Lake Creek Softball Homerun Club

Meeting Minutes 9/11/2023

1. Welcome/introduction

Mary Bailey introduced the 2023-2024 board and committee members.

1. Mary Bailey – President
2. Alice Winn – Vice President
3. Jennifer Hayward – Secretary
4. Lisa Orso – Treasurer
5. Jessica Galloway – Memberships/Sponsorships
6. Alisha Estay – Communications (Facebook, Twitter, Webpage, etc.)
7. Shellee Brewer – Activities (Teacher Appreciation, Banquet, etc.)
8. Kendra Wiggins – Volunteers
9. Heather White – Philanthropy
10. Coach Carter – Coach introduced herself and her staff. She went through a power point to discuss handbook/communication/SportsYou/fall ball/fundraisers/participation/grades. The power point presentation will be available on the website for future reference.
11. Fall league – Lane Galloway/Devon Tunning heading it up. No parents should ever contact the coaches about playing time. Schedule will be put out on SMGSL website. No volunteers necessary. Safety concerns – keep coaches posted on any injuries. Not breaking down fundamentals, will try and match girls up by ability. Expectations are laid back – just giving the kids an opportunity to play different positions. First year to play fall ball. Main goal is to build camaraderie.
12. Treasurer report (Lisa Orso) –
    1. Our account is carrying a current balance of $42,264.66.
    2. Two outstanding checks for $10,500 - $31,764.66 is adjusted balance
    3. Hold money back every year for senior scholarships – up to $5k each student. Depends on the number of seniors ($1500 each last year)
    4. Purchasing equipment this year for around $7500
    5. Two monuments to purchase this year – State Champions and Gatorade Player of the Year for Ava. $10K
    6. About $6700 left in our budget after all of that, so we will be doing more fundraisers.
13. Memberships (Mary Bailey)
    1. Player package – includes game day shirt, yard sign, away game food, two spirit shirts for practice (they can keep). Next year there will also be a returning player package so they don’t always have to buy the practice shirts. Payment must be made before receiving their gear.
    2. Membership also includes voting rights at meetings. Amount TBD – not due until January after tryouts.
    3. Google doc will be sent out to gather all the info we need for player packages.
14. Sponsorships (Mary Bailey)
    1. Banner sponsors – a sponsorship form is on the website. Anyone who supports our program will be on the banner. See Jessica Galloway with any questions.
15. Fundraisers (Alice Winn)
    1. We will be doing a calendar fundraiser in October after basketball fundraiser ends.
    2. Spring fundraiser – we are discussing hosting the steak dinner again. Stay tuned for more information. February 10th is our tentative date.
16. Homecoming parade update (Alisha Estay)
    1. Seniors decided to go a different direction with the theme – Greek Goddesses. We will meet to decorate the float Wednesday at 4.
17. Spirit wear store (Mary Bailey)
    1. We will open the store at the end of 2023/beginning of 2024 to be delivered at the beginning of the season.
    2. Coach Carter is debating opening up a fall store through FanCloth. Watch your email/Sports You for updates.
18. Motion to adjourn meeting.