TD Club Meeting

4/3/23

Attendees: Jon LeDonne, John Cory, Kelly Huffman, Don Palmieri, Chris Lenz, Erin Orga, Melissa Nicely, Laura Harper and parents of the football players.

* John Cory opened the meeting with changes that were made.
  + Registration process has changed, credit card only.
  + Email on Monday, BSN sports is new apparel.
    - Generated $200 so far to the TD club.
    - Next store will include equipment—40% off retail.
    - Direct ship to homes, name brand items, higher quality.
  + Treasurer stepped down-Laura Harper is new treasurer.
* Treasurer’s report:
  + $14,200 remaining--just made last ring payment.
* Game On will not continue after the end of April.
  + If you want any pictures from the season, please download.
* Next meeting is beginning of June. Would like feedback on apparel.
* Golf Outing Update-Joe Carter
  + Saturday July 15th, 1:30 shotgun start noon registration.
    - 120 golfers
    - $500 for 4 some
* Ring Ceremony-late May
  + Magnolia & Pine (Monday or Tuesday)
* Registration is live now.
  + Extremely important to register. We encourage everyone to pay.
* Benefits-Jon LeDonne
  + Nutrition
  + Swag
  + Team Building
  + Varsity 7v7s (2 events)
  + Equipment Manager
  + Scholarships

* Volunteer –volunteer time generates revenue back to the team
  + Takes 30 people to fill volunteer spots every Friday night
    - 5 Varsity home games and 1 play off
    - 4 JV home games
  + There are 32 Chair Spots (all but 2 filled)
  + Each family is asked to fill 4 slots.
  + Use QR code to sign up for volunteer slots.
  + Don to add slots for additional volunteers (i.e. kick off party)
* Calendar Updates-Coach LeDonne
  + Likely will move Freshman to JV B
  + Off for Spring Break April 7th through April 14th
  + April 22nd is children’s home volunteer event
  + April 29th is paintball—all grades.
  + May will pick up to 4 days a week and Spring Ball
  + Support Pine Park turf opening May 13th
  + May 20th power meet – all grades
  + June 3rd- Ram Card and Father Son dinner
  + Summer 4 days a week
  + WVU and Pitt 7v7 scheduled.
  + All 7-12 grades will follow the same off weeks
  + Went over coaching updates and changes for the year
* 9th Grade Football
  + If we continue with this path, nothing changes much. Same process as last year
  + If we move to JV B, Provide more opportunity for the players. Play on Monday or Thursday, some players will dress for Friday Nights and Saturdays. Coach will never put a 9th grader up against a more developed player. Gives them 7 more weeks of practice time. 75% of parents supported the JVB decision. Decision is sitting with the school, hope to have final confirmation in the coming weeks.

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