

# Palmer Township Athletic Association General Membership

## Meeting Minutes

October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2014

Charles Chrin Community Center

**Members Present:** Paul Cinoa, Lori Fulmer, Doug McTighe, Jeff Bowman, Lisa Bowman, Craig Connor, Chuck Romfo, Jeff Vincent, Joe Olah, John Morsillo, Dave Dumpel, Dave DiSora, Tom Gutekunst.

**Call to Order** – 8:07pm by Chuck Romfo

**Motion** by Dave Dumpel to accept the September meeting minutes. Second Paul Cinoa. **Passed**

**Motion** by Craig Connor to accept the September Treasurers' report. Second Joe Olah. **Passed**

### Sports Reports

**Baseball lower level** – John Morsillo

Fall season is over, equipment turn in is next week.

**Softball** – Paul Cinoa

Coordinated fall uniform and equipment return .

**Basketball** – Tom Gutekunst

Good turnout for the coaches meeting. So far only one player signed up for U16. Late fees begin on October 18<sup>th</sup>. Practices are going to begin around November 10<sup>th</sup>. Using 10 new basketballs. Looking at purchasing new uniforms for next year.

**Football/Cheerleading** – Lori Fulmer

Last regular season game versus Forks is this Saturday. Cheerleaders are decorating football players' doors. Playoffs start in 2 weeks and Palmer is hosting the first round.

Beef and Beer is this October 18<sup>th</sup> and tickets are \$20. Craig Lampa of Jack and Jill Studios donated \$1200 and the DJ.

Cheerleaders participated in the EAHS cheer competition. Varsity took second place. All the other teams took first.

Both sports donated much of their time to Miracle League this fall.

Field house has been exterminated.

Well covers behind the bleachers need to be secured.

Barry Fulmer is looking into who approved scaffolding for a videographer that was put up in front of press box.

### **Soccer** - Dave Dumpel

Three weeks left in the fall season. U8 Festival will be in Wind Gap this fall. Garcia Cup is November 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in Forks.

**Motion** by Dave Dumpel not to exceed (NTE) \$1500 to Taylor Rental for Garcia Cup tent. Second Joe Olah. **Passed**

### **Lacrosse** – No Report

### **Wrestling** – Dave DiSora

Signups are currently going on. Practices will start in November. Looking to participate in Red Hawk wrestling clinic again this year. Tournament dates have been set with Dan, the first one is November 28th. Uniform pickup will be in the coming weeks. Some mats are in need of repair.

**Motion** by Dave DiSora for \$600 to Red Hawk for Clinic. Second Craig Connor. **Passed**

**Motion** by Dave DiSora NTE \$1700.00 for tournament startup monies. Second Lori Fulmer. **Passed**

### **Field Hockey** – Jeff Vincent

Regular season is almost over. Pink out is November 9<sup>th</sup>.

### **Board Report** – Chuck Romfo

Waiting on final numbers for winter sports sign ups.

Waiting to hear from Human Relations department in Harrisburg.

\$1700 check for 2013 Field Hockey has been cut by the township.

**Motion** by Joe Olah for \$10,437.50 for 400 Christmas trees. Second Craig Connor. **Passed**

**Motion** by Joe Olah for \$2000.00 for startup monies. Second by Dave Dumpel. **Passed**

**Motion** by Craig Connor NTE \$500 for a ladder. Second by Joe Olah. **Passed**

Casino night fundraiser costs vary between locations. For example Palmer Municipal Fire Department banquet room can handle 250 people at a cost of \$30 per person. Looking at charging \$50 per person that will include food, alcohol, and casino chips.

Wish lists for sports improvements are missing for Basketball and Wrestling.

John Morsillo has volunteered to head the nominating committee.

### **Recreation Board update** – Jeff Vincent

222 accounting will be updated by next meeting.

Grant money was given to Palmer Township for athletics and has not been used. The phase one amount is \$200,000.00. Phase two of the grant money will not be distributed to the township unless they spend all of phase one monies.

### **New Business** – Chuck Romfo

Palmer tent is in need of repair and should be replaced.

**Motion** by Lisa Bowman for \$599.25 to SFS Field Hockey fundraiser. Second Paul Cinoa. **Passed**

**Motion** by Lisa Bowman for \$100 to Girl Scouts of Eastern PA in memory of Tom Doerner. Second John Morsillo. **Passed**

**Motion** by Lisa for \$2.10 per registrant per sport fee to GroupNet Solutions. Second Dave Dumpel. **Passed**

Lisa Bowman reports that the audit by the township turned out very well.

Motion to Adjourn 9:50pm

Respectfully submitted

Douglas A. McTighe

Secretary