

St. Albert Booster Club Minutes

January 11, 2006

Opening prayer – Malcolm Hopkins

In attendance: Malcolm Hopkins, Donna Timperman, Gary Levy, Rick Hall, Gary Blevins, Donna Meyer, David Stewart, Clark Salot, Steve Minsterketter, Peg Escola

President's report:

1. Fish Fry – Begins March 3rd. Malcolm spoke with Marney and she stressed the we need lots of help with clean-up and to please remind the Ads to tell their coaches that each sport will have a night of clean-up. This needs to be an entire booster club effort, coaches, players and parents. We discussed that the weekends of spring break are normally slow weekends. Someone needs to call those who signed up for clean-up and get them involved as well. Maybe assign the slow weekends for golf and tennis. Others should be football, flag football, volleyball, basketball soccer and baseball. We need to make aware what their duties are for cleaning up. Remind to help in kitchen. Make announcements during the fish fry as to who is responsible for the next weekend.
2. Donna Timperman, Rick Hall, Dennis Lejong and Gary Blevins will help with spring sports sign-ups after 5:00 mass on Saturday.
3. Holiday basketball tournament was very successful. All payments have not yet been made/received, but we may make as much as \$3,000.
4. We discussed the issue of boys volleyball tryouts conflicting with basketball games and practices. We need to contact Brigid Crush so coaches don't sign up for additional practices when other coaches need that slot due to earlier games. We should try to squeeze in volleyball tryouts during the previously assigned 3/4th grade basketball practice times.
5. Maybe we can use MGC for boys volleyball tryouts. If not enough players maybe we can combine teams with MGC.

Treasures report: -None

Boy's AD's Report - Pat Callahan

1. Soccer – if possible we would like to not have any practice on our fields since there will be games on Saturdays and Sundays. This is to help keep the field in better condition.
2. Would like to organize an adult summer wifle ball league to help raise money.

Girl's AD's Report – Robin Schmidt (per e-mail to Malcolm)

1. I don't have a tennis coach as of yet (1/4/06), however have contacted the three names given to me by last years coach. I am approaching it like the other sports, with the ball in their court. They know someone needs to take the lead or we will not have a tennis team. Tennis verification will be held on January 31st.
2. I know there has been discussion about making a new practice schedule for basketball once the regular season is over. I agree everyone needs equal practice

opportunities, however I disagree with new times. I think we need to find out the days we will host tournament and see who is affected, look at the 4th grade times that open up and fill in from there. The gym scheduler is going to have to be adamant about not giving all the times to one team. The other issue with this is the famous "being consistent". If we change practice schedules for basketball come tournament time, then we need to offer it to all sports. I was at the draw last night and the last game could be as late as Feb. 19th which is a week later than usual. I also know that boys volleyball needs to get going, and the only schedule change should be to move times at the same time to different sites to open Albert up for tryouts.

Other reports

1. We need instructions typed up for the popcorn machine.
2. The need for field managers for up coming spring sports was discussed.