

Palmer Township Athletic Association General Membership Meeting Minutes

May 19, 2016

Charles Chrin Community Center

Members present:

Dave Dumpel, Kurt Snyder, Jeff Bowman, Chuck Romfo, Lisa Bowman, Doug McTighe, Paul Cinoa, Matt Rusnock,

Call To Order - 8:05pm Chuck Romfo

Motion by Jeff Bowman to accept the December meeting minutes. Second Dave Dumpel.
Passed.

Motion by Dave Dumpel to accept the December Treasurers report. Second Jeff Bowman.
Passed.

Sports Reports:

Field Hockey - No Report.

Soccer – Dave Dumpel

Fall registration has 80 kids signed up so far. Spring soccer is going well. New player movement rule from the league is if you start with a club you end with the same club. Only one coach left who needs a background check. Fall tournament prep is going well. Looking at having more teams in this year's Amanda Schultz Tournament. Looking at moving overflow games to Penn Pump Park or Fox Run.

Lacrosse: - No Report

Football- No Report

Cheerleading - No Report

Baseball Upper Level – Matt Rusnock

Bushkill Valley is going well. Senior Legion has 17 kids signed up. Junior Legion rosters are due tomorrow. Kunkel field will be used as an overflow for Fairview Park if the need arises.

Baseball Lower Level: - Jeff Bowman

Season is going well. Sold a lot of Iron pigs tickets. Iron Pigs are having a parade that all palmer players will participate in before the game. 30 kids will be selected to be on the field during the National Anthem.

T-ball will be playing at the Miracle league field to commemorate the 10 year partnership with the PTAA.

Sportswear sale is still selling shirts, hoodies, etc.

Talked about joining NAYS (National Alliance Youth Sports) for training coaches on concussion, bullying, etc.

Wrestling: - No Report

Softball: - Paul Cinoa

Still no new benches at La Barre or Old Orchard softball fields. Fields are being lined and dragged by coaches.

Motion by Paul Cinoa for NTE \$300.00 a Palmer vs. Palmer June 9th softball game and picnic. Second Dave Dumpel. **Passed.**

Basketball: - Tom Gutekunst

Old Business:

222 Report – No Report

Rec Board – No Report

Board Report – Chuck Romfo

Motion by Dave Dumpel for \$100.00 for a hole to Suburban EMS for their golf fund raiser. Second Jeff Bowman. **Passed.**

Motion by Matt Rusnock for \$276.66 to Harmony Press for football raffle tickets. Second Kurt Snyder. **Passed.**

Motion by Paul Cinoa for \$90.09 to reimburse Lisa Bowman for photocopies and envelopes at Staples. Second Dave Dumpel. **Passed.**

Palmer Elementary:

Miller Flooring will refinish the gym floor beginning after the end of the school year. The cost will be \$11,703.24.

Motion by Dave Dumpel for \$11,703.24 for refinishing the gym floor. Second Paul Cinoa. **Passed**

Minotti Scholarship:

Proposal to raise the amount of the scholarship from \$500.00 to \$750.00. PTAA membership agrees with the recommended increase.

Mat Lifts:

The PTAA will pay \$2000.00 for an engineering analysis of the Chrin Center gym roof/ceiling.

Motion by Jeff Bowman for \$2000.00 for engineering analysis. Second Kurt Snyder. **Passed**

Sports Fest:

Everything is ready for the fest. Using Facebook and GroupNet to gather interest. Shirt was designed by EAHS student Chelsea Bacon. Phillies have confirmed the date for Sports Fest and will run the Home Run Derby. Looking to move coaches appreciation day to June 10th at Riverview Park.

Motion to adjourn – 9:22 PM.

Respectively submitted

Douglas A. McTighe

Secretary