

April 16, 2023

Thelo Board Meeting

Present: Ryan, Brian Dziugas, Dana, Shana, Rob, Brian, Chelsea Webber

Approve March minutes

President: 08 boys did not do Founder's Cup. Want to do something for them—pizza party with parent scrimmage and maybe 09s? Ryan and Brians will help put that together. End of season 05 ended 2nd, 07s great ending 06 boys ended 3rd or 4th. 08 boys were at 500, 09 there too. Girls side did pretty well also. Good placement in the league. Robby—thank you for stepping in for. Amber is on board and she can do the website, etc. Let's get her a small list of things to do. Not too big! Losing Bene and lost the field's coordinator. **Still need Field Coordinator and VP.** Our entire club is moving over to Rex Putnam. We helped Clackamas United out by giving them Alder Creek. Track meets have been a problem. Gladstone books their turf field every day from 4-9pm, if free it is used by public. Fall we could maybe book for our games.

Equipment: Balls are coming—Friday. Put in storage for now. **Call Brian when you go to storage. Brian has some shelves for the storage space.** Called Portapotty. No answer. Brian has some locks for them. Share the code with other with other coaches. **Shana will check in about pricing for delivery so maybe we could save. Rob needs a polo—something official. Approve to purchase for board members—Rob, Chelsea and Amber. Shana will pick up.**

Fields: Brian will book Putnam on Friday 6-8pm

Treasurer: Sent out report. Will change date! Equipment is twice what we should have spent—won't spend much next year. Field's slightly over. Everything else is good. Dana has no more expenses for the season. Mindy still has a lot of stuff because of tax season—including checks. Will get from her.

Do we have a way to raise funds at games? Chelsea would do it at games! Other parents. Rob does this for the rec league. Would facilities mind? We should ask before? **Brian will ask about Alder Creek and Putnam. Rob is willing to coordinate if it is okay. Also willing to grill for events.**

Director of Coaching: App that is an all-in-one platform. \$6 per player per year. Competitor players only. Tryout platform, web, registration, calendar and schedules, finances—locks out of seeing schedule if they have not made their payment, add payment for tournaments, college recruitment, it has teamsnap features, links in with OYSA. Web page not included. Month to month. Would like to convert at the end of the year. Ryan would like multiple people on the phone with them. Last two weeks of cup play (sidelines) not going well. Club parents can walk the track, but can't talk to the players or the refs. Add to parent code of conduct. Reinforced at the parent meeting. Would like to push the HS teams to do showcases instead of tournaments. Everyone pays even if they can't go.

Try-outs—Putnam, not yet solidified. Need waterproof paper for evaluation forms. **Ryan will email them to Shana and give her a number and Shana will get them printed.** All hands on deck. Coaching assignments: Brian and Brian and Conner on boys HS side. Ryan has another coach coming in on the 09s. Kevin. Rob would like to coach 6th graders if they come out to try-outs. 09's should just try-outs with high school. They can come out for youth too if they show up. 10s should do both.

Running Try-outs: Introductions, quick touch work (5-10 minutes) while other coaches are setting up pugs. **Brian will get table, banners, canopy. Dana and Chelsea will be there to check in. Shana?** Coaches should spread out.

Mentoring program for the seniors if they want to start coaching after they graduate? Good for college. Maybe help with try outs?

WE REALLY NEED A FIELD COORDINATOR AND THAT PERSON WILL NEED TO BE TRAINED AND DEDICATED—AND HAVE GOOD RELATIONSHIP WITH MILWAUKIE HS??!!

Registrar: 44 registered. No High School. We haven't sent out anything to our current players. **Ryan will send out today.** Need a big push!!

Rec. Liaison: Brian and Rob have some 5th and 6th grade contact and invited them to see what a Thelo practice looks like with a Q&A with parents afterwards. Last week there was a scrimmage, not a lot of possibilities, but would love to get a team over even if they aren't all ready. They can really develop. Stress the commitment level. Hold to your commitment. Come to practice if you want to play the game! But don't want to scare them away. 1st year maybe not all tournaments in the summer, but year-round. Hosting a jamoboree for the rec. we will have a booth and some players to run little clinics. Need fliers. **Bene will finish and get approval and send to Bear Printing. Rob will pick up.**

Brian putting out signs

Chelsea is voted in! Approved.

Tournament in Hawaii? Rob will help fundraise for it. June 1st (next year!) If those are the dates, the kids are still in school.

Next meeting: May 21st 6:00

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