

Blaine Youth Football

Feb 10, 2019
7:04 PM – 9:01 PM
Blaine City Hall

Board Members Present

John Daniels, Bill Shaughnessy, Jennifer Kinney, Jody Lindquist, Eric Hargrove, Ken Downey, Scott Holtzleicer, Kristina Stickney, Rick Japor

Advisory Members Present

Darrell Coleman

Community Members Present

Key Dates

- Any issues with dates? Move up evaluations, draft, equipment hand out and practice start times? **Jen will send Key Dates to everyone for review prior to next meeting.**

Review of Bylaws, League Philosophy, Website changes

- Any suggested changes or corrections? **Code of Ethics – remove SLP, remove Eric's Phone #, Blaine Camp 2016, Volunteers 2016, update/remove dates. Make sure everything is current. Kristine will make changes.**

Registration

- Anything to do yet? **Flyers – Eric has them. Print at print central once we have approval from AH. Jen and Jody will take care of getting approval and getting printed. Scott said he can help deliver to schools. Fees will remain the same (\$75 for FREE LUNCH, \$100 for REDUCED LUNCH students – voted – all in favor. Summer Camp cost? Check with HS Coach.**
- **Check to see how many signs we have at next meeting. Do we need more?**

School Carnivals

- **Kristina signed up? Dates? Who is helping? Kristina got permission to use Blaine's mascot suit. Will have Football Toss, need to get Football Cards (Bill?), Beads (Eric will order), Candy (Kristina will pick up)**
- **Johnsville Elementary - Friday, March 29th, 2019 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM Jen, Kristina, Sean Robideau**
- **McKinley Elementary - Friday, April 26th, 2019 time TBA Bill, Scott, Kristina**
- **Roosevelt Activity night? Northdale? Roosevelt is 2/28. Jen and Kristina will look into possibly being there. Mascot (snap chat Filter?)**

Skills Clinics

- **Spring Youth Skills night? Talk to new HS coach. Still offering? Last year was on 2 Sundays 4/7 and 4/28. Include Higher skill level training**
- **Lineman, Kicking, QB clinics? Didn't have last year. Ask new HS Coach?**
- **Youth Summit through MSHSL?? Haven't heard**

Commissioners

- Flag – Rick
- 2/3 – Scott
- 4-6 – John
- 7/8 - Eric

Voted – 6 in favor – passed

Kristina will update on website and Remove Jason Byers for Player Safety

Coaches

- Who will be in charge of coaches? Maybe John?
- Glazier Clinic was this weekend. Did any coaches attend? Mystic Lake. Darrell went. Far drive but went well. Smashroutes was there. Readdress at a Fall meeting, coaches need to be aware of time changes at some of the schools.

Fundraising

- Review options – Heggies Yes, Chipotle Yes, Chickfila No, Cains Yes.
- Family Fun Lab?? \$10 cards – cost \$5 – sell at camps/equipment hand out? Jen to look into.
- Ham Lake Lions?? Jen will go to a future meeting to try to get a donation
- USA Football Grant – John? Turned in.
- Vfw – scott will f/u
- Other possible fundraising opportunities –
 - Invictus – Kristine will look into?
 - Toppers Pizza – Club West
 - Purse Bingo? SLP Lions?

Sponsorship

- Kristina to take this over? Yes. 2x2 spots
- Signage at Lexington and BBC fencing and scoreboard – 5 spots avail.
- Eric and Kristina will work on getting final pricing determined so a proposal can be created.
- Boosterclub meeting on 23rd?

Equipment

- Any outstanding equipment from turn in? 4 outstanding, flag?
- Helmets? Will not recertify
- Pant cleaning? Eric will pick up
- Controllers – Did Kristina check into tracking devices? Tile cost \$20 per year. Have teenagers run scoreboards? Ken will figure out how many games and costs for 5-8th grade.
- Repair Kits? \$5.25 per case. Put together at shed cleaning.
- Shed Cleaning? May? Need Jersey inventory by end of March.

Field Improvements

- Bleachers at BBC – table til spring
- Net behind Field Goal at bbc and pads on posts - march

Open Topics

- HS Scholarship – any applications received? None yet. Post on FB? Need member to

- present to winner in May **double check with new coach**
- Sportsline contract all set? **Bill will take care of ASAP**
- Key lock box for shed? **Need copies – eric?**
- Blaine Football Tournament? **Andover Tournament was free to join? Will offer to teams. Will not join as a league.**
- One Stop Workshop 2/23 – Kristina will attend and report back in March. Anyone else want to attend?
- **Practice fields – April or May reserve Roosevelt and Northdale.**

Next Board Meeting

- March 10, 2019 **Jody and Scott will be gone.**
- Everyone will review Key Dates