

WLSBB Board Meeting

10/16/18 at 6:00pm

Wonderland Lanes

Attendees:

Present: Serena Deck, Kenda Lemont, Nicole Robinson, Amber Schoffler, and Jennifer Willbur.

Absent: Jimmy Glover, John Kohler and Heather Oblak.

Agenda Items:

1. Tryout Dates-

- a. Announcements are being made at all 3 high schools to inform students about tryouts.
- b. They will all be held at Wonderland Lanes.
Girls- Monday, November 12th from 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Boys – Tuesday, November 13th from 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm
- c. No parent reps are needed for these days. Amber, Jen, Heather and Nicole will be present to collect physical forms and hand out Bowler/Parent Packets.
- d. Coaches will announce teams on the same date of the tryouts.
- e. All bowlers will need to have a school physical dated on or after April 15, 2018. This needs to either be turned in to a member of the Bowling Boosters or they must have one on file at their school office by the beginning of the first practice on November 20, 2018 otherwise the bowler will be unable to begin practices.

2. Practices- will start the week of November 19th on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:00 – 5:00 pm (Boys and Girls will practice together).

3. Bowling Registration/Parent Meeting-

- a. It will be held **Thursday November 15th at Walled Lake Central Cafeteria (6:00 pm- 9:00 pm).**
- b. Set up- plan is to spread the stations out this year so that parents can go back and forth as needed between stations.
- c. Stations
#1 Verify Roster and Uniform Size
#2 USBC Sanction Card
#3 Bottle Drive and #4 Sponsor Letters (also Car Decal orders will be submitted here
#5 WLSBB Forms- new option this year on the Volunteer form will be having a parent coordinator for the snack bin for each team.
#6 School forms
#7 Payment Station- Final station, need to go to all other stations before this

- d. Checklist form- this was passed around for all to review. Items of note for each station include the following-
4. **2018-2019 Bowling Season Schedule**- still being finalized, hope to have it set before the Bowling Registration/Parent Meeting
5. **Parent 101 meeting**- this would be for parents who are new to the Bowling Boosters or any returning parents who wish to attend. No set meeting date or time discussed today. The following items/issues are to be addressed at this meeting-
- a. Parent reps are to be an additional go to person for questions and trying to work out communication issues
 - b. Reminders for upcoming dates- e.g. sponsorship forms
 - c. Reps will work on coordinating lodging for JV tournaments
 - d. Reminders for practice and tournament dress codes
 - e. Reminder that there is no set end time for tournaments and meets, need to make sure you have made arrangements to have your bowler picked up if you are not able to stay the entire time
 - f. Reminder for parents to always check the website first for information if possible before contacting Parent Rep or Board Member
 - g. Reminder for parents about food for tournament days- they should send their bowler with money (\$10 minimum for food that day)
 - h. Reminder to speak with Board members or Parent reps before or after the meets or tournaments
6. **Spirit Wear**- Heather decided on using Squad Locker for all spirit wear orders. People can both order and pay online. All items are shipped directly to the person who submitted the order. There are no minimum orders or number of items needed. Made approximately \$400 on Spirit Wear last year, hoping to surpass that this year.
7. **Fundraiser Ideas**-
- a. **Sponsor Letter Drive**- same as last year, these were approved at last meeting
 - b. **Bottle Drive**- same as last year, these were approved at last meeting
 - c. Board unanimously approved the following 2 new fundraisers this year-
 - i. **Euchre Night**- scheduled 12/1/18 from 6:00 pm – 11:00 pm
 - 1. 2 different prices offered- one for players and one for people just coming for the meet and greet portion.
 - 2. Will have pizza, salad, breadsticks, etc. as part of the night.
 - 3. Also will have lottery ticket tree and 50/50 raffle to raise additional money that night.
 - ii. **Impersonator Night**
 - 1. He does impressions such as Neil Diamond, Motown, etc.

2. Will look at a date in January or early February at Mad Hatter Pub at Wonderland Lanes if possible
 3. Money would be raised by selling tickets and possibly things like a 50/50 raffle.
8. **Board Insurance Policy**- Amber still needs to discuss her findings with Heather regarding this.
9. **Individual Bowler/Team Pictures**-
 - a. Pictures will be done again by D & L photography.
 - b. They are scheduled on 12/13/18 which is a normal practice day.
 - c. Students will not be taken out of school early but they will be asked to head directly to Wonderland Lanes from school.
 - d. Tentative Schedule for the day- bowlers will practice during the times they are not scheduled for pictures
 - i. Walled Lake Central 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm
 - ii. Walled Lake Northern 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm
 - iii. Walled Lake Western 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm
10. **End of Season Bowling Banquet**- reservation has been confirmed for Friday, March 22, 2019 at Baypointe Golf Club.
11. **Online Website**- Milissa was not present at this meeting. No new updates.
12. **New items**-
 - a. **Updating of signage at Wonderland Lanes**- following discussion there was unanimous approval to update the signage to say "Wonderland Lanes and Bowler's Approach- Home of Walled Lake Schools Bowling" All sponsors names will be removed from current signage.
 - b. **New Walled Lake Schools Bowling Booster Display Case**- following discussion there was unanimous approval for this.
 - i. To be housed at Wonderland Lanes
 - ii. It will be used to display team photos, trophies, bowler awards, etc.

Next meeting scheduled for Tuesday, November 6, 2018 at Wonderland Lanes.