**General Soccer Meeting**

**September 11, 2022**

**Attendance:**

**President** - Kris Bowes

**Vice President** - Aimee Strubinger

**Secretary** - Jessica Strohl

**Board Members** – Jamie Ciabattari, Frank Marotto, Renae Watson, Nathan Lager

**General** - Christian Bartulovich, Frank Green, Kristin Farley, Caleb Gaston

**Meeting Start Time**: 4:15 PM

**Treasurer’s Report:** $34,452.89

**General Notes:**

* Games went well on 9/10/2022
* Elijah was hit in the face during Thursday night’s scrimmage (Frank’s Team)

**Uniforms**

* No JTYS logo on them
* Colors are not right
* Logos are different sizes
* Phone number for sponsors not included under logos
* Material is see through
* Look into other options, hard to find someone to fulfill order
* Get recommendations now for other suppliers by next season
* Players are destroying uniforms. Players cannot modify uniforms; parents can be asked to buy a new jersey or player could be benched. This will be added as a new rule for JTYS.

**Referees:**

* Referees will be talked with to review uniforms prior to all games.
* There is a referee shortage.

**Fields:**

* Lines need to be done regularly, especially multi-purpose field. Lines are fading quickly.
* Lines should preferably be painted Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday each week due to grass cutting.
* Empty paint cans can be thrown away, they do not have to be left in the shed.
* More paint will be ordered.

**Coaches’ Softball Game:**

* The date for the game is October 16, 2022. Game is starting at 12.
* Kickball game will be happening at the same time for children in grades 3-4 and 5-6 (Children aged 8-12).
* The snack shed will be open and there will be a raffle. The proceeds will be split 50/50 between JTYS and Jim Thorpe Boosters.
* More details to come.

**Coaches’ Tournament:**

* The date for the tournament is October 30, 2022.
* U7 is currently winning The Winter Apparel Drive.

**Carbon Cup:**

* First Saturday of November
* Every team needs to donate a raffle basket

**Fire Pit Raffle:**

* The fire pit we are raffling is propane.
* Tickets are $10 each and we will be selling 60 tickets.
* Tickets will be available for purchase at the snack shed or from any board member.

**Girl’s High School Soccer Youth Night:**

* Date is September 19, 2022 at 5:00 PM. The game is at the high school.
* Admission is free for all of our players as long as they are wearing their jersey.

**Boy’s High School Soccer Youth Night:**

* Date is October 4, 2022 at 5:00 PM. The game is at the high school.
* Admission is free for all of our players as long as they are wearing their jersey.

**Sponsor Plaques:**

* Have been ordered

**Pictures:**

* 9/13 through 9/27 for all teams.
* Kids who opted to not have pictures can sign form if they want to be part of the group picture.
* 9/13

- U5 John/Jamie 5 PM

- U9 Paul 5:30 PM

- U13 Frank 6 PM

* 9/20

- U7 Kristen 5 PM

- U16 Sam 6 PM

* 9/21

- U7 Caleb 5 PM

- U9 Frank 6 PM

* 9/22

- U7 Christian 5 PM

- U11 Annette 5:30 PM

- U5 Nikki/Patrick 6 PM

* 9/26

- U11 Renae 5 PM

- U13 Renae 6 PM

* 9/27

- U9 Jess/Nate 5 PM

- U7 Cassie 6 PM

**Bank:**

* Currently use Mauch Chunk Trust
* Issues with the account, they had signers on the account from years ago.
* Look into if we are staying or moving to another bank and where?

**Penn Forest Park Fall Festival:**

* Date is September 24, 2022.
* U5 and U7 need to reschedule games.

**June Elections:**

* Aimee is resigning at end of year. Her position will be open.

**U13 Games:**

* Frank would like board members to attend the two games between his and Renae’s team.
* The dates of these games are October 8, 2022 and October 22, 2022. Both games are at 1 PM.

**Next Board Meeting:**

* October 2, 2022 at 2 PM at Penn Forest Park.

**Snack Shed:**

* We have plenty of napkins. No more are needed.
* Sign-up genius for snack shed volunteers will be created by Jessica to be sent out to parents.

**Meeting End Time:** 5:47 PM