



MISSION STATEMENT

"To guide and assist our youth in their pursuit of personal growth and the meaning of sportsmanship through athletic excellence, that will improve the lives of all that are involved."

RASA MINUTES

August 25, 2014

Attendees

Stacie Calder
Mary Jo Webb
Matt Caputo
Bill Smith

Bill Coblentz
Eric Medlin
Rich Scott

Ed Gall
Ray Fox
Brian Wilson

I. Secretary's Report: The minutes from the 7/14/14 meeting were reviewed and Matt Caputo motioned to approve, Ray Fox 2nd. Minutes were passed.

II. Treasurer's Report: The current balance is \$18,588.67. Most of the income was from the tournaments and concession stand. Also \$839.61 was deposited for the Penny Drive and will be donated to a local charity before the holidays. There is approximately \$7,500 outstanding. The outstanding balance is money owed from the local hotels used during PSAC (\$225), Fall Ball registrations that have not been transferred from PayPal yet (\$1,000), USSSA tournaments (\$6,350). The following bills were paid:

Richland Township	Loan Payment	\$ 4,000.00
Richland Township	Utilities (PPL, Dumpsters, Port-a-pots, Water)	\$ 2,408.43
VIGS	1 team registration for Fall Ball	\$ 200.00
Matt Caputo	Dunk Tank Rental*	\$ 148.40
NPVGSA	Fall Ball 5 teams registration	\$ 875.00
Total Bills to be Paid		\$ 6,383.42

Matt Caputo motioned to pay the bills and approve the Treasurer's report and Ed Gall 2nd. All approved.

*RASA donated the Dunk Tank rental fee for the Gill Family 5K fundraiser held at Vet Park. \$595 was raised for the family. A \$100 check from the Lions Club for the Gill Family was made payable to RASA in error. Matt Caputo wrote a check to the family and gave the check to RASA. A check was issued to Matt to reimburse him.

Travel team accounts: U12 year end received, U14 no info received, U16 year end received, U18 year end received at meeting.

A \$100 refund check was received from Calvary Church. Mary Jo was not sure if the Sunday Select teams fundraised enough to pay for all SS expenses. She will research to see where the refund should be credited.

III. Spring Rec:

- Only 2 new survey responses were received-both positive.
- All sponsor plaques have been handed out except the U12 Sunday Select that needs a picture and the ENV plaques was waiting for Paul to deliver.
- Sunday Select still needs to turn in their equipment

IV. Fall Ball:

- Eric Medlin has volunteered to take over as Fall Ball Chair.
- We currently have 80 girls registered.
- We need Tball coaches but the other levels have enough coaches.

- Eric attended the Fall Ball meeting at North Penn and Rookies, Minors, Majors will have games every Saturday at NPVGSA. Home team needs to provide the umpire (HS players have volunteered or parents may be used) RASA needs to provide game balls. The former equipment managers felt there were extra game balls in the shed.
- Shirt sizes need to be to Ray Fox by Friday 8/29 at noon so he can order the shirts from Paul Owens at Milford Sports.
- The snack stand will be giving all players ice cream cups.
- There will only be one U18 VIGS team. Ed Gall will contact the 3 U14 players that signed up to see if they would like to play up on U18 or play on the Majors.
- A coaches meeting is planned for September 2nd.
- Teams will receive their equipment on Thursday 9/4.

V. New Business:

Indoor Space-Indoor space is needed for pitching lessons, Free Skills clinics, and catcher's clinics. Maddie Calder, High School Varsity Catcher will be asked to run the clinics again this year. An email will be sent out to families to encourage them to start pitching lessons now so the girls are ready for spring. Stacie will try to get some space at the school district. Due to the construction at the High School there is very limited space. A quick look online showed Strayer and the Freshmen Center being completely booked by High School sports. She will try to reserve space at Milford, Pfaff, and Tohickon Valley. Bill will look into Calvary Church.

Board Positions- New chairpersons: Fall Ball-Eric Medlin, Director of Coaching-Eric Medlin, Equipment Manager-Shane Thrush. There are still many open positions and the current board may not be returning. An email will be sent out to all RASA families listing the open positions once the current board has made their decisions. Word of mouth is the best way to get volunteers, please think of people that may be a good fit for RASA and personally ask them if they would like to volunteer.

Adjournment:

Matt Caputo motioned to adjourn and Ray Fox 2nd. All agreed.

Next meeting – Wednesday 9/24/14

General Board RASA meeting 7pm at Vet Park Clubhouse.