

Athletic Commission Meeting Minutes		Date: April 12, 2021	
Attendance Present Members: R. Lipinski, M. Wasilevich, P. Malacina, D. Thelen, C. Holly, M. Doyle, T. Smith, D. Kirk, S. Wade, M. Hendee, R. Rzepecki, H. Howard, A. Marion		Time Called to Order: 7:05 PM Via Google meet	
Absent Members: K. Watkins		Visitors:	
Presiding Officer: R. Lipinski		Submitted By: A. Marion	
AGENDA/TOPIC	DISCUSSION/CONCLUSIONS/SUMMARY	RECOMMENDATIONS/ ACTIONS/FOLLOW-UP	PERSON RESPONSIBLE/DATE
Faith Sharing	Silent prayer	--	All
Roll Call & Approval of Minutes		--	

Old Business			
Fundraising, baseball signage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There are approximately 15 companies that currently advertise with a sign on the ball fields. M. Doyle pulled together letters for those asking to renew. Most of the signs are still usable. M. Doyle has a general letter to send to new companies asking to advertise. Sign vendor can put together in about a week. If the baseball season is shortened, the sign still remains up and visible to anyone driving through the grounds. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If you have a contact or idea for a business that may want a sign, contact Mike. 	M. Doyle
Baseball Field Conditions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spring clean up day currently on hold until back to school, better weather Baseball is paused through next Monday to be consistent with the school M. Wasilevich confirmed the Church will cover the cost of this year pesticide application Letter to John Smoltz has been delivered to his sister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow up on spring clean up day 	M. Wasilevich
New AC roles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> R. Lipinski mentioned last meeting new roles that would be helpful to the group including a Social Media Coordinator and School Communication Liaison 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define each of the roles needed for next year's commission and include in upcoming Communicators 	R. Lipinski

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suggested having these positions be “At-Large Members”, meaning they can join the Commission but have less obligation as the full AC members. For example, not be required to work at sporting events, may not attend all meetings. • Opportunity for new parents to get involved with out as much of a time commitment • Ideal to have roles filled by end of this term to be ready for next year- if you know of someone who may be interested, let Rachel know 		
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New Business			
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Golf Outing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • M. Hendee has made a lot of progress on the Golf Outing • Several asks for sponsorships have been made, commitments are starting to come in. Each AC member should be able to secure one sponsorship • Max of 60 golfers allowed for the event. Each AC member should be able to secure one team. • Signs- still looking for holders. May be in storage unit in Parish Office. Possible with old auction stuff. • C. Holly will handle printing signs in color • M. Hendee will purchase sleeves of golf balls to hand out to participants. • Thank you letters have been sent in the past- on St. Gerard stationary. S. Wade will confirm. • Talked about adding sponsorship commitments to the FB page, adding the registration and sponsor information to the Church bulletin, leaving registration form at Grand Ledge Meadows • Reminder: Families can sponsor. Does not need to be a company 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obtain sponsorships and foursomes 	All, M. Hendee
Softball, Coach pitch, T-ball	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is enough interest to field U8, U10, and U12 softball teams • We can currently fill two coach pitch and t-ball teams. • There may be more sign ups that come in. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Need to order shirts and hats for coach pitch and t-ball 	M. Wasilevich

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussed having more practice time versus games if there are two teams in the coach pitch and t-ball divisions 		
Status Reports			
AD Report - Pat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As of now, fall volleyball is going forward P. Malacina has forms and will get to school in the next week or two to go out in Communicator Need to add to FB, need coaches 		
Education – Sara/Ray	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No new updates 		
Finances - Chris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No new updates. Will need to make purchases for upcoming ball season- chalk, score books, game balls, umpire checks Paid \$600 for softball league fees Will need to pay mowing contract 		
Adjournment		Adjournment 8:08PM	
Next Meeting	Monday, May 10, 2021, 7:00 p.m. possibly in person (TBD)		