



BOOSTER COMMITTEE OF ELK RIVER WRESTLING

Meeting Minutes – March 09, 2020

Attendees: Tom Osberg, Robert Erickson, Ericka Larson, Karen Pool, Miles Strain, Gary Clem, Laura Clem, Blake Christopherson.

➤ Meeting was called to order at 6:31 pm by Tom Osberg.

Agenda item 1: Motion to approve meeting minutes from February 12, 2020 by Rob Erickson second by Miles Strain.

Agenda item 2: **Treasurer's Report by Ericka Larson.**

Account totals as of 02/29/2020: Checking=\$24,869.08 and Savings=\$10,023.05. Two middle school and one high school wrestling coaches were paid in February. Misc deposits and expenses were also handled; reference balance sheet for details.

Agenda item 3: **Gable Club Update, Gary Ebner.**

Gary was not in attendance.

Agenda item 4: **Youth Update by Director, Blake Christopherson.**

End of season party for Level 1 wrestlers went very good! Level 2 wraps up their season at the end of March. MNUSA State Tournament had 3 Elk River wrestlers attend (unsure of outcome at time of the meeting). Blake has connected with Seth Truman to work on boosting their wrestler counts for next season. Blake is also looking at different means for advertising.

Agenda item 5: **Middle School update by Coach Gary Ebner.**

Coach Ebner was not in attendance.

Agenda item 6: **HS Update by Gary Clem** (on behalf of Bryan Kulm).

Bryan Kulm not in attendance. Gary Clem said the MN State Wrestling Tournament went well. Teammates who attended had a good time supporting our lone state participant, Seth Hopkins. Pete Haag was Seth's dominant coach during the wrestling season. Pete is a volunteer coach and Gary suggested giving Pete a thank you gift for all his hard work. Board agreed with this but did not specify an amount or item yet.

Agenda item 7: **Old Business.**

Nominees for the open positions are slim, possibly have 3 candidates. Karen Pool to send an email blast to all wrestling families to get more attention to the matter. High school season ending banquet has about 65 people attending, being catered by Elk River Pizza Ranch on March 22. Old Timers Tournament has two (2) teams signed up and Rob has handled a few questions from participants. Referees and building permit are set. DIBS will be set up by Karen Pool to get volunteers signed up. Take Down Cancer letter has been sent to the Randy Shaver Foundation. Karen Pool to post letter on website as well as contacting the Elk River Star News to post in the local paper.

Agenda item 8: **New Business.**

No new business at this time.

Agenda item 9: **Next Meeting.** Monday, April 13, 2020 with voting to take place for Treasurer and Vice President positions.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:57 pm; motion to adjourn by Laura Clem, second by Ericka Larson. *[Meeting minutes by Karen Pool]*