

York Youth Football Meeting Agenda  
Board/Coaches Meeting  
May 12, 2022 7pm  
York River Landing

- A. Call to order: Estes (Jon & Robyn), Stanwood (Kimball & Jess), Gonzalez, Nelson, Brent, Fletcher (Matty & Bekah), Prior, Shapleigh, Elworthy, Gullison, Earner
- B. Approve minutes from last meeting (via email): Stanwood, Fletcher, Brent
- C. Financial Report:
  1. Bank: (expenses approved via text/email)
    - TD Bank account balance as of 4/30: \$19,503.01
  2. Upcoming/Outstanding Invoices/Financial Needs:
    - Isaacs & Associates invoices for 2021 tax filings
    - SMYFL dues
    - \$100 JDP account activation charge
    - JDP background check charges - \$13ea
    - Coaches equipment requests
- D. Unfinished Business:
  1. Plan June 7<sup>th</sup> annual meeting at May meeting – discuss with coaches if there is a date and time that will work better, where to hold as an annual meeting/parent meet & greet/question night
  2. Discuss parent volunteer positions for home games next year: make certain positions consistent such as scoreboard, videoing, announcing and spotting so we are sure those parents know what they are doing. Draft standard parent email to send with that information at the beginning of the season. \*\*Tabled until closer to the season; to remain on the agenda until info is drafted.
  3. 2022 registration information to include that players need to purchase navy blue game socks. YYF will purchase the pink Breast Cancer Awareness socks after registrations are mostly complete – Robyn added to player registration.
  4. Summer camp/intro to football update – finalize details, get information out/registration live – June 13-23<sup>rd</sup> confirmed 5-6:30, M-Th, grades 2-6<sup>th</sup>. Flyer to go to CRES & YMS, 2-4 Kimball, Will, Jon – 5-6 Eddie, Matty – will get a flyer made up and Jess to distribute to VES, CRES & YMS.
  5. Melissa has address labels done for fundraising and will be sending fliers out.

6. JDP background check status – account setup takes roughly 72 hours to complete, should be done by the end of the week. Once finished Robyn will add to coaches' applications, fee to be paid for by YYF.
7. Coach Earner/early equipment sign out – once Mike has a list of players ready we will hold an early equipment handout; players to keep their equipment until the end of the fall season with the same equipment return requirements.
8. Parks & Rec AED purchase request for \$1800 – do we need to use the one recommended by P&R – Mike Earner potentially has one we can leave in our concession stand.

#### E. New Business:

1. Registration flyers to VES, CRES & YMS – Jess to email flyer to the schools.
2. Make sure banners are all set for York street – confirmed July 4-18, banner to be dropped off the week before
3. Plan apparel items for concessions \*\*
4. Reach out to athletic trainers/PTs/EMTs for the upcoming season – Robyn will reach out to contacts from last year.
5. Practice jersey order – Robyn will coordinate with Ed
6. Coaches meeting:
  - Questions/concerns/suggestions:
    - PW – pinnies, whistles, game balls; coaches to email itemized list to [yyfboard@gmail.com](mailto:yyfboard@gmail.com) with prices and in order or priority for budgeting purposes.
  - Equipment needs:
    - Matt Nelson recommended we go to a 2-man upward tilting sled instead of refitting the 5-man horizontal action sled if we were going to spend money. The upward s-sled can be used for additional training beyond basic blocking (ie, rips, swims, jams).
    - We may be able to sell the 5-man sled and recover some money. It's unserviceable for us, but some program may give us \$1,500 for it as is (they are \$5k+ brand new). That would get us a chunk of the way to what Matt recommended we move to.
  - Will Shapleigh to distribute our program info/flyers to contacts & outlets in Kittery.
  - Input from Matt & Alberto
    - 3/4<sup>th</sup> grade, 2 practices/week, 1 game/week: 1 practice then walkthrough & game. Eases players & parents into football. No conditioning practice at any level; fast paced drills only
    - This summer, 1 day: 7/8<sup>th</sup> grade 7v7 tournaments coached by HS coaches in July, high school player reffing, no pad, touch only, 3 additional teams only 1<sup>st</sup> year – open to all, not only football player – potentially July 23<sup>rd</sup> –

Marshwood, Noble, Saco. Email for availability. Robyn to email the town for field availability. Send sign up for participant parents to volunteer to run concessions during.

- Matt would like to give a clinic on tackling to YYF coaches that doesn't involve equipment/rugby style.
- Talked about not yelling at them about mistakes.
- Younger kids: warmups, then individual drills.
- August 11<sup>th</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> annual YHS football golf tournament.
- Continuing with practice player of the game to go to HS games.
- Coach Nelson & Gonzalez would like to attend future board/coach meetings.

\*\* Tabled until next meeting

Meeting adjourned: 8:30pm