

## **SABER LAX PARENT GROUP FALL MEETING THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2019**

**Attendance:** Kris Marion, Mike Burroughs, Rachel Boario, Coach Dave Diehl, Jen Moen, Angela Beadle, Michelle Balcerowski, Mary Czarnecki, Tammy Webler, Jenny Shohoney, Char Richard, Suzanne Zidek

No minutes from September to review, as this was a board/coach meeting only

Board and Coach introductions

### **Coaches Notes:**

Fall/winter workouts for boys will tentatively be Mondays and Thursdays at both Forest Park Middle School and FHS. Girls will combine both workout and open gym into one night and be held on Thursdays. Coaches will communicate all days and times when confirmed.

Coach Diehl will order indoor balls for use at Forest Park. He will submit a receipt

Tryout dates will be March 9-11 for both boys and girls. A mandatory meeting for parents and players will be held on Thursday, March 12.

Both coaches are working on game schedules but the conference schedule is not final.

**Budget** - Mike Burroughs provided a budget overview and explain line items that were revised based on September board meeting. Any budget questions should be directed to Mike.

### **Season Preview:**

2020 Special Games will be Senior Night, Youth Night and Faculty Night. In lieu of Parents Night, we will continue with the tradition of making player buttons but will hand out at the beginning of the season so parents can wear them all year.

Fundraisers:

Our annual bowling fundraiser is scheduled for Sunday, April 5. This is later than we normally hold it, but feel it will be more successful to wait until after tryouts and Spring break. We will need a lot of workers, raffle items and all players will need to sign bowlers up to bowl at the event.

We will again hold FHS Lax Restaurant Nights. These are scheduled nights where a given restaurant will donate a percentage of proceeds of sales back to the program. Last year we

earned a nice amount at Point After and will schedule another date this season at PA as well as look into additional options. These are easy fundraisers and provide a good opportunity for players and families to socialize.

Concessions - We will be given 1-2 basketball games and will again be required to staff the concession stand for dates all home lax games

Spiritwear - <https://www.gymtreasures.com/franklin-high-school/> All items sold under this category will count as one fundraiser (Spiritwear). This includes umbrellas. We are looking for someone to take on spiritwear to refresh the items on the website. The sprirtwear site is open year round for ordering. Items can be picked up at Gym Treasures in Franklin to avoid shipping costs.

We are looking for additional fundraising ideas and someone to volunteer to be the Fundraising Coordinator.

Volunteer Needs - We have a variety of volunteer needs for the season. The list of open positions will be posted on the website.

#### **-Communication**

TeamSnap will be launched and used in place of Statwack moving forward. We will send an email out to all active addresses with a link to be added. We'll also post this information on Statwack. We'll determine a cutoff date for Statwack based on timing for setting up and getting all players and families signed up. We'll also continue to post announcements and updates on the website: - <https://saberslax.weebly.com/>

Monthly meetings will be held the second Thursday of the month - January through May  
Our next Meeting - January 9, 2020 - 6:00 FHS Library