



Minutes

Heritage High School Softball Boosters

Proper written notification of this meeting was provided to board members 7 days in advance of the meeting.

Date: Friday, August 11, 2023

Location: Euclid Middle School (HHS Softball Fields)

In attendance:

Traci Beauchene, President

Dan Burke, Treasurer

Megan Wilson, Secretary

Jennifer Fritz, Member at Large

Daron Schulthies, Varsity Head Coach

Dylan Schulthies, Varsity Assistant Coach

Stacy Wilson, JV Assistant Coach

23 Club Members

1. Call to Order

- a. 6:30pm

2. Coach Daron's Report

- a. Welcome to the Program!
 - i. Coaches Intros: Darron Schulties, Dylan Schulties, Stacy Wilson and Jojo
- b. Team pictures
 - i. Player and Team pictures to be taken on 8/15/23 @ 4:30pm.
 - ii. Pictures will be up for individual purchase through YSPN
- c. Player contracts
 - i. Sent Via Teamsnap
 - ii. Due 9/1/23 Both Parent and players must sign
- d. Rules for parents

- i. Players go to coaches first about playing time or other concerns before parents get involved.
 - ii. Umpire shortage so all HHS Softball players, coaches and parents will respect all umpires. No arguing. You will be asked to move to the outfield if the coaches hear anything
- e. Schedules
 - i. All games will be posted on Teamsnap
 - ii. 7 league games for JV. Some schools lost JV teams due to lack of players
 - iii. Varsity and JV will be playing at the same location most games
 - iv. HHS hosting JV tournament @ Euclid *Great opportunity for volunteers
- f. Helping your player manage their time with school, practice, missing class, etc.
 - i. Practice after school @ Euclid when no games
 - ii. If player has a zero or is failing any class, they are not eligible to play
 - iii. Change schedule if possible to request 7th and 8th off
- g. Team fees for 2023
 - i. Varsity \$350
 - ii. JV \$300
 - iii. Covers everything for the season
 - iv. Due 9/1/23 Invoices will be sent via Teamsnap
 - v. If you pay via Teamsnap, there is a processing fee. Check or venmo, no processing fee
 - vi. Does not include the \$175 Heritage Athletic fee that is paid directly through the school (it will be listed under your student's "Fees" in the Parent/Student Portal. Pay by the end of the year (at the latest).

3. President's Report

- a. Sign-Up Genius for water/gatorade, team dinners, volunteers for games (snack shack, scoreboard, Game Changer)
 - i. Asking all families to bring gatorade and water for players and snack shack
 - ii. Need someone for score board and gamechanger for JV games
- b. Please update your information in TeamSnap. Contact information for families and players. We communicate a lot of important information through TeamSnap.

- c. Hit-a-thon is 8/31/23 We are asking each family to get 2-3 gift cards to use as prizes for the players. Requesting \$10 or more. Actual prizes also welcome (gift basket, etc) - Please give these to Daron by Friday, 8/25
 - i. \$200 minimum donation per player
- d. Senior banners
 - i. Should be up week of 8/14/23
- e. Volunteers - it takes a village!! There will be a Sign Up Genius slot for each game (Varsity & JV). Please sign up for at least one game this season. We love parents and siblings helping!
 - i. HHS Softball is all volunteer run
 - ii. Need volunteers for field upkeep, snack shack, scoreboards etc.
- f. JV parent to coordinate volunteers
 - i. Looking for a JV parent to help with coordinating

4. Treasurer's Report

- a. Dan will review 2023 budget
 - i. Everything is posted on new website
 - ii. HHS Softball is a non-profit 501C. Letters and info also on website
 - iii. No major capital expenses this season

5. Secretary's Report

- a. Megan is our new Secretary. She will be compiling the Agendas and posting Minutes for each meeting.

6. Members at Large Report

- a. Jennifer - team dinners
 - i. Trying to do one per week depending on game schedules
 - ii. Want to do JV and Varsity together when able
 - iii. Looking for JV team dinner coordinator

7. Programs

- a. Improvements to the field, locker room, dugouts and surrounding areas
 - i. Outfield fence - in place and we don't have to move it!
 - ii. Built a path from field to locker room

- iii. Fridge isn't working, in search of another one
 - iv. Looking for a gas operated golf cart for the field
 - v. Field clean up on 8/16/23 all help is welcome PLEASE volunteer
- b. Team Building Ideas
- i. Lake day at Chatfield Reservoir - July (SUCCESS on July 19!) - Traci coordinated
 - ii. Team Dinners (during season) - Jennifer Fritz will coordinate (goal is 1 per week)
 - iii. Charity event(s) - Food Bank (locally), decorating nursing home for the holidays
 - 1. Please reach out to Traci with any other contacts or ideas
 - iv. Vision Boards - November
 - 1. Start saving magazines
 - v. Holiday Party - December
 - 1. Usually the week after Thanksgiving

8. Fundraising

- a. Hit-a-thon: Date set for Thursday, 8/31/23 - letter with tax id, flier will also include tax id
- b. Restaurant Nights - Great job with Noodles & Chipotle! - Megan coordinated these. Thanks!
- c. Banner Sales - We have sold 2: Jet's Pizza & Jack Chamaty
- d. Melting Pot Certificate Sales - Bridget Pacheco will coordinate
- e. Yard Signs - Megan Wilson will coordinate
- f. Softball decals - Daron will order
- g. T-shirts, sweatshirts, hats, etc. - Daron ordered and we will have them for sale at snack shack
 - i. No team store this year, just snack shack purchases so fans have gear earlier in the season

9. Action items:

10. Other Business

- a. Contact info for board members on website
- b. Parking: Please do not park at Euclid while school is still in or busses are still picking up
- c. Back dirt parking lot not ok to use
 - i. trying to get the ok for umps to use
- d. Please park on main street or small softball parking lot to the south of field
- e. Softball porta potty to be locked and used only by softball families and players

11. Next Meeting - Thursday, September 14, 2023

12. Adjourn 7:20pm