



Monthly Meeting Minutes

March 15, 2023

- 1) President Mike Prendergast:
 - a) [Minutes](#)
 - b) Attendance
 - c) President's Report
 - i) OSAA Baseball/Softball registration has started. I know it's a little lower than last year, but with the River Valley league now, hopefully that helps with scheduling and competitiveness and getting more kids ready for future levels
 - ii) Don't know if this is new business or what, but we need to update sports handbooks saying if you are thrown out, fan/athlete/coach, sit out following the game.
 - iii) Also, defibrillators. We should probably buy 2-3 for Fort Hardy/Schuylerville Park. Thoughts?
 - (1) Corey Helwig will look into getting them through the Fire Dept. Will need to keep them accessible to coaches
 - iv) I slacked on coaching background checks for hoops. My apologies. Please get me your coaching list for Spring so I can harass.
- 2) Vice President Report (Alex Zuis):
 - a) **Basketball Commissioner (Rick) will be phasing out as his daughter ages out. Looking for new commissioner**
 - b) **The Robotics club has dissolved. They have bottle drive as you cross over bridge near Fort Hardy. They will be donating/transitioning bottles to OSAA**
- 3) Secretary Report (Kristen Palmer): **7th/8th graders can play in the Tournaments. Schuylerville did not participate this year. Reached out to Matt Steinfort who said that parents have brought teams in the past. Just something to be aware of as kids age out of OSAA travel leagues**
- 4) Treasurer's Report (Katrina Benamati):
 - a) **February Report is almost complete. waiting on one transaction. Reach out for budgets if anyone has any questions**
- 5) Communications Report (vacant):
- 6) Commissioner Reports
 - a) Soccer (Jon Warner/Kristin Becht): **Finishing up Phase 2 of indoor soccer. This was a success and kids had fun. Challenger Summer camp 7/31-8/4**
 - b) Football (Amanda Warner/Jeremiah Englehart): **Registration hopefully 4/1. Concerned if FH is under construction. May need to look into fields in Terrell Hills. League is looking into shortening flag field size**
 - c) Cheerleading (Brandi Doe): **absent. Amanda reports they extend Cheerleading competitions to 7th/8th graders**
 - d) Baseball (Dale McCarthy and Greg Milligan): **Numbers are down this year, specifically T-ball and Rookie ages. Will be competing in the River Valley League. Draft scheduled 3/26. 20% off Dicks coupon is this weekend. Store with new logo to open soon.**
 - e) Softball (Dale McCarthy and Greg Milligan):
 - f) Basketball (Rick Schwerd and Rebecca Milligan): **absent**
 - g) Wrestling (vacant): **Great turnouts at local tournaments. Brought 15 kids to Cambridge for a mini tournament with Salem/Cambridge and Granville. Kids had a blast and loved it. Little inexperienced but did well**
 - h) Field Hockey (Katelynn Ethier): **Had 15 girls signed up for Burnt Hills tourney which was canceled due to the storm. Had 3 great practices. Will be offering K-6 instructional practices on the turf sundays. Registration for fall to begin in May.**
 - i) Commissioner at Large (Nate Kocak):
- 7) Public Comments:
- 8) Old Business:
- 9) New Business:

10) Announce next OSAA meeting dates:

Wednesday, April 19, 2022 @ 7:30 pm at American Legion

Wednesday, May 17, 2022 @ 7:30 pm at American Legion

Wednesday, June 21, 2022 @ 7:30 pm at American Legion