

Stillwater Area Fastpitch Association Board Meeting Agenda Wednesday 11/20/2024 6:00 pm Joseph's Restaurant

## **Purpose**

The Stillwater Area Fastpitch Association (commonly referred to as Stillwater Fastpitch) was established in 1984 to promote the development of a quality, competitive level of girls fastpitch softball in the St. Croix Valley Area. This program is committed to the development of potential Stillwater Area High School (SAHS) softball players

## 1) Call to Order

- a) Time 6:11 PM
- b) In-person: Damen, Jeff, Leah, Mike M., Terisa, Jen
- c) Remote: n/a
- 2) Review and Approval of October Minutes
  - a) Motion to approve Leah G.
  - b) Second Mike M.
- 3) Treasurer's Report
  - a) Jeff Boser shared no major expenses: Taxes are being worked on now. The accountant said they will be completed now.
  - b) Checking: \$6,220.00. Savings: \$28,878.79
- 4) Board Positions
  - a) Andy Dombrovski is interested in returning and helping with the SAFA board meeting.
  - b) SAFA creates a print advertisement to request a board meeting.
  - c) Rachael Eisner shared she is interested in helping with the SAFA board. Terisa to reach out to Rachael to gauge interest in position for 2025.
  - d) Terisa asked if there are job descriptions for board positions.
- 5) Winter Training
  - a) 12U has started winter training decent turnout. Coach Sophie will help out as she can.
  - b) ETS Derrick will send out an email with a discount to families. It should be delivered by 11/22/24.
  - c) 10U / 8U training:
    - Terisa presented 10U / 8U winter training. She included a plan with winter training beginning 12/28 through 2/8 Jeff Boser booked the winter training dates at SMS. Jeff Boser will send an email to the existing registration list.
    - ii) Jeff will open egistration in early December 2024.
  - 6) 2025 Season
    - a) Recommended tryout date for 10U: 2/15/25. Jeff Boser is looking into reserving space for that date. Potentially 8:00 am 12:00 pm.

- b) Open 10U registration earlier. The discussion was to open at the end of December 2024 / early January 2025.
- 7) Bylaws and P&P Reviews
  - a) Information on what is expected for each role.
  - b) Also provides an opportunity to add additional roles.
  - c) Damen to email bylaws for review by the board.
  - d) Voting will follow in January.
  - e) Terisa brought examples of other bylaws.
- 8) Uniforms
  - a) The discussion was to keep pants the same as in 2024 (black pants, red numbers with white outline)
  - b) Jersey design will remain the same from 2024.
  - c) Feedback from parents was to keep the design for multiple years so players can wear uniforms from the prior year if they still fit, as uniform numbers stay the same.
- 9) Fundraising
  - a) Damen will work on fundraising with the tickets. We will hand out tickets at 8U and 10U tryouts.
- 10) Open Forum
  - a) The high school coach is looking for a new JV coach.
  - b) Jen to share Google Slides Presentation with the SAFA board.
- 11) Next meeting December 11/12, 17/18, 2024
- 12) Adjourn

a) Motion: Terisa R.

b) Second: Mike M.