



**Folsom Softball Club
Board Meeting Minutes**

Wednesday March 20, 2024 7:00 pm @ Mtn. Mike's Pizza Blue Ravine & E. Natoma

Attendance:

Cristina Dobon-Claveau - President	Alex Morales - Field Coordinator
Rachel Colwell - Vice President	Nikki West - Upper Div. Rep
Geri Villero - Treasurer	Jason Hardie - Lower Div. Rep
Amy Domingo - Secretary	Marco Martinez - Event Coordinator
Dustin Claveau (Jesse Castro) - UIC	
Cotton Dean - Coach Agent	

Meeting Called to Order: 7:06 pm

**Approval of February Minutes: Motioned by Dustin Claveau
Seconded by Marco Martinez. Unanimous approval by all Board.**

Organization Updates

Select Tournament Hosting

- FSC made \$1200 from USA Softball for hosting the last two tournaments
- Snack Shack had a net of \$1000
- We have also received a lot of praise from different leagues and families on how nice our facilities; bathrooms; fields were. They really enjoyed their time at the tournament.

Spirit Night @ Dos Coyotes

- This years spirit night and uniform pick up event at Dos Coyotes was a success.
- There were less than 20 uniforms left after the event
- A great turn out of families, food was good, and there was no long wait for food and plenty of room and tables for families to stay and eat.
- The amount of money actually raised is pending

Dick's Coupon

- It was discussed and decided that we do another 20% off coupon day the weekend after Spring Break, April 5-7.

2024 FSC Board Elections:

- The positions coming up for election are President; Secretary; UIC (Jesse); Coach Agent; Upper Division Rep.; Fundraising and Field Coordinator (Alex).
 - Alex Morales was voted in for interim for Spring, and Jesse has been shadowing Dustin to take over the UIC position. Hoping to have them both stay.
 - New term will begin 8/1/2024
 - Elections are held in June, and a call for nominees is 14 days prior, no later than the July Board Meeting (7/17/24).
 - New Board Members and Outgoing come to both August and September meetings for transition.
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Discussion

Treasure Report

- Account is still looking good.
- Geri needs some assistance in regards to the balance in the WePay account, it may be the volunteer monies, some that could need to go back to volunteers that have completed their hours, and the monies that parents have opted out of volunteer hours. It was suggested to reach out to Brian, the past treasurer, and confirm that is what is used for.

Opening Ceremonies

- Overall Opening Ceremonies was a good time, and it was shorter and faster than last year.
- The parade was a bit confusing, and with only 3 of the 5 volunteers showing, it made lining up and staging difficult.
 - Next year perhaps chalk numbers were to stage on the sidewalk/parking lot up top from L1.
 - Give Coaches a check-in time and checklist/sheet with instructions on how things will work
- \$1,000+ was made at the Merch table! (\$1600 cost to create all the Merch available), there is still tons more to sell, this is looking like a pretty profitable endeavor.
 - Basic Gildan brand was used for T-Shirts/Hoodies
- A profit of \$130 was made from Kona Ice sales.
- Next year, perhaps have the 14u players be the help in lining up the teams for the parade, fill in with anything needed were volunteers are not available, as the teams this year were not quite as interested in wagon decorating, walking in the parade, etc.

Uniforms

- The League would like to keep the cost down and continue to use local vendors. It is more convenient when it comes to turn around if we continue to use local vendors.
- It is a roll of the dice when it comes to ordering uniforms, as the style and type that is originally chosen may become unavailable by the time the order is placed and since we customize with names on the back, refunds are hard to nonexistent.
- Some of the complaints compare Basketball/Soccer with 1800+ players, uniform cost, when FSC only has 300+/-, and they also don't customize their uniforms with names or anything.
- If we wanted to go back to the generic one Red/one Blue, no name it would make exchange for sizing easier, but would take away the excitement some players have of their names being on their jersey.
- Going to try and get size charts put on the website when registering for the seasons, hopefully provide the charts for all the possible styles that we could end up with. This can still be tricky with the fact that the size given could not apply to the actual style that is available at the time the league order is confirmed.
- The goal is to always get Ladies sizes, though at times the only available is unisex.
- Going to confirm there is a place for families to comment and give feedback on uniforms when end of season surveys go out.

All Stars

- 3 Select teams already, which are created to be a type of year round All Star team.
- In the past there was a Silver Star division which would be additional teams in the same division that wanted to compete in a All Star arena.
- As long as there are enough coaches interested along with enough players to create additional division teams, there is no problem or issue with the Board if there are additional All Star teams.
- 14u Select Team Select team season is over June 21-23, 2024.
 - Board needs to look into what was decided and agreed upon in regards to High School players returning for Summer Tournament play and what the possible cost to them would be. Rachel was going to look into the verbiage.

Closing

Next board meeting - April 17, 2024 @ 7pm; Mtn. Mike's Pizza on Blue Ravine & E. Natoma

Meeting Adjourned: 8:05 pm