

GYAA
February Meeting Minutes

I. Call to Order

Jason Forgue called to order the regular meeting of the Gateway Youth Athletic Association at 7:04 PM on February 6, 2018 at Stanton Hall.

II. Roll Call

Roll call was conducted on paper sign in sheet. The following persons were present: Jason Forgue, Cindy Harris, David Mattoon, Barbara Small, Jennifer Smith, and Ann Pritchard

III. Reading and Acceptance of minutes from last meeting

Minutes from January were read and accepted.

IV. Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's Report was read and accepted

V. Old Business

- a. Replacement of PVJSL Director. Have new Director, Ann Pritchard.
- b. Rec Soccer Plaque Creation. Now we can combine with reg basketball. Jeff Drewitsma's mother engraving plaques and sending to us to insert pictures to distribute
- c. Town of Chester Rec. Committee. Jason sent proposal for use of \$7400 to fix and upgrade emery field. Next meeting monday February 12th to approve and start on process.
- d. Review of registration fees still owed from fall. Amount is now under \$400. Jason has list of several people still in need of paying for fall.

V. New Business

- a. Removal/Replacement of Vice President. Kayla Turner was removed as vice president of GYAA. Barbara Small was voted in as new Vice President.
- b. Rec. Basketball Updates. Shirts should be in tomorrow. Bags were already delivered but were not embroidered. First games were great but played in pennys.
- c. Suburban Basketball updates. Possible Summer League in the mix. This week and next weekend left before playoffs
- d. PVJSL Updates. Teams have to be registered by next saturday February 17th. Final day of registration is February 15th. As of today, only 50 kids have signed up which is not enough for any teams fully. Jason sent out email, hoping more sign up by deadline.
- e. Review of uniform contract with Xara Soccer. Jason got it to be extended to 4 years. Company will be present for uniform fittings on February 17th. 10% buyback account to be made, hopefully for couches uniforms.
- f. School Committee Update. Jason went last Wednesday and made proposal to reduce school use fees to \$0 but pay for janitorial fees. Next meeting February 14th to present more information and discuss further. Most likely will not vote till April.

g. Town of Chester request list for multi-use fields. Stephanie Bowdendorth and Kathy Engler will be at next meeting to present list for approvals.

h. Next Group Outing. Saturday March 3rd at 705pm at Springfield Thunderbirds. Jason has received 60 seats with 20 to 30 kids possibly to go out of ice.

i. Fundraising updates. Last paint night did not go well. Sarah was not present to present any more ideas. Red necklaces and other items to be sold at basketball games to help raise money.

VI. Adjourn

Jason Forgue adjourned the meeting at 7:55pm

Minutes submitted by: David Mattoon

Minutes approved by: