

Eden Youth Sports Committee Approved Minutes 1/22/25

Present: Justin Niles, Erin Niles, Hannah Speer, Jeremey Oneil, Trevor Bidwell, Nicholas Tetreault, Kristina Brown, Dan Lathrop. Bryce Niles.

Community input- Parents to observe meeting.

1. Decision and Amendments on By-laws-. Nick spoke with the Selectboard about expanding the committee to making it a 3 to 7 person committee. Nick reports there is a lot of interest of people who want to join the committee. Nick reports multiple people who have submitted letters to the SB. Right now we have 4 members. Trevor mentioned that will increase the amount needed for a quorum. Kristina will let the town know that she would be willing to step down to make room for new members. With Nick also stepping down this would leave room for 3 new people. Dan spoke about people can still be participating in things without being on the committee. Kristina mentioned that delegating sports would be ideal at some point. It was brought up that having more people would make that happen. That was agreed upon, but not being on the committee wouldn't mean that people couldn't run sports.

2. Baseball registration and Blue Sombrero- Kristina spoke with Ashley who reassured there is no funds that are associated with using this program. Nick explained the program briefly to parents. There will be at least a 3 dollar fee for registering kids and that will have to be eaten or passed on to parents. Dan makes a motion to commit to Blue Sombrero. Nick seconded. Motion passed.

3. Baseball equipment- All new equipment for majors and minors, coach pitch and softball. Catchers gear for each team except tee ball, all new baseballs, softballs if needed, sprayer, Chalk liner is good. Uniforms. Nick mentioned how we previously just made t shirts for the younger teams.

4. Bleachers- Nick mentioned that conversation with Selectboard about seeing if the school can purchase the bleachers and then we would re-imburse them. Kristina will contact someone at the supervisory union in regards to get. Dylan Laflamme may be who to contact.

5. Assign positions- Coordinator, co-coordinator, equipment manager, Treasurer, Secretary. These positions need to be assigned after town meeting day.

6. New members- Brief discussion touched at start of meeting about process to get on board.

7. Resignation and transition- Nick says thank you to all of us. The committee agrees that it has been an honor to work with him. Nick also gave over paperwork that has been previously used.

8. Basketball end of the year- Feb 22nd will be our last game. We will hand out plaques and certificates. We will get coaches basketballs for the kids to sign.

9. Approve meeting minutes from and December 20th. Nick reminded us that we are to approve the meeting minutes from the last meeting at every meeting. It was suggested to move the approval to the start of the meeting. Nick makes a motion to approve the meeting minutes from 12/20. Dan seconds motion. Motion carried.

Trevor makes a motion to adjourn 7:27pm, Kristina seconded. Motion carried.

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