# ROCKETTES FASTPITCH SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION

#### Call to Order

A board meeting of Rockettes Fastpitch Softball Association was held on October 15th, 2025 at 1199 Porters Road Spring Grove, PA 17362. It began at 6:08 PM and was overseen by Shawn Parks as President, with Ashley Schnetzka as Secretary.

#### Attendees

Board members in attendance included -

Shawn Parks (President)
Ashley Schnetzka (Secretary)
Tyler Schnetzka (Treasurer)
Derrick Wallet (Player Advocate)

**Guests in attendance included -** Mario Castillo, Christine Castillo, Amanda Mort, Shelbi Yohe, Ryan Yohe, Matt Eline, Dutch Myers, Judy Myers, Patti Holtz, Kelsey Klinedinst, Cody Klinedinst, Brittnay Weaver

### Board of Directors not in attendance included - N/A

#### **Approval of Minutes -**

A motion to approve minutes of the 8/6/2025 meeting was made by Tyler Schnetzka and seconded by Shawn Parks, followed by everyone else agreeing.

**Public Comment-** Each person wishing to speak during public comment will have 3 minutes to address the board

**Kelsey Klinedinst** - Kelsey was shocked that the Fall jersey was sleeveless and black. She mentioned black not being a Spring Grove color. Also, she didn't care for the fact that they didn't have a softball on them. She said her daughter would wear hers to school or even coming from a game and people would stop them and not know what sport she even played. Kelsey wanted to know why we couldn't come up with a few options and let the players choose what their jerseys would look like. Ashley addressed this - Ashley said the Fall jerseys were a one time thing and moving forward we will be using our Spring jerseys year round. Ashley also mentioned that when deciding on the new logo, it was voted on by the board of directors at the time and the majority were in

favor. Additionally, while there is not a softball in the logo on the jerseys there is in fact a softball in the spirit wear logo. Ashley highlighted that many other organizations do not put a softball on their actual jersey. As far as allowing the players to pick their jersey - it would cause a lot of additional unnecessary work and no other youth sports organization affords their players that option. Shawn added that when he designed the jersey he chose it himself and gave no one else an option. If you give options there will be too many opinions, no one will be happy.

Patti Holtz - Patti wanted to know how teams will be decided next Spring. Ashley answered we are still in the process of figuring that out but hope is to have the high school coaches help with evaluations, previous season evaluation forms from coaches, and a few other variables that will be discussed with the new board members before finalizing.

Brittnay Weaver - Wanted to know if we will be getting rid of the concession stand. Ashley answered no we will not. The responses that have come back indicate everyone likes having it but leaning more towards wanting a buy out option. So we are still working on the details of that but we will be having the concession stand open in some way.

Patti Holtz - Would like to know where we stand on Gamechanger. Can we make it a rule that players are not allowed to be members and see messaging. Derrick answered and said right now it is a coach decision - you have the option as a coach to allow or not allow players to see. Unfortunately family can add people as family members as they like and there is no way to tell just who is who. There is a way to message just parents if you select to do so.

**Shelbi Yohe** - Shelbi suggested doing a Chipotle fundraiser in York, not just Hanover. She said that the York location would be more convenient for those that live in that direction of Spring Grove.

#### **Nominations for Board Positions-**

- 1. President
  - a. Ashley Schnetzka
- 2. Vice President
  - a. Derrick Wallet
- 3. Secretary
  - a. Lindsay Kerchner
- 4. Treasurer
  - a. Tyler Schnetzka

- 5. Field & Equipment Maintenance
  - a. Open -
- 6. Player Advocate
  - a. Amanda Mort
- 7. Coach Liasison
  - a. Open -

### **Executive Officers' Reports-**

### President's Report was presented by Shawn Parks - None

Secretary's Report was presented by Ashley Schnetzka - Since the last meeting 10u had their Banana Ball game and everything went well. 12u & 14u also had a game and everything went well with that. At the 12/14u game we held a 50/50 with proceeds going to the fallen officers of Northern Regional Police Department. Ottis Grim (Grandfather of Elin Sentz) won and decided to donate his winnings along with ours. I am picking up Fall picture orders on Monday and will get those distributed to everyone. I got the insurance all set up for the remainder of 2025 and into 2026. I opened a year round spirit store on our website and I am in the process of setting up a donation drive for used/unwanted equipment for new registered players.

Treasurer's Report was presented by Tyler Schnetzka - Current cash balance is 2,717.29, Chipotle Fundraiser earned 380.25 to be received in the coming weeks, that means we have 1,521.00 in total sales to have earned that. We renewed our insurance early for 750.91 we did that so we could begin our request for gym space in January. The district wouldn't allow requests for January when our prior insurance would expire in December. Confirmation of the request being submitted was received but no answer on allotted time has been given yet.

### Officers' Reports -

## Player Advocate Report was presented by Derrick Wallet -

Derrick let everyone know he distributed evaluation forms to head coaches for each player on their team. Head coaches are to work with their assistants to evaluate each player. Evaluations will be taken into consideration in the Spring for team placements Evaluations are due back by October 31st, Derrick can pick up if needed.

**Halloween Parade -** As you may have seen, we decided to keep the Halloween Parade for Fall only players. Just like we do not invite Fall only players to the pool party or end

of season dinner, we wanted something that was just for Fall players. We also made the decision to only allow coaches, their spouses, board members, their spouses, and current Fall players to participate. We are aware this may cause inconvenience but ultimately we are here for the registered players not anyone else. We are doing just 1 float this year not two and we are keeping it simple. We thought about several design options but those would have taken a lot of money to make happen.

**SGASD Food Truck or Treat Night - Softball Movie Night -** We were invited back again this year to participate in the food truck or treat at the high school. We will be handing out all the left over concessions items during this event.

**Fall Season Wrap Up -** As Derrick mentioned, player evaluation forms are due back on or before October 31st, 2025. Equipment is also due back to Ashley or Tyler by October 31st, 2025. Fall season surveys will go out at the beginning of November.

#### New Business -

Tyler Schnetzka - Tyler is doing an indoor winter workout series again for 12u/14u. He let everyone know that no equipment or funds from RFSA are being used to make this happen.

### **Action Steps**

Shawn Parks- N/A

**Ashley Schnetzka -** Prepare for Halloween parade and Trunk or Treat, distribute Fall photos, clean and close out the concession stand

**Tyler Schnetzka -** Deposit any funds into accounts, collect equipment, locks and keys from fields

**Derrick Wallet** - Collect evaluation forms from coaches

#### Announcements -

Next meeting is scheduled for December 3rd, 2025 at 6PM at the Spring Grove Borough Office 1 Campus Avenue Spring Grove PA 17362

### Adjournment

moved that the meeting be adjourned, and this was agreed upon at 8:05pm

## Submitted by,

