

NYSA BOARD MEETING

MAY 27, 2010

Present:

Jesse	Brent	Tammy
Clark	Jeff	Holly
Yasa	Greg	Jeremy
Gary	Jennifer	Sam

Grant Opportunity:

DawnElla Rust with SFASU presented information about a grant opportunity funded by Astra Zeneca. DawnElla and a grad student, Amy, proposed a program to help NYSA called "Kickin' Cardiovascular Disease." Parents and community members can earn points for NYSA teams by participating in educational and fitness programs. With the points earned teams will be able to acquire soccer equipment. The program would run 6-7 weeks during a designated soccer season. The grant application is due by July 31st and DawnElla will know if it has been awarded by November 2010. NYSA agreed to support DawnElla in this endeavor.

Irrigation/Fields:

Gary discussed plans for fields 12, 13, & 2. He also requests funds for additional sprinkler buckets (\$150) 2 headers/piping and rental of a trencher (\$700). Board approves the purchase of these materials.

Gary reports the mower has been serviced and is running well. May fertilizer application has been completed. Gary proposed NYSA consider buying liquid sprayer/chemicals to cut down on costs. Jeff has a license to purchase/apply.

Mowing:

Board would like to continue the mowing contract with Raymond. Jeff suggests fields need to be mowed 2X per week. Board concludes Raymond will mow 1X per week and board will mow 1X per week.

Concession Stand:

Board would like to continue with Bob Coker if he is willing. Richard Stobart has also expressed interest.

Coaches & Ref Clinics:

Jeff has arranged the following clinics:

- F Clinic Saturday June 19th – 2 hours classroom, then completed at fields
- E Clinic Friday July 16-Sunday July 18
- G Clinic to be scheduled during field day in the fall

Jeff states he will be attending a clinic in Tyler August 13-15

Greg reports there will be a Grade 9 Clinic July 30-31

Greg states the Assignors Clinic for NTX and Annual General Mtg. is July 16-18

Sponsors:

Jeff discussed getting sponsors to absorb the cost of uniforms. Sponsors could select a specific team(s) or make a general donation in exchange for having their name placed on the uniforms. Gary has checked with Score and Inaria about pricing. Uniforms would need to be ordered at least 4 weeks prior to the season. Sponsor names will also be placed on the NYSA website.

Select Teams:

Tammy reports try-out will be held June 5 & 12.
Players will still register with NYSA at a cost of \$50

Tournament:

Sam reports the tournament brought in over \$11000 and after expenses there was \$5200 in profit. Geremy Anderson brought in \$3300 in sponsorships. The board is very appreciative of all their hard work.

Sam then resigned his position as Tournament Director. Board will actively seek to replace him.

Adult Teams:

Yasa reports there is currently 3 co-ed teams registered and 1 men's over 30 team. Board suggests asking the men's team to add females to their roster to make a fourth co-ed team.

Season was originally to begin June 1. This will be pushed back and registration will be extended. Yasa will keep the board updated on when the season will begin. Coaches will be responsible for ensuring players on their team have player cards.

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