

Holly Stampede Youth Football and Cheer Meeting
Monday, May 20th, 2024 6:30pm
Holly Police Department, 315 S Broad St, Holly, MI 48442

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Destiney Bailey at 6:36 pm.

Roll Call of the Board

Present:

President - Destiney Bailey

Vice President - Mike Bishop

Secretary - Briana Opalewski

Field Agent - Pat Casey

Head of Tackle - Trevor Bailey

Head of Flag - Brett Maurer

Head of Cheer - Cara Dovre

Absent:

Treasurer - Dan Couchman

Player/Parent Agent - Janelle Rose

Fundraising Coordinator - Christine Prekup

Concessions Manager - Victoria Mingo-Williams

Approval of Agenda

Destiney Bailey moved to approve the agenda for today's meeting. Seconded by Brett Maurer.

Motion passed unanimously.

Approval of Meeting

Minutes

Destiney Bailey moved to approve last month's meeting minutes. Seconded by Briana

Opalewski. **Motion passed unanimously.**

Board Reports

President - Destiney Bailey

- As of today registration numbers are 5 / 6 Flag- 8, 7 / 8 Flag - 13, Freshman Tackle - 12, JV Tackle - 14, Intro to Cheer - 13, Tackle Cheer - 5 JV & 5 Freshman.
- Destiney states that she emailed Kinnoman about field pricing and he said he would go over it with Jeremy. She's awaiting a meeting with him.
- Field use for July camps were approved.
- Destiney says that she emailed all parents who have registered their kids the link to our Preseason Band App.
- She also states that she talked to Kelly from Player Prints about spiritwear and says that if we keep the options the same as last year then we can open up the Spiritwear link ASAP and it's ready to go.
- Destiney states that there was a hiccup at the HEL Fair. The tattoos and bracelets were not ordered. She will be addressing the follow through on tasks that are needed to be addressed in a timely manner.
- Patterson Fair is June 5th. Camps July 9 and 10th. We have to post when we are drafting.

Vice President - Mike Bishop

- Mike asked if the board knew what was spent on shoulder pads last year? Trevor said \$6831.
- He's been looking for new shoulder pads and they're running about \$75-\$100.
- Mike also states that we need footballs and that we didn't like the ones we used last year. We need to order them now and Wilson Balls are \$40/\$50 a ball. We also need at least 4 parts kits and mouth guards. Destiney states she'd like to get the bags packed for the coaches and they need better bags. Brett states he also needs new flags.
- **Destiney Bailey makes a motion to spend up to \$1500 on equipment for all football leagues. Seconded by Briana Opalewski. Motion passed unanimously.**

Secretary - Briana Opalewski

- Bri states that we need a new Banner to hang in town next year. The township said it isn't safe anymore. She has the measurements of it if needed. Destiney says she'll reach out to Kelly about a new one and table to vote at the end of the season.

Treasurer - Dan Couchman

- Dan states via text that our current account balance is 39,617.22

Field Agent - Pat Casey

- NOTHING NEW TO ADD

Head of Cheer - Cara Dovre

- Cara states that she has uniforms and warmups picked out but is waiting for final registration numbers.
- Cara also states we may need 2 more intro coaches with how the numbers are looking.
- She says she needs the cheer binders out of storage and asks about poms. Destiney says that all poms were turned in and that the 36 in storage was enough.
- Cara also asks that if cheer does have to go into the building due to weather etc. can it not be the cafeteria. It is not safe

Head of Tackle - Trevor Bailey

- Trevor states we need to post the MYFL rules on our website.

Head of Flag - Brett Maurer

- Brett states that he needs to talk to player prints about fittings.
- There was a change to the league rules for Flag Football. They now have to be 5 by 11/1/2024.
- Brett also asked if Board members still get one free player.
- **Destiney Bailey makes a motion for active board members to get one free kid on registration. Seconded by Mike Bishop. Motion passed unanimously.**

Old Business

- Registration
 - Bri asked if parents get a confirmation email when they register. Destiney said the email goes to her but she will ask Courtney to fix that.
 - Bri also asked about a message on Stampedes Facebook. A mom is reaching out about how to get her children fitted and forms turned in before they leave for their dads for the summer. Destiney says that they need all forms turned in before they leave and we can have them try on some uniforms from last year. Cara says she'll reach out to her.
 - Destiney states that Holly Foods is having their rib fest soon. We should reach out and ask if we can set up a booth to do in person registrations. Bri says she will reach out to them.
 - Destiney also says it's \$25 a day to set up a registration booth at the Holly Farmers Market. Bri, Destiney and Pat all say they are willing to go. Pats going to set up this weekend.
- Fittings
 - Destiney states we have a football player who won't be here during fittings. Trevor says when this happened last year they had to set up a time with Joe to get fitted there.
- Trailer Update
 - TABLED UNTIL NEXT MEETING

- Uniforms
 - Trevor says that Mike is meeting with Kelly about uniforms tomorrow. Mike asks if there's anything new we want with the jerseys? Destiney states there were problems with the numbers on the jerseys being visible last year so maybe we add an extra outline or something.
 - Cara states that again, she has her uniforms picked out but she's waiting for final numbers. Cheer parents need to provide shoes, white socks, black shorts and a black long sleeve crop. The warmups are \$80.
 - Destiney suggests fundraising for warmups in the beginning of the season. Cara agrees.

New Business

- Equipment
 - Trevor says that him and Mike are looking into shoulder pad racks to store them better. We can buy them from Ridall or have someone make them.
 - Destiney suggests we all agree on a date to go clean out the storage unit. June 15th at 4pm was agreed on.
- Fundraising Dates
 - Mike states that he met someone at the farmers market who sells salsa that is willing to do fundraisers with us. He also says that he is willing to come to games to sell salsa if that's something we can do.
 - Destiney says we do concessions but what if we were able to do food trucks. Other schools do it. She's going to ask Kinnamon. Pat says it'll help with food costs. Mike states it doesn't compete with the money concessions bring in.

Public Comment

- Mr. Cline - He states Clarkston Chiefs are full and that he'd be willing to take some flyers and inform them that we still have some openings.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned by Destiney Bailey at 8:17 p.m.

I respectfully submit the PROPOSED minutes as an accurate account of the business conducted by the Holly Stampede Youth Football and Cheer Board of Directors during the March 18, 2024, Regular Board Meeting.

Submitted By: Briana Opalewski – Secretary Date: 05/20/2024