**May 12, 2021 Booster Meeting**

**Members Present**: Jackie Richter, Linette Ramsay, Barb Timm, Delana Wherland, Matt Christianson, Sheila Christianson, Lori Firm, Tracy Holland, Julie Bergsten, Karlene Driver, Pam Dahl, Monica Carlson, Jen McGunnigle, Susie Leeke, Jen Zweber

**Head Coach’s Report (Jackie Richter):**

Coaching update:

*10A Coach*: Abby Monson (LN alumni, played at Michigan, and moving back home July 1)

*Volunteer Coach*: Alyssa Goehner (LN alumni, played at U of M) will be circulating with all 5 teams

Equipment Update:

3 sample jerseys from Lisa Slinde @ MVW

Mike Zweber giving lump sum $15,000 for our program to work with (update pads, etc)

Live Announcement:

Frank W is back to be our announcer for Varsity volleyball games

Purchases:

All purchases need to go through Lisa Krohnberg in the AD office

Leadership Update:

Players talked about their leadership statement

Infinite and finite mindset

Mask Mandate:

70% or July 1st mask mandate to end

Hoping to play w/o masks this Fall 2021

**Alumni Update (Jackie Richter)**:

Abby Monson will be taking over the Alumni Coordinator role from Taylor Hall

**Concessions Update (Barb Timm)**:
Karlene Driver will now be the new Concessions Director, as Kate Bergsten will not be playing this Fall

Jen Zweber made the suggestion that during Bachman it would be more efficient and cost effective for the menus to be shared (i.e. pizza, pork sandwiches)

**Treasurer’s Update (Lori Firm):**

Rolling budget $35,244

Jackie has camp checks that she will be handing over

Camp Updates:

Currently have 22 registered so far for Youth

Currently have 19 registered so far for High School

Beach VB Tournament:

We are ahead of schedule of where we typically are at our May meeting for beach registration: 22/48 teams for Beach Tournament

Volunteer Coaches:

Mike Butler, Janis Goehner have been volunteer coaches in the past

This season we will be adding Alyssa Goehner to our staff as a Volunteer Coach

How can we continue to appreciate our coaches (budget-wise)?

i.e. Coach Package: shirt, lanyard, gift card (gas)

**Pan-O-Prog Beach Tournament (Sheila Christianson):**

We received the official word (City of Lakeville) that Pan O Prog is officially happening this year

This means we can add “Pan O Prog” to the flyer now

We buy approx. 120 buttons ($3/piece)

June 1st will send out volunteer signup genius (i.e. Dad Diggers, Set up, Take down, etc)

Jackie will take care of the player volunteer responsibilities

\*Youth and Community Divisions still have space

Chad Richter offered suggestions of how we could move to an online system for brackets:

Tourney Machine (Sports Engine) $4/team or $6/team

Team Snap Tournaments $2.99/team for 50 teams)

Exposure Events ($2.99/team for 50 teams)

-Matt C is familiar with Tourney Machine and would be willing to pilot it

Raffle:

In 2019 generated $1900

The Timm’s will be donating Green Bay Packers tickets again

Kari Thompson will be donating 3 things

Email Sheila if you have items to donate to raffle (and estimated value)

ARCON will be donating

Jackie will write a generic email to the program about raffle donations

Spikeball Bags:

Jackie is reaching out to David about this

Melissa Wissbrod would be willing to help with this

**Sponsorship (David Holland):**

In the list that was purchased, 470 current contacts were identified that could be potential sponsors to our program

In the last 2 seasons, 30 of those have sponsored us in two consecutive years

**Misc:**

Prior to COVID 19 pandemic, there was a discussion of LN Team Backpacks to be distributed to all players

Jackie will again look into the cost of this

**Next Meeting:**

June 9th 6:30 pm (Room 248)