

MARS Board Minutes 12/11/2013

Members: Al Keizer President, Vacant VP, Jim Lees Coach Coordinator/Development, Sandy Robotski Treasurer, Trevor Dobrygoski Registrar, Brenda Foley Equipment Manager, Tracey Wren Public Relations, Vacant Field Coordinator, Angie Werth Fund Raising/Cheese Days

Present: Jim Lees, Al Keizer, Trevor Dobrygoski, Rose Bauer, Sandy Robotski, Amy Burkhalter

Topic Discussion/Recommendation Action

Previous Minutes Approval of minutes Minutes approved

Administrators

Report:

Trevor

Spring 2014 registrations. Only 6-7 signed up as of today. ➤ January 13th will be the team formation meeting. Teams

need to be registered by the 14th. Registration deadline will be 1/10/14. Angie and Tracey will be passing out

flyers in the schools.

Sandy Robotski, will be stepping down. A Transition of Treasurer Responsibilities will occur in the next few

months.

Revision of Volunteer forms will need to be completed.

January 13th will be the team

formation meeting, all

managers, coaches are invited

to attend.

➤ Identify a Treasurer

Trevor will remove the dog walking from the volunteer

forms.

Identify a Field

Coordinator/Manager

Identify a Vice President

Presidents Report: Need Field Coordinator/Manager. We need more

referees, age limit is 12. MARS will pay for referee

course.

Vice President

Report on Annual all club meeting: Went well, Challenger Coach was very informative, unfortunately it was sparsely

attended.

Michelin tire/soccer ball update: Free Soccer balls still

available.

Discussion on Constitution: Deferred. Spring Team Formation Date: January 13th.

Coaching Report: A Challenger Report: Jim has offered to donate monies to Jim Lees and Dan Frehner will be

sponsor a free camp for individuals signed up for MARS. It raising money for the Challenger

as an organization could raise \$3,000-5,000, MARS would Camp.

consider matching. Camp will be offered late to mid June. Troy will speak with Dave the MHS

Troy Bader is currently working on bringing on a athletic director about the

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Jim



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Challenger Coach on full-time as staff. High school is Challenger program and putting in paying Tony, Kurt and Ryan to coach. Trevor commented two fields. may be better money spent if used on younger players Yes, camp approved. It will be held and funnel them up in the program. Question: how often the second week of August. should MARS bring in a Challenger Coach. The High schoo Nicole Einbeck will pursue a donor. is currently paying for the referees, but that is it. MARS Rose Bauer will pursue a donor. Jin has \$48,000 right now. Between Cheese Days and Net will pledge \$1,000. Paula Ludwig and Ten, MARS will profit approximately \$26,000. The will pursue Swiss Colony. key to a successful program is more kids will bring in more Jim will contact Challenger Coach money. The High school has property that is under a least regarding attending practice once Troy B. is looking into this as an option. Troy has offered a week. his excavating services. Possible options: have the camp after school for a couple of hours or a half day camp. Feedback: Coaches seem to push back, they do not like to give up their practices. General consensus is August in the morning (9-12). The Challenger Coaches will run training for the Coaches. The camps main purpose is to peak interest. Bring a Challenger Coach down once a week to help with High School (U16-18) and Girls team. MARS has no control over the High school program.

Public Relations:

Net and Ten will be held 3/23/14.

Tracy Wren

Storage Shed

The Storage unit has a lot of other items in it- a float, brat

stand, etc.

Jim

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Uniforms Colors Jim spoke with Dave and there are no issues with color.

MARS will change colors next fall. \$500.00 a team to sponsor uniforms (\$42.00- Jerseys, shorts and socks). The

sponsor will have their name on uniforms. Tracey at

Heartland Graphics will handle the uniforms

Discusion/processs improvement

MARS will receive a \$100.00 rebate.

ideas-

Troy

Troy voiced concerns regarding the lack of notification/communication for the Team formation Sprin meeting. As a whole moving forward, it was decided there will be more communication between the board, managers, coaches and parents. Each of us is responsible,



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so please attend as many Board meetings as possible. As an organization all members will strive to work together $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right) +\left$

collaboratively and respectfully in the future.

Walk-in's If you are coaching a team that is regular, that you

would like to make into a classic team. The board will need advance notice, to charge players accurately.

Future Agenda **

NEXT MEETING:

Items: Uniforms-Tracey Hamilton

Mon January 13th, 7:00 pm 2nd floor Library

Task	Owner	Time Line	Comments	Indicator	Date Complete d
Uniforms: Colors, Reversible	AL	Spring meetin g			
Type up Board members					
Registration will be posted on-line.	Trevor	11/15/ 13			
Volunteer forms	Trevor	11/15/ 13			
Flyers to the schools	Tracy	1/1/14			