

**General Meeting Minutes
Northwestern Youth Athletic Association
July 28, 2005**

The meeting was brought to order by President Edd Rasmussen with the following people present: Chris Fronheiser, Scott Searcy, Tom Bavaria, Jim Kester, Jason Rice, Stella Blake, Theresa Marrazzo, Keith Nagle, Charlie Lenhart and Danielle Kurucz

Previous Meeting Minutes:

- Motion made and seconded to accept previous meeting minutes.

Treasurers Report:

- Motion made and seconded to accept treasurer's report.

Directors Reports:

Fields

- Tractors are running okay but if using them you might have to play with the key to get it to work. Any problems, contact Charlie Lenhart.

Basketball

- Basketball sign ups are open
- Discussion about sending out postcards for basketball and volleyball sign ups
- Keith is looking into labels for past basketball players

First Aid

- Airgas Safety Products will be setting up an account for the NYAA organization
- Discussion about ammonia inhalants being removed from the first aid kits to prevent further injury to players (remember to go through procedures of first aid then CPR)
- Possibility of Head Coaches going through a first aid/CPR course. Cost is \$15 per person and class will take about 3 hours. Each class can have a maximum of 50 people at one time. This is voluntary and each sport director should find out the number of coaches interested in taking the course.
- Looking into Biohazard bags for bloody bandages and gloves. Also checking into disposal of bags through area Ambulance and Fire Companies.
- Restocking of first aid kits, Contact Jason Rice at 610-442-3685.

Cheering

- 96 girls registered and all the teams have coaches

- Current Fundraisers are: August 6th is a Softball tournament, Home & Garden Candles and Night in the Country concession stand
- August 8th is the first practice and has an All-Star Cheerleader to help with routines and stunts.

Lehigh Valley Baseball

- Season is over and collecting uniforms and equipment
- Lottery ticket calendar fundraiser is doing well; payout is approximately 25%.
- Halloween Dance fundraiser at Germansville Fire Company – date to be announced due to scheduling around Trick or Treat Night and HS Football game
- Spring try-outs will be Saturdays/Sundays from 9/17-18, 9/24-25, 10/1-2; players trying out need to make 2 out of 4 dates

Parkland Baseball

- Spring season is over and collecting uniforms and equipment
Uniforms need to be replaced for next season
- Fall season is starting with approximately 68 players
T-Ball, 8-9, 10-11, 12-14 are in the Lower Macungie League
15 yrs old in Allen Township League
- St. Patrick's Day Dance fundraiser – date to be announced
- Potato Building fundraiser at Night in the Country. Flea markets and shoe fly pies raised approximately \$1,000.
- Picnic not as good as last year (170 trophies given out) – going to move to Saturday
- Snack bar did good
- Considering running tournaments for an extra fundraiser

***Tom and Jim are talking about combining Parkland and Lehigh Valley Leagues to reduce cost

Softball

- This has been the best year as the director. Chris is stepping down as director and Leo Lichman will be up for vote as the new director
- A Team representative has stepped up to cover the meeting starting in September
- Softball tournament went well. We had a lot of good comments about our fields and the area. We made well over \$1,000 profit

Football

- We had a successful 1st week of practice. Ran the weeklong practice like a training camp. Contact hitting will begin the 2nd week of practice

Website

- No progress on the league management

Fields

- Parties responsible for damage to the fields have been caught and will be prosecuted
- Any person reporting the incident will get a reward
- Danielle will try to touch base with the State Police Lt. to see if there is something else that can be done
- When using the lower bathrooms and there are any issues, let Edd know ASAP.

Closing Notes

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made, seconded and approved by all in attendance.

The next General Meeting will be held on August 25 at 7:30 pm at the Rec Field Office.