



Mason Comets Touchdown Club Minutes

February 3, 2014

The meeting was brought to order by President Doug Besecker in the Harvard Room at the High School. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved by Ron Saresky and Lisa Mullen. Treasurer's report was approved by Ron Saresky and Roger Mullen.

Old/New Business:

Coaches Corner: Coach Castner spoke about the Senior Leadership Development Program and the activities they did each week in December. January began Phase 1 of the strength program. Phase 1 ended the last week of February and the morning commitment workouts will begin March 3 at 5:15am. These workouts will go March-April and focus on strength, speed and agility. February 18 at 5:30 will be the College Recruiting presentation in the Harvard Room followed by the 7th grade transition meeting at MMS from 8-8:45. Coach Castner stressed the importance of players of other sports taking 1 full week off before they come to football workouts. 2 coaching changes were announced-Coach Barry and Coach Kendall have stepped down. Bobby Gardner will be rejoining the varsity team. Coach Castner also talked about National Signing Day which is Wednesday, February 5. Those players participated in GMC signing day ceremonies as well as Mason's signing day ceremonies.

Todd France, defensive coordinator discussed the draft the players participated in create teams for workouts. This program is based on a program that Northwestern University uses. This program is in its 4th year here at Mason. It centers on competition in the areas of academics, lifting and community service.

Event Committee: Lanette Szymkowic stated that Jackie Quigley will shadow this year and take over the committee the following year. Traci Algor and Edie Stewart will again help Lanette with her committee. She still needs people to sub-chair some events. Contact her if you are interested. Play It Forward is a go. SignUp Genius will go out to sign up volunteers to help.

Golf Outing: Angie Besecker said the date is set for July 12th at Shaker Run.

Winter Social: Chair Lisa Mullen said ticket sales are on the website as well as mail in. The band is The Stray Mafia and she still needs booze barrel items as well as a TV donation.

Team Representatives: President Doug Besecker announced that people have volunteered to be team representatives and it will be decided this month.

By-Law Changes: The By-Law changes were read and voted on a second time at this meeting. The first vote was on the addition of the Member at Large. The vote passed with 100% yes vote (13-0 in favor). The second vote was on the budget bylaw changes. It passed 12-1 in favor. These changes will be submitted to Scott Stemple for approval.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, March 4 at 7pm in the Harvard Room.

Motion to adjourn was made by Deb Stamper and seconded by Angie Besecker.