volunteered to help with the raffle tickets
 - Tiff will meet with Colleen regarding this and report the information to Keri and Karin.
 - Cub Foods – 4/1 – 109th and University, 10am-6pm, 1 adult and 4 boys per shift
 - Cub Foods – 4/2 – 65/Main Street, 10am-6pm, 1 adult and 5-6 boys per shift
 - This will go out March 25th after teams have been formed
 - B.A.L.L. Evaluation help, 3/3, 5-9pm at P5 Sports, 10-12 players.
 - B.A.L.L. will donate \$500 to Blaine Baseball for this help
 - Sam will set up Signup Genius for this
- Summer baseball
 - We are looking for a new board member to take over these duties
 - Al will put together a PDF Registration form
 - Sam will put registration form on the website

Next meeting is March 8th at 5pm at the High School