**Central York Junior Panther Board Meeting**:

**Date: Oct 17, 2022 @ 6:30pm**

**Attendance:**

* **Todd Suchanic-President**
* **Stacey Moon-Vice President**
* **Jason Matte-Football Director**
* **Johna Wokulich-Secretary**
* **Monica Gingrow-Treasurer / Cheer Director**

**\*several people in attendance; parents of players in organization; Ashley Barshinger – concession stand manager**

**Agenda:**

* **\*Vote in meeting minutes from previous meeting (Sept 2022**)\*voted in
* **Treasurer Report –** provided paper report of finances
* **Equipment Insurance Renewal –** paid on 9/28 per Todd; $2400
* **League News**
  + Meetings – UPDATE; noted that Dover location for 11/5 playoff games for Varsity level; top 2 get a BYE; second round of playoffs will be 11/12; Varsity level the top 6 advance to playoffs; JV level the top 4 advance; Jess Cramer husband volunteered to run the time clock on 11/19 championship day for all games at central
  + Dover – money owed since 9/10 –this has been paid; check received; will be deposited (amount was $155)
* **Communication:** Todd noted that communication issue regarding ‘red bag’ for home games; johna asked if there was any other specific communication issue; voiced nothing else specific
* **Cancelled practices:** if practice cancelled --- due to weather, is it across the board? Todd brought up – that if practices are cancelled, should be across the board; Jason noted that his team came to Emigsville building to watch film; he communicated that amongst his team; not a ‘practice night’ but held a practice offsite. Someone asked if the board would be liable if something happened off site (of the normal central hs grounds); does that have to be offered across the board to all teams in the event practices are cancelled due to weather; someone voiced that just to review the insurance the organization holds to determine ‘off site liability’ or also make it known it is ‘not mandatory’; would any classrooms in the HS be able to be used for a ‘film watching’ practice
* **Coverage of Games:** per Todd, this was tabled from a previous board meeting; there was a parent issue 2 Sundays ago – Jason addressed with that parent specific; Jason noted no issue with coverage, but doesn’t see the need to include Monica / Johna; solely the 3 men on the board; several non-board members voiced their opinions and offered questions / recommendations; Todd referenced the parent incident; Stacey voiced that creating a schedule for remaining games would help to determine coverage; it was noted that if a board member is unable to attend; would there be a “league representative” to be able to attend games and be that ‘presence’?; Jason noted he will email out to board to look at remaining games for coverage.
* **Playing time:** Todd noted that JV rink parent voiced that player didn’t get in until very end of game; voiced that ‘playing time is not equal across the board’; Jason asked to talk to talk to coach at JV rink level; a JV rink team mom in attendance voiced that the “players voice to the coaches that they don’t want to go in to play”; Jason noted he’s seen multiple games and they do run a ”black / orange” offense / defense type of game play to include as many players as possible; it was asked how many kids on JV rink team; noted to be 28 kids; non board member asking if due to the large number of players, could they be more evenly distributed amongst teams; Jason voiced – due to lack of coaches, its hard to have a good distribution so that you have ‘equal playing time’; it was noted that 17-18 is a realistic number to have on a team; that is what the Varsity level tries to do; unfortunately, it happens when you get 20+ kids on 1 team. Jason offered maybe like a “scrimmage” mentality or option to gauge to get kids more playing time; another non board member voiced that it shouldn’t be all about winning, but more ‘development’; that kids should get the same playing time when everyone pays the same amount of money; voiced that you could split JV to afford kids more playing time; again – noted that if you don’t have coaches, then teams remain with high numbers; Jason voiced that he would reach out to coaches regarding playing time; also noted per a team mom, what about the players who don’t show up to practice? How does playing time affect that?; Jason noted that he’s been made aware and talked to parents / coaches; it was noted that maybe the season should start early to help incentivize coaches for equal teams to help playing time.
* **Stadium (refence to dan’s email);** Stacey voiced that he did do his usual end of game duties, but noted he did not check the stadium bleachers; noted that the organization should define what are the Central York AD (Dan hagerman’s) expectations regarding use of the stadium; Todd noted he talked to dan and voiced that he has the same expectations as previous AD marty trimmer; Stacey voiced that maybe need to create an end of game checklist.
* **Championship Games;** home teams provide chain gang; noted that time clock operator for the day is set; admission fee is being charged and each organization is asked to man that responsibility for a certain time frame on sat nov 19
* **Image 360;** Todd voiced if there needs to be more organization in doing it as a whole for the organization moving forward; Jason noted that if you do it as a whole organization, it may drive down cost of individual poster; non board member voiced that posters were taken down during the game and that parents were unable to get picture of player standing next to poster on fence; another non board member noted that you could hold poster up and have a 3rd party take a family picture of poster and player and player family; or it was noted that use of the entire fence around the field is able to be used to spread out posters for future seasons; non board member voiced that varsity pony posters were positioned at a great location, down on an end away from center field.
* **Cheer;** nothing to report; varsity girls have been amazing this year
* **Concession stand;** Todd voiced that it has been a lot of hard work for concession stand to run / operate; brings in close to $4000; noted / asked what would you like to see in concession stand – hot cocoa? Chic fil a? would coffee be an option? Smaller cups for cocoa/ coffee? Would getting pizza be an option?; initially numbers flying around for profit from concession stand: $1955.85; $4272 during Homecoming date; non board member noted selling items in concession stand – poncho, yard signs, bracelets, apparel as seen in other locations.
* **Public Comment;** comment noted from jv midget team mom to get info regarding graduating midget ceremony; johna voiced that info has been shared with families of graduates and it will be sent out in mass email

Next meeting – Nov 14 at 6:30p/ township building?