

Chichester Youth Association

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Chelsea Croteau - President

Terri Lane - Vice President

Mallory Drew - Treasurer

Maryellen Fish - Secretary

Adam Gaudreau- Member at Large

Chichester Youth Association

February 18, 2024

6:00pm @ Chichester Fire Department

Attendance: Chelsea Croteau, Terri Lane, Adam Gaudreau, Sarah Buzinski, Mallory Drew (on Phone), and Maryellen Fish.

Approval Of The Minutes: On a motion made by Sarah Buzinski seconded by Terri Lane the minutes from the January 14, 2024 meeting were approved with all members in favor.

Treasurer's Report: Checking account balance is \$14,765.36. Savings Account Balance is \$15,881.91. Mallory is planning on keeping \$6,000 in checking and moving the rest into Savings. On a motion made by Sarah Buzinski seconded by Terri Lane the Treasurer's Report was approved with all members in favor.

Commissioners' Report:

- Baseball
 - Preseason Day- April 6th 1pm-4pm
 - We can reserve $\frac{1}{3}$ of the field so we will stagger the age groups
 - Move birthdate back one year so younger players can join Rookies (ex: 6 year olds who are in 1st grade)
 - We may need to move some T-Ballers up to Rookies for a better experience
 - Season Start Dates
 - May 4th- T-Ball and Minors
 - May 11th- Rookies
 - Some Epsom players will be joining Chichester teams due to league change in Epsom.
 - We are trying to get a Majors team together- Alton and Epsom may join to fill it out.
 - We may potentially have one Epsom T-Ball team if there is enough players
 - We will talk more about Opening Day at the next meeting.
- Softball
 - League Meeting tomorrow (2/19) at 8pm
 - 6th Graders will play for Epsom since there are only three girls
 - We are hoping to be able to field some Softball teams in Chichester this year

- Soccer
 - ****We need a Soccer Commissioner****

Snack Shack:

- ****Snack Shack Coordinator still needed****

Equipment Manager:

- We submitted a Dick's Day coupon request and it was denied. Chelsea or DeAnn will call to see if we can get more information.
- Field Lining Machines
 - Conducting research to see which one would be best value for our needs.
- DeAnn will get ideas for uniforms ready for next meeting (try to use different color combos for different teams while keeping maroon theme)

Fundraising:

- Dance- May 3rd, 6:30pm-10:30pm at Dell-Lea in Chichester
 - Theme- Chelsea is concerned about offending a culture with the Cinco de Mayo theme so she suggested we brainstorm themes over the next week and communicate about it via email to figure it out.
 - Need to create Square Ticket for the Dance (\$15/person)
 - We need to find out if they have WIFI at the venue.
 - Terri will send Raffle Donor assignments so we can all help to get prizes for the Raffle
 - Terri will reach out to DJs
- Lakes Region Casino Fundraiser raised \$8,742.36. Terri wants to see if we can get the same session for this year- 12/21-12/31. A big success!
- We have received checks for 2 \$525 sponsors
 - Sign and Jersey Sponsors for Spring:
 - Center Hill Barns
 - DBU
 - Girard Building
 - JT Construction
 - Merrill (for donating time and equipment cost for field work, \$1500)
- Sign Sponsors:
 - Girard and Sons Property

Other Business:

- Spring Field Clean Up- April 7, 9am (Carpenter Park)
- Still haven't rec'd invoice from Merrill for field work
- We will take a look at bylaws and discuss at next meeting
- Create remote option for next meeting
- Chelsea will make a CYA Registration Flyer to distribute at CCS

Adjournment: A motion was made by Sarah Buzinski to adjourn the meeting; it was seconded by Terri Lane with all members in favor.