

NCYF Board Meeting
2/28/18
Minutes

Attending: Kevin Brown, Suzanne Harrison, Ike Groff, Tom Sanseverino, Chris McKiernan, Todd Gilbert (via phone), Brett Wilderman, Mike Regan, Ben Sibbett, Mike Benevento, Courtenay Brown, Chris Silvestri

Not Present: Marjorie Furman, Katrina Kaupp, Dave Cannon, Dave Koch, Denis LaPolice

Minutes approved

Budget

- Last year numbers were higher, allowed us to make donation to athletic foundation
- Fields 1 and 2 turf went down Monday, middle to end March ready (need 2-3 weeks 45 degree temps to be ready)
- Well balanced budget
- Fees going up \$5K to pay additional administrative fees and to fund new helmets and other equipment needs
- Need pants too but shoulder pads good to go for next few years
- Budget approved
- Passed vote to raise fee for June camp to \$275 to allow us to pay coaches more
- We could ask for sponsorships – one per team, lacrosse does it and people are lining up to sponsor
- Passed vote to make \$550 even for registration

Fundraising

- Denis will donate his house for a potential private event
- \$200/couple for hors d'oeuvres and cocktails
- Will be in June – friends and family, coaches
- We could get sponsors for \$2500 each to fund helmets by promoting safety

Equipment

- Helmets -- \$10 cheaper to go with matte black vs. shiny black like they are now – we will go with matte black
- At Chris Hevesy's request the board is working to include his team in a bulk purchase. Board decided to table for the next meeting
- Pants – in dire straights for new pants we have charged \$25 in past for people to buy a 2nd pair, now we will raise to \$30

YMCA Opportunity

- Mark Spellman from the Y wants us to help market the YMCA by using them for speed and agility clinics. Board decided to politely tell the Y we're well covered with speed & agility clinics run by our HS coaches
- Dave asked if Oxygen can run speed & agility drills right after equipment distribution. Board voted to allow – HS coaches will staff – Miska and company

Grievance

- We will send Jose Galavis the code of conduct and a letter that states if he violates the code of conduct again we'll take action and not allow him to come to games
- We can fall back on FCFL board if we need to
- Ben will draft a letter and pass it by the board
- Board voted to change the 1-game suspension to 2 games for any coach kicked out of a game. FCFL policy is 1-game but NC policy next year will be 2-game suspension and if you do it again you get thrown out, no more coaching

Coaching

- Good option for incoming 3rd grade coach for next year that's not a dad

Magnet

- All in favor of new magnet, will be provided for Varsity too

Chris Silvestri

- Coaches putting together clinics for K-12
- 9-12 – fundamentals – "every days" – we could practice based on curriculum from the HS – want to get K-12 working on fundamentals
- Mix up grades – make dynamic warmup going thru drills

Next Meeting: March 28 at 7:30pm at Lapham Center