

Plymouth Jr. ABA Executive Board Minutes

September 26, 2007

- The meeting was called to order by Frank Cecconi.

Status of League

- Letters to Williams and Outlaw have been sent informing them that they are not welcome to play in the league this year due to violations of the code of conduct.
- Registration announcements are out.

Financial Report

- Financial report was presented and reviewed by Floyd Pachella who noted that we need new sponsors to make budget.

Sponsor's Report

- Pete noted that Kelly is having some difficulties renewing sponsorships and cultivating new ones. Joe Tornetta agreed to contact some previous sponsors for renewals.

Registration and No. of teams

- 71 players have registered to date. Expectations are that the league size will be similar to last year.

Review of Rules

- Major rule changes were reviewed by Pete and Frank.
- Rule 10 as it applies to forfeiture was discussed at great length. It was recommended by Matt Mingione that the rule be rewritten to state that coaches have the right to appeal forfeiture and no appeals may be made after 72 hours. Further discussions are needed.

Uniform Report

- A few uniforms are missing from last year. Attempts are being made by Debbie Garnett to collect them. New uniforms have been ordered. We are waiting for logos from new sponsors.

Evaluations & Schedule

- Dates are set. Some minor changes will be made to the evaluation format.

Coaches

- Coaches are still needed at the Varsity and Intermediate levels. Currently there are 8 Varsity, 14 JV, and 9 Intermediate.

Assistant Commissioners

- Assistant commissioners are still needed at the JV and Intermediate levels. Currently there are 5 Varsity, 3 JV, and 3 Intermediate. The league would like to find 1 more for JV and 2 more for Intermediate.

Travel Team Report

- 12A's and 13A's will be registered for the Suburban league. An 11A team may be entered later if warranted. No B teams will be registered.

Coaches Meetings

- Meeting scheduled for 10/11 with a make-up date of 10/19.

League Schedule

- Schedule is complete and approval was received from all the schools.

Vic Memorial

A \$500 scholarship will be awarded yearly in memory of Victor Negron to a graduating PW senior who played in Plymouth JR ABA. Plymouth JR ABA will work in conjunction with the counseling office at PW High School to decide what individual is best qualified to receive the award.

** Bidy Tournament in New Orleans will be held April 4th to April 9th. Pete requested that Darchelle contact Plymouth CC to secure April 11th for the banquet.

Submitted by,

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