

St. Francis of Assisi Athletic Association

Meeting Agenda for: January 23, 2020

Location: RMR

Time: 8:30 pm

Call to Order-Prayer-

Opening Comments from President

Previous Meeting Minutes

- 1st – Terry Richter
- 2nd – Chris Wood

Financial Report- Treasurer Brian Wismann

- Balance Sheet
 - No Changes
- Profit/Loss
 - Printed it sideways this year instead of vertical
 - Some revenue from adult softball
 - Expense for Volleyball champ sweatshirts
 - Meetings expense was the Christmas Party
 - Outside services is still the Bussen fees. Dumpsters reduced to once a month
- Motions to Approve
 - 1st – Dan Hufker
 - 2nd – Joe Rothermich

CYC Rep Report: Kevin Sajol

- Basketball playoffs for two grades will be hosted in
- Soccer Rule Changes
 - 8v8 soccer for 4th grade starting this year
 - Standardizing goal sizes for ages under 4th grade – More details to come
 - Eliminating game suspension for intentional hand ball
- April 3rd is start of the Baseball/Softball
- SFA recognized as the only parish with scheduling information in on time
- Scholarship info is available on the CYC site
 - Needs to be postmarked by March 2
- Need to nominate and pick Parish Person of the Year in the next two meetings
- April 25th – CYC County Banquet

Lay Director Reports:

Basketball - Abby LeCroy

- All good so far this season

- One incident with cussing this year - Strict enforcement going forward on all courts
- Rosters and Score sheets have all been submitted as necessary

IM Basketball – Katie Albin

- Boys IM numbers are way down
 - Concerns may be related to cost with no games and other programs that do offer games
 - Concerns may also revolve around having to work concessions
- Girls IM numbers are still doing well
- There is a chance for the lay director role to be open if there is interest on anyone's part
- Concerns about boys' coaches next year given Katie will not be coaching next year
- Frank to meet with Katie to discuss options for including games in the routine
 - Considering a survey to get feedback from parents
- Scrimmaging with the boys would be tough given Katie is the only person there so we may need to solicit help from parents

Baseball/Softball – Mike Rekart

- Only 10 people signed up so far
- May be stuck pushing 8th grade boys elsewhere because there are so few of them

IM Baseball/Softball – Rob Witzel

- No longer looking to play IM on Sundays
- April 17th start date
- Pre-K and K has short attention span, so there is a strong interest in pursuing 30 minutes of practice and 30 minutes of play
- 1st and 2nd Grade has been moved to 5 hittable pitches or 3 swinging strikes
- Registration closes March 8
- Black Out dates need to be sent in ASAP

Golf – Jeff Kesselring

- NO REPORT

Rugby- Tom Burton

- NO REPORT

Volley Ball – Dan Hufker

- NO REPORT

Soccer- Chris Hulsey

- NO REPORT

Intramural Soccer-Ryan Werkmeister

- NO REPORT

Capital Imprvnts/Facilities Committee-Chris Wood

- Superbowl squares – We have two boards this year
 - One sold out at Café Telegraph
 - Second board being sent to Café for additional exposure

Old Business

Spring Dance

- Vote for Pedro is booked for our Spring dance on 4/18/19
- Voted STL's Best Party Band

Game Blues @ Winnipeg

- Saturday February 1st @ 6 PM
- Doors open at 5:00 PM
 - For pregame and to allow mass crowds to just come over
 - Bring your own chairs, bleachers will be open
- Watch the game in the gym
 - Needs concession stand workers
 - Needs laptop with ability to connect with projector
- Concession Stand
 - Food and Beer
 - Need to have Hamburgers and food ready for the 4:00 mass
 - Add shifts to the Concession Stand sign up – Dave to ask Christina
 - Need to blast again to get volunteers and to communicate the need to bring your own chairs
- Intermission Games
 - Long Shot 50/50 along the far wall (3 shots for \$5)

Concession Stand Walls

- Fixed – Yay we are compliant with Health Department

Open positions

- Baseball Field Manager filled by Sean Reinke – big thanks, will need a crew.

Advertising

- Point made that we have not had the advertisers up in the gym
 - Very good point and steps will be taken to correct this

New Business

High School Scholarships

- Due 2/10/19
- \$750 from SFAAA with chance for another \$500 from CYC for one boy and girl
- Info has been sent out by Hannah Auer

Parish Person of the Year Nominations

- Nominations and Vote at the Feb. meeting, those are due Mar. 4th
- Family of the scholarship nominations if picked for county will be invited to banquet

Clean Up Day

- April 4th is the only current date available on the calendar
- Dave to put a bug in Bill's ear about getting something scheduled earlier
- Repairs needed badly on Soffit and Facia as soon as possible

8th Grade Night

- February 22nd is the only 8th Grade game / Same night as the Auction
- Frank to get flowers and Jason to announce

Play Like a Champion

- Frank is attending the county level training for Train the Trainer
 - Will be able to move forward with training the rest of the coaches in the parish
 - Likely going to be a 2-3 hour class
 - Still looking into whether or not we have to charge everyone \$25

Auction Donation

- Donating five free registrations for one year starting with Summer 2020 (Up to \$500 value)
 - No Concession Stand requirement
 - Deposit still required for uniform / Golf additional fees still apply

Grievance Committee

- Need to appoint new crew at the next meeting:
 - President's two picks:
 - Jeff Soell
 - Darren Williams
 - 2 managers (Abernathy and Gambino)
 - Ryan Workmeister
 - Dan Hufker
 - 3 parents not managers in any sport
 - Terry Richter
 - Bill Cielinski
 - Lindsey DeRoy

LCD Screen Scoreboard (Jason)

- Still on board
- Keep investigating and get better understanding of need to protect and total budget

New Training to Replace Protecting God's Children

- New one-hour training will be required of all coaches on an annual basis (Online)

Anniversary Mass

- February 15th
- Everyone with milestone anniversaries this year is asked to submit and join for mass and reception

Men's Basketball

- Open invitation to all men over 21+
- No game on Super Bowl Sunday

Catholic School's Week

- SFAAA booth will be set up in the gym
- Spring Sign Ups to be pushed hard
- May have a kiosk for on-the-spot registrations

Open to floor?

Good and Welfare

Invite friend's & other parents to attend our meetings.

Motion to Adjourn

- 1st – Joe Rothermich
- 2nd – Dan Hufker