

## **ETJ Baseball / Softball**

### **Monthly Meeting – 4/15/19**

Attendees: Chad Forcellini, Amy Forcellini, Terry Hall, Jimmy Fisher, Tim Spicher, Jerrod Nixon, Steve Ruddek, Sam Amenti, Ashlie Hildebrand, Charlie Kauffman, Doug Dunsmore, Jon Serenko, Stacy Serenko, Dave Spochart, Nichole Spochart

President Chad Forcellini called the meeting to order at 7pm.

Previous meetings minutes approved. Motion 1<sup>st</sup> Amy Forcellini, 2<sup>nd</sup> Dave Spochart

Treasurer's Report – Current balance is \$14,885.54. We are waiting on the \$5000 check for the side x side from Energy Transfer. Amy also collected about \$5800 in gun ticket money prior to tonight's meeting. Half of uniform cost has been paid for. Motion 1<sup>st</sup> Dave Spochart, 2<sup>nd</sup> Steve Ruddek

Basket Party - Total taken in on that day was \$6,991.00. That does not include the prior ticket sales. That is very good considering we are down 4 teams across the board. Thank you everyone who helped and volunteered to make this a huge success. Nichole Spochart will be sending out Thank you cards to all the business sponsors.

The side x side has been purchased and is at Mitchell Park.

Uniforms – The cost is approximately \$7000 this year. They have all been ordered and we do not have an exact date for handout at this point. Waiting on update from Cliff. We are also waiting on the hats. A generic ETJ hat for everyone will be handed out, so they can also be used for All Stars. Cliff handled ordering the 12 yr old pullovers. Steve has softball jerseys in hand and just needs go ahead to hand out.

Team Pictures – Scheduled for Monday/Tuesday of next week. 4/22/19 & 4/23/19. Team picture times are out on the ETJ Facebook page.

Baseball Opening Day – April 27, 2019. We are looking at doing the same thing as last year with all teams being introduced. Opening pitch will be done by Jake Hessler. Was discussed to pass the hat for a donation to Wounded Warriors or a charity of Jake's choice. Sam is going to ask if we can have the drone fly over again.

We also need to schedule a date with Energy Transfer for the \$5000 check hand over. They want news coverage and we need to make this a big deal.

Softball Opening Day – May 10, 2019. This will be a Friday night with Kiewit officially turning on the lights. This will be a “Dedication Night”. Steve is having a sign made from Cooper with the logos. Was brought up to get T-shirts made up from American Eagle.

Steve said that Leidy lights will physically be installed 4/24/19 per Kiewit.

Concession Stand Update-

- Chad was going to follow up with Roni regarding the freezer for Leidy.

- Softball needs stock items for games the week of 4/23/19 & 4/25/19.

- Stacy Serenko handed out the concession stand schedule for baseball to the coaches. She needs this back ASAP. Buy out is \$25 per day and needs to be a check. The parents still need to select days on the schedule, so Stacy knows where she needs to get the coverage. She will find the replacement. She also requested as much help as possible, would like to see new faces.

- Stacy will be at the Mitchell on Saturday 4/20/19 at 10am and could use help cleaning concession stand and bathrooms.

- Stacy will also need a ton of help opening day 4/27/19. Games all day.

All Star Tourney – Was decided to increase fees to \$150 + 12 balls per team.

Field Work Days – Majority of work completed. Need to straighten the fire hoses and paint. Porta Johns were ordered (1 for Mitchell and 1 for Leidy). Both should have been delivered.

Motion to adjourn meeting – 1<sup>st</sup> Sam Amenti, 2<sup>nd</sup> Stacy Serenko