

Osseo Baseball Booster Club

JANUARY 2021 MEETING MINUTES



MEETING DATE: Monday, Jan. 11th at 7pm via Zoom

1. Meeting Called to Order—
 - a. Announcements by the President
No new announcements

2. Consent Business
 - a. Treasurers Report -presented by Jim Shaw.
We currently have a \$18,359.00 balance, \$43,000+ in the Legacy Account
 - b. Approval of December minutes
 - c. Motion to approve consent business by Jim Shaw, second by Joe Lavin – all approved and consent business is approved unanimously.

3. COMMITTEE UPDATES – Actively seeking new volunteers to join/head a committee!
 - a. BANNERS (Mark & Michelle Azure-12)
Starting to reach out to businesses with the exception of restaurants due to COVID. Need to have volunteer(s) to take this position on, can shadow the Azure's for this year to learn the process and workflow.
 - b. FIELD MAINTENANCE (Coach Lavin)
Batters Eye is up!!
 - c. FUNDRAISING (Tom Doubler—12)
No Cub bagging fundraising is allowed at this time.
Will have salt sales, and Heggie's Pizza Sales (No Papa Murphy's cards this year). Looking into additional fundraising options.
 - d. CONCESSIONS & APPAREL (Brenda Doubler-12, Pam Holien-12, TJ Mattson-11, Tammy Haag -8)
Welcome Tammy! Volunteer for Apparel. XGrain Apparel Store order will be delivered to Coach, will notify players/families once received, arrange a pick-up time.
 - e. PLAYER DEVELOPMENT (Coach Lavin)
Wednesday Night Hitting in the East Gym, just needing volunteers to make sure that bases and balls are out. Sunday night's 9-10pm at the Dome, Tuesdays 2:30-4:30 "Captain's Practice" at the Dome. Dome time with an emphasis on arms. Sunday Dome night is going well, players need to plan for waiting outside to enter (weather).
 - f. OSSEO GIVEBACK OMGAA and BPAA NIGHTS (Coach Lavin)
 - g. SPECIAL EVENTS (**NEED COMMITTEE LEAD**)
 - i. SENIOR NIGHT (**NEED COMMITTEE LEAD**)
 - ii. SPONSOR NIGHT (**NEED COMMITTEE LEAD**)
 - iii. ALUMNI NIGHT/STRIKE OUT CANCER (**NEED COMMITTEE LEAD**)
 - h. BANQUET NIGHT
Led by John Partenun.
 - i. LEGACY PROJECT (Tom Doubler, 12)
Batter's Eye is up! The visualization You Tube video is available on our webpage.

4. NEW BUSINESS

- a. 2021-2022—Season forecast—Joe Lavin
13 NW Suburbs Conference Game scheduled, looking at adding additional games.
TENTATIVE DATES – Tryouts starting March 29th (Spring Break), games are allowed to start April 8th. Plan is to play ~3 games per week through to Memorial Weekend.
- b. Actively looking for new families/volunteers to join The Booster Club. Need to connect interested volunteers with outgoing volunteers this year, help with the transition.
- c. Pre-dome lecture meetings – would like to resume however the organization that had previously provided this is not available.
- d. A Thank You from the families to the Board, Coaches and Volunteers that facilitated the players to get out and play ball.

5. Old Business

- a. Fundraising Update—Tom Doubler
Case letter created. Ongoing - We also have a Google Sheet that is tracking all the potential businesses that we can/or have contacted to participate in our fundraising efforts.

6. Meeting Adjourned— 7:28pm

IMPORTANT DATES

Tryouts – March 29th-April 2nd

Arm Care the week of March 22nd at Park Center Dome – 6am

April 1st – Practice starts

April 8th – First possible game date

May 31st – Start of play-offs

Memorial weekend – Sections

June 16th-18th – State Tournament