



VIKINGS VOLLEYBALL BOARD MEETING –November11, , 2013

Board Members present: Karen Johnson, Mandi Bombard, Jen Hedberg, Micki Husnik, Jon Siseman, Maureen Fourre, Scott Hadrava, Rick Weispfennig, Mike Selbitschka; Kelly Coleman

Board members absent:

Review and approval of last meeting minutes. (October 14, 2013)

Director - Jon

Update on team selection.

We will have 8 teams:

12s	10 players
13black	8 players
13red	9 players
14's	20 total for two 14s
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15s	10
17s	10

3 players were cut

Jon will forward this information to Kelly tonight

Jon will speak to parents of cut players, then Kelly can post it.

We did hire hire two 18 year olds to coach the 13 black team. Mike and Jon will meet with them to give them direction. Told them it needs to be 100% positive reinforcement at this age.

Mike and Jon will go to some of their practices to make sure working out.

Kelly asked about parent open practices. Jon can't deny parents, but it distracts the athletes. He will deal with it if it comes up.

Tried to hire Jody Fanth, but couldn't work with her schedule. She is interested in next year. She is a higher level coach, and was a student of Steve Dickhudt. We will get in get in touch with her in august.

Continue to reach out and find coaches.

Remove Tosha from any lists, she is not coaching this year..

Have everything ready on Thursday that you need to say. Mandi will talk about return of volunteer checks.

Will split out with coaches/teams, and to order uniforms

Got a contact for Vikings classic. If you get any inquiries forward to Jon.

A spot is not guaranteed until we receive their check.

If someone wants to pull out, and we can fill their spot, they can get a refund.

North Country Region skills clinic on Monday.

Jon will send out email.

We have 8 teams, and we ordered carts and bags for 6. We will need to order 2 more.

Jon will send last purchase invoice and have Karen get identical to previous order,

Will order 2 carts and 2 bags.

Jon asked about boxes? Jen is working on.

Jon asked Mike to have document package for coaches. CD, forms, coaching drills.
training documents, links.

65 players, last year we had 55 without 18s

The 18s are required to do the same fundraising as other teams.

They are responsible for same uniforms, facility etc.

They will give Karen uniform order Thursday.

13blk Seniors Ceyerra Kramer and Cassie Doerr will be coaching, salary will be split down middle

Will do 1099s when pay them.

We will have parents review rosters for accuracy.

Associate Director - Scott

Scott, would like to give the 13s 14s coaches the right to move players up or down, depending on how well they do. Create atmosphere of competition.

Talked with coaches from Braham, they tell coaches to play better players.

Jon said we could look at possibly changing bylaws, in regards to competition, and players could be moved to other team if doing well or not trying. Need to look at process. Will bring up and talk about February great idea, can't do in 3 days prior to season. Put process in place for when environment is ready for it.

Sports Director - Rick

Rick will email necessary forms to coaches.

He needs a check for NBAAA for \$150. Jon said we can pay in January.

Scheduler: Jen

Jen has completed the practice scheduling, and will post on website tomorrow.
Practice days/times vary for teams. Had to fit in with other activities at the schools.
Jen asked if we had scheduled a coaches meeting. Set aside Jan 18 for clinic in St. Joseph, MN

Fundraising Coordinator - Mandi

She will confirm with Scott from Papa Murphys that the cards can be used anywhere. She has a call to confirm expiration date and where can be used.

Ben will be at the meeting at 6:30 setting up food and will have samples. Mandi will call and see if he can be there at 6.00

Grocery bagging. She has a call into Brandon, he told her to call in November. He said he is trying to stick within the school clubs. .

Mandi will have Vikings classic volunteer sign up sheet will be at parent meeting.

Uniform/Merchandise Coordinator - Karen

The eflyer will be posted on parent night.
Karen will deliver items to coaches and they will hand out.
Practice -tshirts will be ordered ahead of time. Karen will give to coaches.
One practice t-shirt per kid, per coach.
Jon asked if ordering extras. We could give to janitorial staff as thank you's. Order 10 adults.
Need coaching staff sizes by 14th. Vendor suggested keeping it simple.
Warm up jacket for coaches and/or polo. .

Tell people to order their warm-up a hair big, so can use next year. Vendor will be here at parent meeting. He will take the orders and key in himself.

Send vendor a list of girls. Maureen to send list when Jon gets final list of teams.
Coaches options are Under Armour. Allotted 50.00.

Karen said Rick liked the style the girls will get. She will see if coaches can get same if they want.
Mike asked if libero red is okay with black jerseys. Karen said yes.
Karen need to know how many liberos, 1 in each group. 2 for 17s.

Website Administrator - Kelly

Will put on website that parents have to attend parent meeting at high school cafeteria. She wants to have computer and twitter up so parents can see.
Ask coaches how they are going to be using twitter. .
Kelly will take photos of coaches at parent meeting.
Kelly will speak on getting parents to volunteer to do website and pictures.
Possibly coaches send out information via twitter.

Jon encourage all board members to dig thru website, see if anything needs to be changed and/or updated.

Kelly will archive old stuff.

Treasurer - Micki

We are up to date with payments. Total of machine \$3595.00. We pay half to donate to program. Jon made arrangements to get it picked up.

Has key mechanism, only coaches can have the key.

Jen will need money soon, she is signing up for tournaments. A lot take credit card, Jen is paying and getting reimbursement. Jon said carol might have debit card.

Jen suggested for future we should try to get online registration.

Have check for \$500 from Rick for Rec Night.

Jon asked that we bring 75 color copies of eflyer. Told Karen if can't do send to John and he will have them printed.

Micki got first aid kits for each team. Micki sent thank you card. Maybe give t-shirt as thank you.

Karen order 15 extra t-shirts in case we need for thank you's.

Pictures- we will have team pics. Tell parents at parent meeting. First week in January pics will be done.

JO Advisor-Mike

Mike thanked the board for paying for half of the balls. So much more enjoyable with more balls.

Also thanks for helping get the ball machine. We now have machine to train blockers, hitters. Make JO kids better able to make high school team.

Reorganized storage room school. If have any ideas or suggestions. Give to him.

Would like to talk about donating jerseys at parent meeting.

Can we take some fundraising money and some of his activity money to get new shirts next year for 9th grade. Don't want kids to have to wear 1950 jerseys.

Scott suggested giving a \$5.00 discount if turn in jersey.

Say something to thank everyone who donated jersey last season. Kelly can.

Talk about the girls and how having nice jerseys made them feel.

Please go to mike with any ideas/suggestions to better program.

Karen suggested Mike bring a wish list of what he is in need of.

Next meeting: Sunday night December 8th 6:30 Americinn, Jen will get conference room.

Adjourned.