

Blaine Youth Football

Board Meeting Minutes
June 1st 2014 6:01 PM at Brunswick Rm #3

Board Members Present

Ken Downey, Darrell Colman, Jim Ristow, Heather Erickson, Brian Koste, Scott Sandberg and Eric Hargrove

Advisory Members Present

Tom Develice and Jessica Villa

Advisory Members Absent

Jason Byers and Amy Maurer

Community Members Present

Dan Schmitz, Bryan Erickson, Julie and Steve Boettcher, Al Shilla, Rob Logan, Katie and Dan Brouillard, Kim and duWayne Bauman, Rebecca and Todd Olson, Diego Villa, Len Zenk, Mr. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Powers, Curt Carlson and Doug Berands (if I forgot someone I am sorry)

Team Formation

- Open discussion between coaches, parent and board members
- 6:00 until 7:10

Grade Level Commissioners

- Scott to take lead on commissioners
- Prospective commissioners
 - o 2nd – Heather Erickson
 - o 3rd –
 - o 4th – Kristina Strand
 - o 5th –
 - o 6th – Mark Bryant
 - o 7th –
 - o 8th – Jessica Villa
- *Action Items*
 - o *Need to find 3 more commissioners*

Treasurer Report

- \$1039.95 needs to be paid to Eric Hargrove for legal services
- \$10 needs to be paid to Brian Koste for business list (possibly can get refund from city)
- Ken to take point on the BALL loan from BSLPAA
- \$1000 grant from Riddell on equipment
 - o Has to be on equipment – specials on website
 - o Spend it within the next 30 days
 - 6 in favor of letting Darrell take the lead on what to purchase

Potential Blaine Sponsors

- Brian hasn't received list from the city – he will contact again to get a possible refund of his money, we found list in a different location
- Once list is acquired we will split list up and make contact with businesses for sponsorships
- Kick – Off Committee will update businesses contacted for raffle/auction items, nooverlap business.
- Martinizing will be donating discounted rate for the washing of jerseys – this will get them our "touchdown Club" Sponsorship level
- *Action Items*
 - o *Split and distribute list to board members*

6- 8th Evaluations

- Evaluation held on Sunday July 27th
 - o At BHS, 5 – 9 pm staggered starts for each grade level
 - o High School Players to help evaluate 15 -20 kids
 - o Players to wear old number jerseys to ease in evaluations
 - In shed and Coach Develice has some
 - o Coaches to help out during evaluations
 - o Open to all players – optional for players staying with current team, mandatory for players new to the program or choosing to enter the draft
- *Action Items*
 - o *Evaluating*
 - *Finalization needed*
 - o *Need at least 4 volunteers to help with height, weight and check in*
 - o *Spreadsheet for evaluators and coaches*

6- 8th Draft Details

- July 29th and 30th 7:30 at BHS
- Allowed at draft
 - o Head Coach and 3 assistants per team allowed
 - o Grade Level Commissioner and 1 or 2 Board Members (who are not grade level coaches)

Open Topic

- Change Date of Coaches Clinic with the HS to July 24th
- Coach Develice work to get Huddle working for BYF
- Darrell to make contact with Jerome about securing the football side of the shed