

Palmer Township Athletic Association

General Membership Meeting

January 20, 2022
Charles Chrin Community Center

Call to order: 8:02 PM

Members Present:

Dave Dumpel, Brian Weiss, Lyne Blodgett, Jen Swinsburg, Laura Bachman, Greg Duff, Jake Ruggles, Kevin Walton, Chuck Romfo, Dawn Ackerman, Chase DiNardo, Bill Stocker, Mark Cosover,

Presentation: Presentation of jackets/sweatshirts to Coach Ritter's Boys U13 Soccer team. Undefeated season and Garcia Cup Championship winners. Players and parents present.

Motion: by Jen Swinsburg to accept the December minutes. Second by Jake Ruggles.
Passed

Motion: by Laura Bachman to accept the December treasurer's report. Second by Kevin Walton. **Passed**

Motion by Laura Bachman to Amend treasurer's report: Line 8 should read \$74,340.34. Second Craig Conner, **Passed**.

Sports Reports:

Lacrosse: Laura Bachman

Registration is open. Need girl's coaches. 1-2 boy's coaches needed for 5-6. Girl's numbers are low. Combine teams. Recruiting coaches was discussed and running coach clinic. Can girls play for boys' team?

Motion: NTE \$630.00 (\$200.00 for Pre-K in house program T-shirts, \$200.00 for 10 coaches shirts, \$230.00 (for helmet stickers) Second by Brian Weiss **Passed**

Soccer: Brian Weiss

Motion: \$200 league fees and \$297.85 for socks. Second by Jake Ruggles **Passed**

Basketball: Bill Stocker

League play started. Schedule is problematic. There have been several meetings with the league. Possible new league next year. Parents should voice concerns to coaches. 13 in-house K-1 teams. 65 boys, 40 girls.

Motion: \$1057.15 for XXL uniforms, in house team shirts and basketballs Second by Jake Ruggles. **Passed**

Field Hockey: Tina Walton
No Report

Softball: Jake Ruggles

Pitching Clinics: \$240.00 check submitted for clinic. Coach McIntyre, his daughters and EAHS softball players are running the clinic. Possible to reimburse Palmer players and donate to EAHS softball program.

Upper Baseball: No report

Lower Baseball: Greg Duff

Registration is open. Met with local area commissioners to discuss league options. Staying with current league. Looking into other vendors for equipment for the Youth Center.

Wrestling: Chase DiNardo

Varsity is a young team. They are 4-6. On 1/2/22 Holiday Duel made \$2125.00 from 6 teams, \$1800.00 from snack stand and Door \$868.00. Possibility of hosting an individual tournament for more opportunities for kids and for profit.

Cheering: Jen Swinsburg
No report.

Football: Mark Cosover

The 1st weekend in August is tentatively scheduled for the opening ceremony for the new Youth Center. Will try to schedule away games to allow field space for the Pre-Season Soccer tournament.

Fundraising: Tina Walton

Looking into Terracycle - recycling program, Clothing drive and Pub Crawl
5 Below fundraiser is first week of February

Equipment: Jen Swinsburg for Mary Sook

2 baseball jerseys have not been returned

Board Report:

LVHN: Agreement document reviewed and signed. Partnership established. \$ for the first floor of the Youth Center and scoreboard. Mark Cosover is looking into Nevco to come to the Executive board meeting for a presentation on scoreboard options. Looking into All American Scoreboard as well.

Looking into a new registration system to replace TeamSnap due to issues with archived teams and communication with families.

New Business:

Motion: by Laura Bachman \$630.00 for Liability Insurance payment. Second by Brian Weiss **Passed**

\$72.01 for checks and \$11.60 for stamps to Greg Duff. Second by Jen Swinsburg **Passed**

Motion: to adjourn by Kevin Walton, seconded by Tina Walton at 9:17 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Dawn Ackerman for Doug McTighe
Secretary