

White Bear JO Volleyball Board Meeting Minutes
8/10/10
at Teresa Akermark's - Vadnais Hts.

Members Present: Kim Bocklund, Liz Wilcox, Brian Teschendorf, Rachael Schmeig, Deb Glasgow, Teresa Akermark, Ann Catlin, Stacy Hinz (late), Dan Frey Absent: Maria Jackson, Roger Linnell Potential Members: Jill Schwartz, Elissa Kovala, Karen Larson, Rachel Churchill

Introductions – Introductions were made for Rachel Churchill.

Treasure Update – Liz

- Liz went through the updated Budget report and miscellaneous expenses to date.
- There is pending cost for the storage unit rental and side discussion about donating some unused equipment.
- There are old documents that Liz will go through and destroy anything over 7 years.
- Budget carry over will be close to last years to cover start up expenses this fall.

Revised Payment Policy - Dan

- Brian included the notification letter on the cancellation of the deferred payment option in the season end survey e-mail. He will also post it on the website.

Season End Survey – Brian, Dan

- Brian said that there were 27 responses received.
- Dan went over some of the feedback and comments and passed a copy for the Boards review. Most feedback was positive and several good suggestions. 2 people expressed interested in joining the board. Dan will contact them about their interest.

Website Update – Brian

- Brian continues to update information about the HS Team and league.
- Brian is working to tweak the online registration to better screen applicants for the district. He will also update Foundation IX info.

“The Gym Update” – Dan, Deb

- Dan said that he has placed several calls to get an update on status but has not heard back. Deb said that they were not eligible for some special funding and are currently on hold.

“Coaching Duties” Update - Rachael

- Rachael said that she has the info previously discussed and is working incorporating it into the pamphlet.

New business:

Coaching Recruitment - Rachael

- Rachael said she will review numbers. She has received 1 new application.
- Rachael said there is one coach from last season that should be reviewed by the Personnel committee if she is to return. She suggested that we only interview new candidates.
- Brian will post “coaching positions on web site. Dan will contact local area colleges to post on their employment sites.

Important Dates for 2010: “Tentative”

Registration:

- Registration will be “Online Only” (* except for 12’s) Registration for 13 – 17 will close Oct. 31, 2010. *We will allow walk up registration at tryouts for 12”s to help increase participation. Invite middle/elementary school girls to come to a HS practice.

Tryouts:

- 12’s Monday Nov. 8, 2010
- 13 – 17’s Sunday Nov.14, 2010 (same times as last year)

Player/Parent Meeting:

- Tuesday Nov. 30, 2010 (same times as last year)

Uniforms – Melanie, Ann

Melanie said that she will work to stay in the same price range as last year. They will look for a new “local” vendor for warm ups. Deb suggested that they talk to her before going to Hisdahl’s.

Fundraising:

- Deb will resend “Team Sponsorship Letter” to board members to pursue additional sponsors.
- Kim said that we will be bagging at Cub –WBT on Nov. 6th. We will look for better participation.
- Deb mentioned Applebee’s and Buffalo Wild Wings as additional fundraising possibilities. Kim will look into these as well.

The Board thanked Teresa for hosting tonight’s meeting.

Next Meeting: Monday October 4, 2010 at 6:30 pm. at South Campus cafeteria.