

# ST. PAUL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Meeting Minutes – 12-15-09

## Opening:

The regular meeting of the St. Paul Athletic Association was called to order at 7:28PM on 12/15/09 in the Church basement by Gary Payne, President.

## Present:

L. Corley      G. Zoellner      G. Payne      R. Knese      R. Jokerst      R. Hayden  
S. Laroque      J. Puricelli      R. Baur      J. Dempsey      B. Strubhardt      R. Fenwick  
J. Buescher      R. Bowen      M. Issa      S. Litschgi      D. Marty      S. Killian  
M. Conley      R. Brynac      R. Bowen      P. Dore      J. Crew      S. Ladenberger  
D. McDaniel      J. Gerwel      M. Barton      T. Jerger      G. Burton      R. Miller  
T. Kilper

## A. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes and Financials

The meeting minutes are posted online and the financial statement was discussed in finance report.

## B. Introductions

Went around the room and individuals introduced themselves and their roles in the association/parish.

## C. Guest Speaker – None

## D. Committee Reports

- President (G. Payne) - Thanked everyone for taking time out of their schedules to attend and directed the meeting. The roof is going on the parish center soon and then work can be done throughout the winter.
- Equipment/Uniforms (J. Walters) – Basketball uniforms were handed out. Shorts are still not delivered, but will be provided to teams as soon as they come in. Basketballs will also be provided to teams that need them. Contact Mark Conley for more information.
- Concessions (R. Knese) – Closed. No Report.
- Fields (D. Marty) – We'll have three soccer fields next year.
- Fund Raising (R. Besore) – Spring Golf Tournament is scheduled for May 23 at 1PM at Deer Creek. Committee meetings will start up after the first of the year.
- Awards (G. Burton) – Trophies/Medals were provided to coaches for soccer and volleyball.
- Soccer (T. Holzem) – Season is officially over.
  - City/County Champions: 5G Jerger (Champions), 5B Ackfeld (Co-Champions), 6B Dempsey (Co-Champions), and Parochial Girls Barton (Champions).
  - District Champions: 3G Ochterbeck, 5G Jerger, 5B Ackfeld, 6B Knese, 8G Barton, PG Barton, PB Knese.

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- Two St. Paul coaches won Sportsmanship Awards in district: Jim Puricelli and Jeff Rietz.
- Soccer Tournament (C. Berra) – Dates for 2010 are 08/20-22 and 08/27-29. Volunteers for the committee are always needed, so please contact Chuck Berra if interested in helping.
- Volleyball (L. Corley) – Thanks to all of the coaches for their time and commitment this year. Also thanks to Amy Schwent (8th grade girl's assistant coach) for not only coaching but managing the uniform distribution process for the past several years.
- Basketball (J. Buescher) – 2009/2010 signups are complete and we have 22 teams. The season will run from 01/02-03/21. Rosters were due by 11/22/09.
- Baseball/Softball (J. Puricelli) – Important dates for Baseball/Softball/T-ball sign-ups
  - Online Registration Opens – 01/08/2010 (PayPal now a payment option)
    - In Person Registration:
      - Sunday, January 24, 2010, 9:00 am – 1:00 pm, St. Paul gym
      - Sunday, February 7, 2010, 9:00 am – 1:00 pm, St. Paul gym
    - Late Fee of \$25 assessed after 02/14/2010
    - Online Registration Closes – 02/28/2010
  - Uniforms
    - Baseball/Softball will share the same shirt as soccer. All players (kindergarten through 7<sup>th</sup> grade) are required to wear a uniform shirt. If you already have a soccer shirt, you don't need to purchase another shirt for baseball/softball. If you didn't play soccer, you will need to purchase a shirt for baseball/softball. The shirt is required and costs \$15. You will keep the shirt for future years.
    - Pre-K players will be supplied a T-shirt, which is yours to keep, and is part of the registration amount.
    - All players Pre-K through 7<sup>th</sup> grade will automatically be charged for a hat/visor. The hat/visor is required and costs \$7. You will be able to save the hat/visor and use for future years.
    - All 8<sup>th</sup> grade players will not be required to get a uniform shirt nor hat/visor. They will use last year's uniforms and hats/visors.
  - CYC Baseball/Softball camps for Pre-K through 6<sup>th</sup> grade, will be held throughout March and April at various locations throughout the district. Cost is \$75. More information on St. Paul's Baseball website.
- Lacrosse (D. Augsburger) – No Report.
- Golf (R. Baur, R. Besore) – Survey going out to all registrants in St. Paul athletics to gauge interest level in golf.
- Finance (S. LaRoque) - Archdiocese acct: \$19K; Soccer Tourney: \$31K; Commerce: \$67K. All monies will be moved into consolidated accounts at Midwest Bank by end of the year (Soccer tournament, Main, PayPal)
- Membership (J. Angelbeck) – Attendees were asked to sign in on the sheet passed around. Send John Angelbeck ([johnangelbeck@sbcglobal.net](mailto:johnangelbeck@sbcglobal.net)) an email if you're a dues paying member and are not on the email distribution list. New dues are owed in January 2010.

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## E. Old Business

## F. New Business

Elections for Positions [1<sup>st</sup>: R. Knese; 2<sup>nd</sup> S. Larocque (One Opposed- G. Burton)]

- President- Gary Payne
- Baseball/Softball Lay Director- Jim Puricelli
- Secretary- Rick Baur
- Membership Director- John Angelbeck

We need more people involved in the Athletic Association. Plan to discuss ideas for increasing the number of active members.

Stewardship Committee was formed to be led by Steve Larocque

Discussed possibility of a code of conduct document that would be required to be signed by all coaches/officers.

## G. Agenda for Next Meeting

Agenda items for next meeting should be sent to Rick Baur ([spaagolf@charter.net](mailto:spaagolf@charter.net)) by the Friday before the meeting.

## H. Adjournment:

Meeting was adjourned at 7:58PM (1<sup>st</sup> J. Puricelli; 2<sup>nd</sup> T. Kilper). Christmas Party followed meeting. The next general meeting will be at 7:00PM on 01/19/10 in the church basement.

Minutes prepared/submitted by: Rick Baur

Approved by: Gary Payne

