

Upper Milford Youth Association | MINUTES

Meeting date | time *Apr. 17. | 8:00 P.M.* | Meeting location *Upper Milford Township Building*

Meeting called by Matt Skekel, President

Type of meeting Annual Meeting

Note taker Susannah Detwiler

Time Began: 8:04 PM

Time Finished: 11:30 PM

Members Present: Aaron Scharper, Robert Bogert, James King, Wendy Laird, Susannah Detwiler, Matt Skekel, Randy Faurl, Todd Reinert, Bryan Lobach, Sarah Rau, Rob Mutchler

Members Absent: Michael Naratil, Bryan Lobach, Kathy Nowroozani, Brandy Daddona, Charalambos (Harry) Marangos

In Attendance:

Upper Milford Youth Association (UMYA) is a non-profit 501c3 entity, hosting monthly meetings that are open to the public. Our mailing address is: UMYA, P. O. Box 83, Old Zionsville, PA 18068. We meet on the third Tuesday of every month, except for two floating meetings in July and December. Board positions are on an annual volunteer basis.

Old Business

- February and March meeting minutes were reviewed. Randy made a motion to approve, Todd seconded, motion passed all in favor.

Executive Reports

President- Matt Skekel

- Summer Tennis Program is in planning stage. Registrations will open as soon as the dates and fees are set. Approval to move forward with the Tennis Program was up for vote. Motion made by James, seconded by Susannah. All in favor, Motion passed.
- Upper Milford Township has offered us use of the electronic billboard on Buckeye Rd when space is available. We would like to make use of this generous offer. The billboard is owned by Adams Advertising.
- Spring Clean-up day was this past Saturday April 14th. Turn-out from Families was much lower than we had hoped. A note was sent from the township asking for us to be sure that debris is placed in the proper locations during clean-up day. (Neighbors to Lenape Park were witnessed dumping their yard wastes along the park edge.) UMYA is extremely thankful to the parents and children who spent their Saturday helping to keep our parks beautiful.
- We need to bolster Volunteerism in our organization. Matt requests the board members to brainstorm ideas to drive up interest and be prepared to discuss them at the next meeting. He would like a plan in place by the beginning of Fall Sport registrations.

Vice President- Randy Faurl

- Pictures are scheduled 4/29. Randy requested a list of coaching contacts to plan and release a schedule.
- There will not be a family fun day. Discussion was held over hosting a Coach Appreciation.
- There is an assistant coach needing approval. In this instance a non-violent/non-child endangering record exist outside of the 5 year period. After Board Discussion on the topic, a motion was made by Bryan to approve this coach. Rob seconded. All were in favor, motion passed.

Treasurer- Bryan Lobach

- A new account has been opened at Embassy Bank. There is \$685. We are in the process of switching over from BBT. There are several invoices needing payment. Brandy Daddona will need a bank card issued from the new account.

Secretary- Susannah Detwiler

- Need to approve the Christmas Party venue at Vito's Restaurant on Tuesday December 11th, 2018
- Friday July 13th- Coaches Picnic and home run derby Lenape Park is reserved tentatively
- Softball Pony Playoffs are scheduled for Saturday June 16th and Sunday June 17th. There is currently a reunion scheduled at the pavilion on Saturday by Mildred Endy and Linda Young (215-679-8637). We will need to notify the family of potential parking lot congestion. Snack bar will need to be open for the weekend. Also, back up paper towels and toilet paper should be requested.
- Countryside has offered a team discount to players getting ice cream after their games. Children wearing UMYA uniforms are eligible for 10% off.

Registrar (Insurance Coordinator)- Laura Mory- Reports to Board from a non-voting position

- *Paypal Balance: \$1945.80, \$24,000 was transfered to BB&T on 4/10*
- *Current registrations:*
23-Tball
16- Coach Pitch Baseball
14 - Bidy Baseball
16 - Pony Softball
15 - Pixie Softball
37 - Micro Soccer
228 - Spring Soccer

Coordinator Reports

Snack Bar- Brandy Daddona ☒- Not present

- Brandy needs a snack bar code so that stocking can take place this week. Matt will get her a code.

Uniforms- Sarah Rau

- All uniforms are done except T-Ball.
- Geist and R & J Printing did a wonderful job with printing of Softball Micro Soccer and Baseball.
- Soccer was handled by A & H, there were issues with soccer uniforms.
- Robert Bogert made a motion to approve Sarah in the position as a coordinator. Bryan Seconded. All were in favor, motion passed.

Parks and Recreation- Randy Faurl

- The soccer wall was approved for Jasper Park by the Township.
 - The \$5000 allotment from the township will be issued to UMYA, minus the cost of installation of the wall.
 - The poison ivy is under observation and control at Jasper.
 - All the fencing will be addressed in the parks.
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Basketball- Vacant Position (Covered by Wendy Laird)

- Off Season, Coordinator needs board approval
- 5 teams played this winter.
- 5-6 girls went undefeated.
- Participation was in the LMYA and AFC league

Coordinator Reports

- Next year, all teams should be capped at 10.
- There is a summer team playing in the AFC league. 3-4 age.
- Uniforms will need numbers on the front and back.

Volleyball- Todd Reinert/ Position Available

- Off Season
- There is currently no volunteer willing to take over the volleyball division. If no one comes forward to help.

Kickball- Charalambos (Harry) Marangos

- Off Season

Website- Charalambos (Harry) Marangos

- Researching Team Snap- Discussed. Pricing is significantly higher from competing providers.

Equipment- Rob Mutchler

- Ice Cream Cooler has been donated
- Equipment ordered for Spring, soccer, baseball and softball.
- A Pallet of paint was delivered to Lenape.
- The garage is organized.

Sponsorship- Open Position

- Nothing to report

Baseball/T-Ball- Michael Naratil/ Position Available

- Ryan Gingrich and Rick Yenser(both have done their clearances and have been submitted to UMYA)
- We have the following teams for the Spring for ULMK league, 2 at Tball, 1 at coach pitch

PYL

- 1 Bidy National (Please verify that Bryan Lobach sent in the league fees as I e-mailed him twice with no confirmation response).
- Most teams should have their equipment as I know that Rob was working on it. Tball teams are the only ones that need to pick up.
- Special thanks to Sarah Rau for ordering all 4 baseball uniforms through Geist. That was a huge help!
- Their is a PYL league meeting scheduled for this Wednesday that will be attended by Spencer Davis and Geoff Laird (coaches of our Bidy National team).
- Unfortunately, we couldn't secure a second coach at the minors(coach pitch) level and Cheryl Martucci has taken on all registrants and will run a team of 17 kids.
- Tball registration is still opens as both teams could still take another couple of kids.

Softball- Bryan Lobach

- 2 Softball teams so far.
- Back stops and tennis courts need attention at Lenape
- Equipment?
- Coaches Meeting April 18, 2018 at 7 P.M. at the Upper Milford Township Building
- Games begin May.

Field Scheduler- Matt Skekel

Coordinator Reports

- All fields are open. Space is tight. Discussion was had over possible field locations.

Soccer

- Seasons are underway. Schedules are out.
- Finding Coaches was difficult this season
- Our organization is at full capacity. We have had turn away a few players due to an overloaded age brackets. We will likely have to set limits to registrations going forward. Coaching volunteers and field space are limited.
- Lehigh Tempest Team will be playing at Cedar Crest College. They looking for a partnership to promote Girls Soccer.
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New Business

- Coaches are: U16 Girls- Steve Harris, U16 Boys- Charalambos Marangos, U12 Boys- John Ropars, Les Schoenberger, Matt Cook, U12 Girls- Michael Gable, Robert Bogert, U10 Girls- Mike Ludwig, Harry Redmond, U10 Boys- Randy Fauri, Chris Milligan, Bill Wreaks, John Mayer U8 Boys- Chris Milligan, Bill Wreaks, Matt Mecouch, Steve Hearn, U-8 Girls- Nicole Calise, U-7 Tommy Arndt, Pat Dodson, Shannon Dougherty, Mike Montero, Marcus Camacho
- Ryan Gingrich and Rick Yenser- Baseball, Jeff Laird, Spencer Davis, Cheryl Martucci, Brad Martucci
- Softball Bryan Lobach, Andrea DeFanti
- MicroSoccer- Aaron Scharper, Joel Schucavage, Lucas Ofner, Issac Lyngdoh, Matt Cook, Holly Decker
- Coaches were up for approval, Sarah proposed, James seconded, All were in favor, motion passed.
- Meeting ended at: 11:30 P.M.

Ongoing Tasks

Task	Person(s) in charge	Date of Completion
Report Budgets to Treasurer	Sport Coordinators	Ongoing
Check P.O. Box	President	Ongoing
Maintain Clearances Records	Secretary	Ongoing
Upload Approved Minutes to Web	Secretary	Monthly

Next Meeting

May 15 8 P.M. Upper Milford Township Building, 5671 Chestnut St. Old Zionsville, PA 18068