

Ascension Athletic Board Meeting Agenda
October 4, 2021
6:30 PM
Adult Meeting Room

Athletic Director: Teague Ridge
Assistant AD: Kristin Jansen
Treasurer: Brian Soverns
Secretary: Jessica Shaw

Members Invited: Teague Ridge, Kristin Jansen, Brian Soverns, Jessica Shaw, Adam Flanders, Brandon Baer, Chris Gregory, Tom Cushing, Dennis Jones, Dink Horstman, Dave Baker, Darla Radcliff, Frank Wheatley, Jason Lewis, Juli Evers, Louie Schweickhardt, Pam Amon, Rick Hynes, Sean Murphy, Steve Spears, Steve Mingus, Shannon Mingus, Tim Kenney, Tim Hartlage, Theresa Garrett, Patrick Paris, Sara Morris

Members In Attendance: Teague Ridge, Kristin Jansen, Chris Gregory, Tom Cushing, Dennis Jones, Dink Horstman, Dave Baker, Louie Schweickhardt, Rick Hynes, Tim Hartlage, Sara Morris

Discussion Items:

1. Sport Reports:

- a. Girls Volleyball: Kristin Jansen
Season wrapping up; season went well; will be hosting CSAA tournament games on 10/12/21 and 10/19/21; volleyball equipment will be moved to cage following season
- b. Flag Football: Louie Schweickhardt
Season going well
- c. Track/Cross Country: Dennis Jones
- d. Soccer K-2: Sara Morris
Season going well
- e. Soccer 3-8: Sean Murphy
- f. JK-2 Basketball: Chris Gregory
Discussed current number of children registered, uniform t-shirts, coaches Evaluations weekend of 10/24/21; dates and times will be communicated through GameDay
- g. Boys Basketball: Dink Horstman
Discussed current number of children registered/potential number of teams/coaches
Open coaching positions will be posted in bulletin and emailed to school and parish families; interviews if, needed Oct 21st
Discussed uniform options, pricing and anticipated parent concerns:
 - renting uniforms at \$55 annually

- bottom of the line uniforms \$50 annually - not guaranteed by vendors each year
- Uniforms (and many goods) are hard to get from China and prices are higher due to Covid
- Most basketball players already have Adidas uniform; only a small portion of families will purchase new uniforms instead of all families incurring the cost
- Feedback from parents that children are getting 3-4 years out of Adidas uniforms
- Adidas uniforms are high quality, reversible jerseys
- Decision made to remain with Adidas uniform due to less cost in the long run for families/better quality uniform
- Uniform sizing Oct 12th, 13th, 14th from 6-7pm in AMR
- Cost \$87

Discussed jersey numbers

Basketball workers will be scheduled - Jansen

Sports coordinators will be assigned a weekend to serve as concession manager - Jansen

Parent gate/concession workers will be scheduled - Jansen

- h. Girls Basketball: Tim Hartlage

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See uniform, playing up discussions above

- i. Boys Volleyball: Dave Baker
 j. Swimming: Juli Evers
 k. Golf: Teague Ridge
 l. Baseball: Tim Kenney
 m. Field Hockey: Pam Amon

2. Basketball

- Current Sign-Ups - see above
- Coaches - see above
- 3rd-8th Tryout date - see above
- JK-2nd Evaluation date - see above
- Christmas Tournament - Teams have been contacted to gauge interest

3. Hosting Soccer/Field Hockey

Discussed pros/cons of hosting soccer, field hockey and/or football

Discussed costs, manpower required, maintenance of field

Decision: would love to host to keep field in shape and invite others to our campus, but it was felt we would be losing money instead of making a profit; decided not to host at this time; discussed repainting soccer goals and ordering nets for goals, however

4. Annual Listing of Sports by Season

This information is included with beginning of year communication to parents from school, but can also be listed on website

5. Bi-Laws Revision Plan

Board agreed to review/revise by-laws; separate meeting will be scheduled for this task

6. Misc

Next Meeting: November 8, 2021@ 6:30 PM in Adult Meeting Room