

Baldwinsville Girls Volleyball Booster Minutes

7/15/24 @ Baldwinsville Public Library

Start Time was 6:00

Attendees: Mandi Dixon, Jill Offredi, Veronica Connors and Shannon Diep

We started with discussing the raffle tickets. Last year we made \$4245.92 on the raffle tickets. We discussed whether or not we should keep it the same or modify it in some way. We wanted to make sure that when the parents are coming to the parent meeting that they are prepared to get the raffle tickets but make sure people aren't feeling pressured negatively to give the money upfront. We will still make sure people understand why we like to get the money upfront for them, however they won't be obligated to take them that way. We also discussed having prizes for the top seller for JV/Varsity and then top one for each team for modified or something along that line, there is still some work on details for it. However we all agreed a reward for selling more than the requested amount would be a good incentive.

Veronica discussed that there was a little confusion in regards to the approval for the dinner nights and the athletic office. She will confirm with the locations first and then submit them to the athletic office. The athletic office will make sure there isn't a conflict and then it sounds like they will add them to a spreadsheet and they will also promote them as they get closer. We also stated that we don't have to have all of the fundraising nights during the JV/Varsity season and they can be spread throughout the modified season as well. We will just try and avoid game nights.

Coach Saylor confirmed via text that there are currently 15 teams registered for Varsity and 12 for JV. Mandi will ask Coach Saylor if the plan with those numbers is to just use 1 location (Baker). In addition Mandi will also ask whether the schedule in schedule galaxy is correct especially in regards to all the tournaments. We want to confirm transportation information, ad campaign etc.

For the Ad campaign, the requests should be going through the website and or PO boxes. Shannon Diep has sent out an email to all previous sponsors and will be sending out a similar letter to anyone we have contact information for to get the campaign going. We are hoping with the emails and a post on social media that we will not have to have the girls go out door to door in the village.

We also discussed the photos that will be used for the Ad Campaign. Who will take those, when how much time will be allotted. Mandi will check with the coach regarding that. In addition once we have those details we can start the search for someone willing to take them. Our thought was potentially Friday in the morning before practice.

We want to make sure that we are all set for the parent meeting right when teams are made. We should have all sign ups ready to go for parents. Mandi will check with Coach Saylor on when we can have that in person meeting. Hopefully 8/29 or 8/30?

We reviewed camp from this year. Having the waitlist was good, however we have to be able to put a note on there not to send any payments if you are on the waitlist. If we contact them that they are able to join, then payment will be requested.

Rough Financials from camp:

\$11,036.13 brought in

\$5043.00 paid the coaches

- \$400/day for college coach
- \$1400 for ex players
- \$2650 for Dani and Paige

\$742.50 Tshirts

\$300 Trainer

\$1764.00 for BIA

We discussed increasing out-of-district attendees' cost for camp due to the increase in BIA for them. We feel at this time \$10 would be appropriate. Maybe also opening it up to Bville students for a week first then everyone else.

For the Colgate camp we agreed about \$750-\$800 for Paige &/or Mo to attend.

\*We need to have a discussion about finances either at the end of this season or the beginning of next to make sure we are paying the coaches appropriately for everything.

Jill ordered enough extra backpacks that they should be all set this year and maybe next year.

Megan asked about the warmup shirts, and we agreed that the Seniors can help her design them.

For the concession stand, Shannon Diep will check with Cherie Delia regarding who they use as a contact for setting everything up.

We need new parents to be involved!!!

Below are the notes that Coach Sayler provided in response to our agenda since she wasn't able to attend.

Next meeting is 8/22/24 @ 6:00 at the Library.

Ended 7:30

Hi all-

Just wanted to let you know that I will not be able to make it this evening.

We will be able to run a varsity and JV tournament this year. I am still looking for a few teams to try and make the pools easier. Fairport has dropped but Penfield emailed me today about joining. Things change quickly. Jv might be smaller but I still feel it's necessary to provide our rising athletes in CNY an opportunity to have more touches on the ball!

As far as a camp went on my end, I am extremely happy and honored to be able to work with such an amazing group of girls. They were a HUGE help at youth camp. I think adding some time for the families to come in and see the space and connect with volleyball was a great idea. The girls set out chairs and parents followed their kids around for a couple of hours! I told them to put down 10 hours on any volunteer forms because of set up/break down. We can sign them when school starts or at next weeks camp.

I am also thankful for you all for helping me keep my head on! Camp was a huge hit! I also trust your judgement when it comes to the as campaign. I'm hoping that the Saturday Maureen and I are gone we can dedicate that to the day they go out in the community. And possibly a team bonding event as well. The MacKaig/Hope family has offered a team bonding day but we have not solidified anything.

As far as the concession, you would know better than I would about what kids eat! Again, I trust your judgement.

I have reached out to Chris regarding new white jerseys and he has reached out to the rep as well. Warmups can be designed by the seniors if we want. I know Mallory and Amelia, and the other seniors got a chance to design the jerseys so if we want to ask their opinion again I am sure they would love it!

Again, sorry this is last minute. I will be at open gym tomorrow if anyone needs anything in person!