

Southern Parkland Youth Association Board Minutes
May 4, 2010

Attendees: Scott Snyder, Dave Kentner, Jim Chrapowicz, Mark Reed, Andrew Johnston, Bill Novak, Sean Gill, Kerrie Armbruster, Chris Boscia, Shelley Ferry, Bill Schlechter, Dan Yannes, George Hlavac, Tessa Shin. Visitors: Ken McCreary, Jessica Cassium, Rebecca Abruzzese, Dave Yeomans

President's Report – Scott Snyder

- No specific report

Vice President's Report – Dave Kentner

- No specific report

Secretary's Report - Jim Chrapowicz

- April minutes approved

Treasurer's Report - Mark Reed

- Budget review and explanation of some anomalies
- Spring sports revenue ahead of budget

Old business:

- Drop Box
 - o Scott has the drop box, but due to the size, it would not fit well into the shed without taking up much of the space; Scott coming up with other ideas
- Some bylaws that were discussed years ago were never officially included. Bylaws need to be reviewed for differences against current process.
 - o No progress
- Code of Conduct
 - o Scott did not get with Kerrie – no progress
- Website Sponsorship – SVSG paid; waiting on information for their sponsor banner
- Latham Scholarship
 - o Updated flyer is in circulation, 1 received, turn in date is May 30

New business:

- Background Checks – Softball has not turned any in
- Audit draft received
 - o Unqualified opinion (clean audit)
 - o Auditors will present at next meeting

Commissioner Reports

Baseball – Jim Chrapowicz

- Registration is closed. We added 2 teams in the ULM league but were down 12 players in Blastball. We had to turn away players at T-Ball and Prep; will be looking at ways to increase the number of players we can take for next season.

- All equipment and uniforms are in and have been distributed. End of season awards for in house programs are in.
- Apparel sale is complete, items to be delivered May 7th. About \$1,000 in fundraising, slight down from last year.
- Lottery ticket fundraiser was a success. Sold 385 tickets; expecting to make about \$2,200.
- Iron Pigs outing was too successful; we only reserved 250 tickets but sold over 500. General availability lawn seats were obtained for the overflow and refunds offered to all.
- All teams have started to play except JL, CM, SL. Minor field and equipment issues so far. No other problems reported.
- SL team has been picked.
- Pictures day was held 4/17. Pictures to be handed out to coaches 5/8. Blastball pictures completed on 5/2.
- Fall baseball planning is underway. Field permits have been requested. Registration will be held at the same time as the other fall sports. Uniforms and equipment orders will be placed later in the summer.

Basketball – Mark Constant

- Some discussions on summer basketball program; Mark will be looking into it
 - o Ed Brandt was going to look into some of Jack's summer contacts. Ed has not heard back from anyone.
- Travel uniforms have become outdated. It was recommended that we have the travel players purchase their uniforms next year. It was also recommended that all intramural teams go to tee-shirts. Will bring up for discussion at a later meeting.

Cheerleading – Kerrie Armbruster

- Early signups – flyers went to schools but did not get to students in timely manner
- Adding items to apparel form for upcoming season
- There are a few new coaches this year – will be doing some certification/training
- Ready for registrations

Football – Sean Gill

- Registration volunteers in place
- Scale was brought in for maintenance; it was discovered that the LED display was bad. Replacement cost \$200
- All helmets have been recertified and returned except for the 3 that failed
- New schedule will appear next month after SYFL approval. No changes in times from last year except for flag games that are now added
- All equipment request needs have been handed in to Scott Snyder
- Portable goal post has been approved for Grange field. Will look to order next. A parent has donated the equipment
- 5K race has been moved to bye week in football scheduled – Sep 25

Soccer – Drew Johnston

- 7 travel teams for spring; season ongoing
- NYYSL – 21 teams U8 through U19
- In house – K through U8 is 23 teams
- Coaches education running 4/1 through 5/6 focused on U7 through U10

- Picture day completed
- Fall registration upcoming
- Fall travel tryouts planned

Softball – Bill Novak

- 125 registrations; about the same as last year; late fee in effect
- 9 teams
- PL games started 4/19, finishes 6/26
- LVL games start 5/3, run thru mid July
- Six teams played in Mallory Bomboy tournament on 4/24
- Practices started end of March/early April
- All equipment received; will need to order additional shirts for any late registrations
- Pictures held in May
- Lottery Fundraiser in progress
- Apparel sale order is in, expect delivery in a few weeks
- Repair o batting cage damaged by snowfall is in progress
- Background checks are in progress
- Search for a new commissioner is on

Warehouse – Ken McCreary

- No specific report

Good and Welfare

- Meeting Adjourned. Next Meeting June 1st. Respectfully Submitted-Jim Chrapowicz