

Minutes

Date 7/9/07 Time 7:00PM Location Midd-West High School Library

Roll Call

Kim Ebright	Jeff Heintzelman	Cheryl Lawver	Christy Liddington
Duane Schmoyer	Eric Stone	Doug Walter	Dan Heeter
Clint Swartz	Dale Franquet	Nicole Stauffer	

Minutes of the - meeting

Committee Reports

None

Officers Reports

None

Old & Unfinished Business

1. Weight Room-concerns were raised with the way the weight room is currently run. Among the concerns:
 - a. -Fees not being handed in for non-wrestlers
 - b. -Abuse of equipment
 - c. -Fuel cost and rent not covered by membership fees
 - d. -Supervision for safety reasons
 - i. -It was decided that until the next meeting we would get a system in place to handle most of this. We have drafted a contract agreement (Sample Attached) that all non-wrestlers will have to sign and submit for membership. Membership fees will be set up as follows:
 - ii. -Current Midd-West Wrestlers and their immediate family members (Brothers, Sisters, Mother, Father) may lift and use the facilities free of charge as a benefit of the Wrestling Association
 - iii. -6 Month Membership-Prepaid Only \$60
 - iv. -12 Month Membership-Prepaid Only \$120
 - v. Under all plans the members will receive a membership card (Sample Attached) that must be with them when they are at the facility. It will be monitored and anyone who does not have the card with them will be asked to leave. Memberships will run for 1

year for Mid-West Wrestlers, 6 and 12 month respectively.

Hopefully this will eliminate some of the problems.

2. Junior High Coaches-It was suggested that we approach Justin Keister as the new head coach of the Mid-West Junior High team. Dan Heeter said he will contact him. Dale Franquet said he would also followup. Both individuals stated that Mr. Keister would prove a positive influence on the Junior High Boys.
3. Fundraisers-Discussed Mr. Sticky as an option
4. Meeting Dates-possibly set the meeting on the same day of the week, same week of the month-possibly every month-call extra if needed during the season
5. Decided on 2nd Tuesday of every month for the meetings. Location to be determined. It was discussed that we would probably hold them off of school premises because the district charges us janitor costs when we have it on school grounds. Next meeting is at Kidcare Solutions on Furnace road by the Middleswarth Chip plant.

New Business

1. Nomination of Officers: Discussion of the nomination and election of officers. Nominations were made at the meeting, I will also accept nominations via email to put on the ballots for the next meeting. Offices include: President (Currently Kim Ebright), Vice President (Currently Jeff Heintzleman), Secretary (Currently Tonya Walter), Treasurer (Currently Shelly Knepp), Equipment Manager (New position, mainly for elementary), Food Operations (New position, for responsibility to arrange “menu” and help for tournaments and home matches; both Elementary and High School.)
2. Set Elementary Tournament Dates: Discussion was held about past tournaments, when we had good turnouts and when we didn't. December 15th-Tentative Date for Mid-West Elementary Open Tournament, January 19th-Tentative Date for the Mid-West Elementary Novice Tournament
3. JH Tri-Valley Tournament hosted by Mid-West on February 9th, 2008-awaiting team list from AD (Athletic Director), February 9th-Tentative Date for the Mid-West Sponsored Tri-Valley League Wrestling Tournament
4. Mid-West High School Dual Tournament-Discussion on the Mid-West High School Team Duals hosted by Mid-West, tentative date of December 8th, 2007-awaiting team list from AD, December 8th-Tentative Date for Mid-West High School Duals
5. Advertising Booklet-discussion was held and it was decided that we would solicit businesses for ads in a printed booklet listing wrestlers, past records if we can get them as well as upcoming events and schedules.
6. Wrestling Camp- To date we have 26 kids committed, awaiting last minute registrations. Will run AM, PM and evening sessions. Looking for Senior High, Junior High and Alumni to help out. Guest coach suggestions. Anyone wanting to donate powdered Gatorade please drop off at Kidcare Solutions anytime prior to the end of the month, or at the High School on July 29th at 6:00 when we meet to setup for camp.

7. Administrative Items- -PO Box has been established for catalogs, trophy info, as well as an address where weight room payments are to be sent. Mid-West Wrestling Association, PO Box 224, Middleburg, PA 17842 -Request for phone, mailing and email info on wrestlers for communication improvement. Contact forms will be distributed at the first day of practice, coaches will be responsible to get them back to the secretary. -It was established that Elementary and Junior High should have a parent on hand to handle paperwork, equipment issues, fundraising info so that the coaches aren't required to be pulled away from practice times. Elementary has been committed, and at least 1 JH parent
8. Discussed the use of a Powerpoint Document similar to the Soccer Team to aid parents and students wanting more information on the program.
9. Membership Fee, Tournament Reimbursement-Selinsgrove?-Discussed the possibility of membership sponsored events. Ie- supporting a team at summer camp, in addition to ways to fund it.
10. Election of Officers-Postponed until next meeting

Open Floor

1. Open discussion was held about the strength of the association and the future! Starting a new tradition-where wrestling will no longer take a back seat! Thanks to everyone who devotes their time and energy. We look forward to seeing you at camp!

Good and Welfare

- July 18, 19, 20th –Battleline Wrestling Camp- Mifflinburg Intermediate School-
- July 29th 6:00pm- Mid-West High School Gym- Roll out mats and prepare for camp
- July 30, 31st, Aug 1st, Aug 2nd- Mid-West Wrestling Camp-Mid-West High School
- August 14th-7:00 pm-Kidcare Solutions 138 Furnace Rd, Middleburg-Wrestling Association Meeting, Election of Officers
- August 27th –First day of School
- November 12th-First day of Practice for Winter Sports
- December 8th-Tentative Date for Mid-West High School Duals
- December 15th-Tentative Date for Mid-West Elementary Open Tournament
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- February 9th-Tentative Date for the Mid-West Sponsored Tri-Valley League Wrestling Tournament

Adjournment

***Meeting adjourned at 9:20pm By President Kim Ebright
Respectively Submitted by Nicci Stauffer
Attachments (2)***

Approved on: _____