

Mount Horeb Softball Club Meeting

Date: **Monday, April 17, 2023 / 7:00 PM**

Location: **Culvers Front Room**

In attendance: **Kurt Adler, Evelyn Dahlgren, Taylor Mueller, Eric Swiggum, Jeff Mester, Christine Swiggum, Nicole Johns, Steff Christensen, Kris Aeschlimann, Kristin Casey, Nicole Imbus, Kate Kraemer, Amy Nichols, Amanda McWilliams**

Meeting Agenda:

1. Minutes from last meeting (posted)
2. Treasurer Report – Nicole Imbus: **\$71,134.70 in checking account. Funds from calendar raffle, TeamSnap registrations, and new corporate sponsors (Lake Ridge Bank and The Norsk)**
3. Student Liaison Report – Evelyn Dahlgren and Taylor Mueller
 - a. Event night update: **4/29 Youth, 4/27 Parent/Gparent, 5/6 Senior Game**
4. Coach Liaison Report – Eric Swiggum
 - a. JV Coach: **Eric is checking on the status if JV coach is in paid position/eligible for reimbursement.**
 - b. Reimbursement(s): **May 15-20**
5. Committee Reports:
 - a. Troll Tourney – Kristin Casey / Kris Aeschlimann: **Registrations are about the same as last update. Possibility for 8U/9U game at Sunrise on Friday of tournament weekend.**
 - b. Youth Coordinators – Jeff Mester / Mandy McWilliams
 - i. **Lights at night practices is cool! U12/U14s have been practicing. U10s start next week.**
 - c. Field Improvements – Kurt Adler
 - i. **JV Dugouts – steel roof is ON!!! – will send \$250 GC to Matt Forseth for his help / VIP credit for Steve Kellesvig!**
 - ii. **Additional field improvements to add: bolt benches at JV Field, replace fencing at Varsity dugouts (aug-oct)**
 - iii. **Varsity Field Lighting Update – Village and School**
 - d. Equipment – Ryan Clifton: **All equipment has been handed out.**
 - e. Concession Coordinator– Amy Nichols: **Freezie pops are popular – scoreboard controller got wet from rain coming in concession stand.**
 - f. Umpire Coordinator – Jeff Imbus
 - i. **Umpire Training – May 13th, 10AM for middle schoolers and up**
 - g. Apparel Coordinator – Marah Odgers: **Recent apparel order is in and reminder to pick up email will be sent out.**
 - h. Field Coordinator – Eric Swiggum: **the new net is up, and the old net has been sold.**
 - i. **Other Committee Reports?**
6. Old Business – Updates
 - a. **Attendance at college softball games – Katie Nicewander – no update**
 - b. **VIP Update**
 - i. **Plan of attack: VIP will be tracked on Nicole’s google sheet, Kate will use TeamSnap to add assignments to each teams’ games. Kurt will track signup genius, coaches will review at the end of the season. Refunds have been processed for those who have already filled their obligation.**
 - ii. **Number that opted out – 8ish people.**
 - c. **Calendar Raffle – After expenses, the MHSC cleared \$9,625.50!! – Kurt Adler**
 - d. **Field Improvements in the Village – Kurt Adler**
 - i. **Sports Complex – Dewitt property / Sports Fields – Meylor property / Grundahl Revitalization**
 - e. **Legion Softball – U16 – Eric Swiggum: we won’t participate in legion this year, but will have a u16 team in Bob Tomlinson’s summer league – Wednesday night 5-inning double headers in June and July coached by Jason Hanson and Jen Turk. Cost will be \$30/player and MHSC will cover additional costs (umps, etc). A TeamSnap registration will be put together w/ insurance waiver and the girls can wear t-shirt (no need for jerseys).**

7. New Business
 - a. Field Prep – Lauren Mester will take this on.
 - b. Hitting clinic – Eric: **Eric will check Brian's schedule – 5/21 may work. Looking into having Varsity coaches stop by youth practices for 30-min pitching coaching.**
 - c. Corporate sponsorship donations (since last meeting):
 - i. J&R Underground - \$2,850 (discounted electrical duct installation)
 - ii. MH Knights of Columbus - \$250
 - iii. E Thompson Carpentry - \$750
 - d. Frolic Parade: looking into parade handouts.
8. Next meeting: Monday, May 15th, 2023 at 7PM
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