

Bison Cheer Board Meeting Minutes

Tuesday October 23, 2018

In attendance: Arley, Traecy, Mandy, Jennifer, TJ and Beckie Gallahger.

Elementary Team Disbanded:

- Due to the loss of coach and many of the girls deciding they did not want to continue this season, the numbers dwindled, while the board was actively searching for replacement there were not enough participants to continue this season, so it was decided that the team would disband for this year, the board would continue to actively search for a coach for next season, with the hopes to start new next spring.
- Emails were sent out to the parents stating that due to the disbanding of the team the board has decided that refunds would be issued for anything paid over what was due on 9/20/2018. It was also decided the only thing that would be charged to each would be gym rental, coaching fees, tumbling fees and practice apparel (3 outfits and bows, shoes, socks and lip sense; all of these are the girls to keep as they are not returnable items.)
- The board decided they would go back and waive some items that were charged per cheerleader and that would increase the refund due to each family. Those charges removed from prior to Sept. 20th are: Insurance, Accounting, office supplies, advertising, competitions, events, team equipment and the competition music (hoping to be able to use the music next year.)
- Refund checks are issued and in the email to parents it was stated that uniforms need to be returned and then they could pick up their refund check. As of tonight, 5 have been returned and checks for those were handed out. Jennifer and Mandy will be at Thursday October 25th practice from 6pm to 8pm for anyone who wants to drop them off at that time, or they can make arrangements to meet at another time.

Insurance

- Mandy shopped around for insurance and found a better plan and will save the organization over \$100.00.

Coaches

- Coach contract- added a requirement of 30 day notice to vacate position in writing if coach decides to vacate prior to season ending.
- Coach Kolleen was given contract tonight, she will look over and return as soon as possible.

- Coach Kolleen was asked what competitions would she not be able to attend due to prior commitments, she was asked to email list and let us know if she has found replacement for her for those.
- Winter Sideline. Coach Kolleen will reach out to Mary and get feedback for the winter sideline, if we are having try outs in hope to have 2 teams or what Mary thoughts are.

Miscellaneous

- Insurance has been renewed.
- Competition vendors- have been contacted and checks returned.
- Signs- we have ordered new signs
- Addressed the dates for all the comps we are registered for
- New picture date to be advised.
- Reviewed information for next month's newsletter
- November meeting to be announced at later date.