

Mount Horeb Softball Club Meeting

Meeting Time/Location:

Date: Monday, October 16th / 7:00 PM

Location: Culvers

In attendance: Kurt Adler, Maddie Swiggum, Jojo Murray, Nicole Johns, Christine Swiggum, Phil Geisler, Kate Kraemer, Eric Swiggum, Rob Schreiber, Sadie Sutter, Katie Nicewander, Jeff Mester

Meeting Agenda:

1. Minutes from last meeting: posted
2. Treasurer Report – Nicole Imbus (not in attendance): \$50,297.67 current balance. (\$2800 paid out \$2350 to American Fence for backstop fencing, VIP payments, and port-o-potty rental.)
3. Student Liaison Report – Jojo Murray, Gina Rhiner, Maddie Swiggum: No news
4. Coach Liaison Report – Jeramie Holman (not in attendance) – Eric Swiggum: first week in November for off-season conditioning on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and may also run one on Monday morning
5. Committee Reports:
 - a. Youth Program – Jeff Mester: 90 total players for winter teams and next season. Indoor practices will start December 3rd.
 - b. Equipment – Stephanie Christensen
 - i. Shed clean-up / equipment inventory / collect coach's books – after fall ball
 - ii. Construction items stored in there currently
 - iii. Once construction items are moved out, then Stephanie will get inventory squared away and figure out what we need. Ryan picked up an extra set of catcher's gear for \$25.
 - c. Troll Tourney: committee will meet within next couple of weeks
 - i. Save the date announcement: Maddie will put together save the date and then we will send out and post to websites.
 - ii. Kurt and Jeff to finalize agenda for first meeting: more to come
 - d. Umpire Coordinator – Open Position (your name here): still open
 - e. Field Coordinator – Eric Swiggum: net is still up, and will be stored in salt box that will go behind the shed.
 - f. Apparel Coordinator – Marah Odgers: no news
 - g. Concession Coordinator – Amy Nichols: no news
 - h. Field Improvements – Kurt Adler
 - i. Second batting cage and moved/expanded pitching area update:
 1. Thank you to Jim Ramos and American Fence – reduced price on fencing backstop
 2. Metal cage structure is mostly complete
 3. Concrete footing installation is next item to complete – Reds Concrete
 - ii. Varsity dug out rehabilitation (~~tuck pointing~~ / painting / fencing)
 1. Mark Manteufel of Badger Painting – power washed on 10/8/23, painting on 10/10/23
 - iii. JV Dugouts - fencing started – Jim Ramos – American Fencing
 - iv. School Projects: infield work (both fields), window in concession stand – hopefully happening this week.

Old Business – Updates

- j. Corporate sponsorship gifts delivered: posters need to be picked up and delivered.
 - k. Coach Agreement forms – Google Form: In process
 - l. Football Concession stand recap: Went well, had enough volunteers who stayed, two of which were VIPers.
 - m. Game Changer options– Marc Rhiner: nothing new
6. New Business
- a. Insurance payment - \$16 increase: Kate motions to increase insurance payment, Jeff seconds, motion carries.
 - b. Catchers Clinic – Jan 7th – Syd Swiggum
 - i. Email to Team Snap Members to save the date / Signup Genius / \$15 per player
 - c. Can we have another clinic where Varsity coaches teach youth coaches how to coach hitting? Yes, we recently had one, but will try to set up another.
 - d. Can we have a JV2 team? The school would need to issue a position for another coach, or try to find a volunteer coach
7. Next meeting: November 20th, 7 PM at Culvers
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