

Blaine Youth Football

September 8th, 2019

7:00 PM

Blaine City Hall, Sanctuary Room

Meeting called to order at 7pm by Scott and 2nd by Rick

In attendance: Rick,Bill,Jody,Eric,John and Scott. Missing: Ken,Jen (Darrell and Kristina)

Update field set up and take down

- Jen/Ken –
 - Jen got boys under control – GREAT JOB!
- 15 Kids hired. 14 have signed up for shifts. First 3 weeks covered.

Equipment box at BBC needs help. Holes needed in box/clean up equipment.

- Bill to wash and clean equipment (row markers, chains)
- Eric to create false bottom and drill holes in box

Discussion on officials/fields not set up – address how going at upcoming meeting in October.

Equipment Update

- John inventoried jerseys
- Palletize coaches equipment
- Rick to get pallets – john requested 2-300\$ for clean up shed
- Change out jerseys are being managed by John
- Trailer will continue to be stored at Kens home.

Registration

- Refund request for AJ Neis, 7th Grade Bengals
 - Bilaws wording states no refund after practices begin
 - Will make consideration to 2nd grade Easton Hanson refund (Jody processing)
- Krautkramer 8th grade injury
- WILL ADDRESS Next Year January/February 2020 meeting bilaw wording on REFUND *****

Flag

- Refs indicated rules states one coach from each team on field with teams – check w/Kevin
- Belts fall off – discuss equipment for next year

Coaches

- Coaching Certifications – 5 remaining to be picked up from Eric
- Lanyards for coaches?

Kickoff

- Any feedback on Kickoff?
 - Ran out of food again (2nd year)
 - Slight amount of garbage on field / garbage cans helped
 - Signs for field are currently in shed for next year
 - Airhorn worked well to keep teams on time

Youth Night

- Friday, 9/13. What time should youth arrive. Should they meet somewhere to do the tunnel?
Wear jersey, get in free?
 - 6:40 gather by fence
 - Rick/Jody to meet kids

Pictures

- All teams signed up. If a team wants to do the specialty photos, they need to schedule another time slot. Sportsline was supposed to send me info about that/options and pricing, but I haven't received anything.
 - Feedback – LOVED the new picture company. Received nothing by praise from parents

Sponsorship

- Eric suggested a shelf – to get sponsor boards up on scoreboard

Fundraising

- **Bowlero** – After all expenses, total brought in for equipment sales and Bowlero was **\$9,387.11. Equipment Sales were \$2755 of that total, leaving 6,632.11 from Bowlero, Vikings Tickets, and Monetary Donations. 2018 Bowlero #s compared at \$4,204.37**
- Funds finally were released from Paypal and Jen transferred remaining **\$4,247.51** in CC payments to BYF Bank Account.
- **Heggies** – Pizza pick up is Monday from 5:30 – 7, but also need help organizing pizzas when they arrive at 4:45. Who can help?
 - Only 31 orders vs. 45 last year. **DOWN 14**
 - Total Pizzas= 1057 vs. 1527 last year **DOWN 470**
 - Money Back to BYF = \$1940 vs. \$2647 last year. **DOWN \$707**
 - Money Back to Players = \$1990 vs. \$2978 last year. **DOWN \$988**

Eric bringing checks to shed

No one indicated they could help w/Heggies at meeting

Field Improvements

- Bleachers at BBC – on hold / pause
- Net behind Field Goal at bbc and pads on posts
 - Eric to check out fence post / possible snow fence

Open Topics

- Key lock box for shed?
- Reporting scores 7-8th grade – same as last year send email
- Board member 2020-21 registration – discussed who is coming back and how many open roles recruiting for
- City Building on Paul Parkway – talk to expand equipment room / who owns building (SBM or City)

Next Board Meeting

- October 13th 2019, **BBC**
- Meeting adjourned at 8:08pm by Jody and Rick second