

Wells-Ogunquit Youth Football & Cheering Association

Tuesday, September 22nd, 2020 @ Franco Field

-Special Meeting Minutes-

Meeting was scheduled to review plans for playing other teams, review parent survey feedback, schedules.

Cheer Meeting 6:00pm:

Present: Nicole Hutzler, Alexis Bourque, Deidre Bolduc, Sarah Moody.

Discussed:

- -Approval form WOYFCA board to host K-8 for 2020 Season.
- -We have access to multi-purpose baseball field for practices (needs to be early enough for sunlight)
- -Practices Tues, Thurs 5-6pm. (can make practices longer if needed)
- -Several (4) High School Cheerleaders will volunteer as "Assistant Coaches"
- -Outdoor Practices: Dress Warm.
- -No use of poms per DECD Community Sports current guidelines. (Discussion of craft/homemade poms)
- -Instead of t-shirt, WOYFCA will provide SWEATSHIRTS (also end of year girl) HS can solicit sponsors if needed to offset t8costs.
- -Practices will start next Tuesday, 9/29
- -Performance Date: October 24th (Saturday) Rain Date: 10/25.
- -Sarah Moody ordered supplies for Cheer PPE Box (Thermometer, masks, disinfectant, hand, sanitizer)
- -Nicole will put out advertisement via facebook, sports office, Lindsey will share with schools friday folders.

Coaches sizes (Lindsey: L, Alexis: XL) Lindsey will get HS girls sizes.

Flag Meeting 7:00pm

Present: Nicole Hutzler, Nathan LaPierre, Heather Belanger, Deidre Bolduc.

Discussed:

- -Two divisions have been developed. (Junior Warriors (youngest) and Warriors (Older).
- -Nate has ordered uniforms (wet above and beyond, WOYFCA will reinburse at \$10 per player)
- -Games on Franco Field, Sundays.
- -Staggered Start Times (JW: 9am, W 10am) etc.
- -Reviewed scrimmage and game-day safety protocol and Heather will share with team.

Tackle Football Meeting 7:30pm

Called to Order at 7:38pm.

Present: Nicole Hutzler, Dedire Bolduc, Todd Roberge, Tom Gauthier, Nate LaPierre, Heather Belanger, Hyeimi Draheim, Jenn Copper, Jon Moody, Mike Carbonneau, Sarah Moody. Jason Vennard,

Discussed:

- -If York County goes to "RED". WOYFCA will suspend all practices/games.
- -Report out by Mike Carbonneau re: informal scrimmage schedule update.

There are several other teams interested at the junior high (%) level including: Westbrook, Noble, Portland, Massbesic, South Portland, Lake Region, Bonny Eagle.

There are a small number of teams at the PW and Mites levels: Noble, Massabesic, Westbrook? Portland is not allowed to play York County teams at this time.

- 4 Available Host Fields: BE, Noble, Westbrook, Massabesic.
- -JH would be ready to face other towns in scrimmages weekend of Oct. 2/3th, 2020
- -PeeWee and Mites would be ready to face other towns in scrimmages weekend of Oct. 11/12th 2020.
- -There will be many gentleman rules re: weight limits, following smyfl, special teams, etc. Coaches will work on within the week prior to game.
- -It is likely to be scheduled on a week to week basis.
- -Staggered Start times
- -100 people outdoor max, everyone wears masks unless you are actively playing (players), masks will be worn anytime helmet if off.
- -Volunteer from each team to make attendance, count totals.
- -1 person spectator max.
- -Some Ref's are available for games.
- -Show proof of insurance coverage prior to games.
- -Reviewed parent survey results; overall 98% completion rate by parents (tackle football only). 3 Athletes indicated they would participate in scrimmages vs. other towns. Reviewed stats with board members present. -Vote/Motions made below.

Motions:

Nicole Hutzler made a motion to allow scheduling of scrimmages for all of the Tackle Programs (Mits,PW, JH) with other local tackle football programs while Wells remains in Yellow, or Green Status for COVID-19 Risk.

-Mike Carbonneau second, most in favor, 1 opposed (Jason Vennard). Motion Passed.

Jason Vennard made a motion to temporarily resign for 2020 season at the PeeWee Head Coach.

-Nicole Hutzler second, most in favor, Tom Gauthier opposed. Motion Passed.

Mike Carbonneau made a motion to override current by-laws (around vice-presient also holding head coaching spot-reference not available) and appoint Tom Gauthier Head Coach of the PeeWee football team for the remainder of the 2020 league year.

-Nicole Hutzler second, all in favor, none opposed. Motion Passed.

Motion to Adjourn made by Nicole Hutzler at 8:36pm.