



Center Grove Wrestling Club

Meeting Minutes

September 22, 2009



Call to Order

Keith Adams called to order the regular Center Grove Wrestling Club Board meeting on September 22, 2009 at Center Grove High School.

Roll Call

Those present were Cale Hoover, Keith Adams, Neil Sego, Jeff Johnson, Karen Carmichael, Renee Schoettle, and Ed Lyons

Minutes from previous two meetings submitted and motion to approve by Keith Adams, seconded by Cale Hoover. Minutes were approved without opposition.

BUSINESS

Club and Camp Items

1. Fundraising

- a. The car wash was successful on September 19 with earnings of \$717 which was deposited into the Booster Club Account to pay coaches. Booster Club account balance is currently at \$3,100. The question was raised about having another car wash date this fall, but we do not have school approval and weather will become a factor. The decision was made to have a car wash in the spring before Disney Duals and two more in the fall of 2010.
- b. Keith Adams collected final check for Disney Duals and received a \$500 sponsor check.
- c. The Piper Group fundraiser has a tentative date set for January 11-25. Final item selection for this event will be in November.
- d. Julie Meredith will chair restaurant night fundraisers. Applebee's will be set for October, but a date has yet to be confirmed. Texas Roadhouse will be included in the restaurant lineup.
- e. Rent-a-Wrestler date set for May 15 and possibly including May 16 in case of inclement weather. Tentative date of May 22 has been eliminated because of Central Regionals occurring that weekend in Indiana.
- f. The Powder Puff game is set for October 1. Cale Hoover has ordered the t-shirts for the teams. Neil Sego will email information about the event to all members currently receiving updates to encourage attendance from club members.
- g. Keith Adams presented sponsorship letter previously sent to businesses and questioned possibilities of obtaining new sponsors.

2. Tournament Dates

- a. The beginner's Folkstyle tournament has been set for February 28. Beech Grove is the only other local tournament that day.

- b. It was decided not to have a Folkstyle tournament in January because available dates were too close to High School state events.
- c. Cale Hoover suggested holding a Freestyle Tournament instead on April 17. Other nearby venues are the weekends before and after the 17th and may allow for a better attended event. All members present agreed and the club will submit for this date. Renee Schoettle will work on getting pairing assistance.

3. Elementary Duals

- a. The need for coaches was addressed and it was determined that Neil Segó will be coaching. Cale Hoover stated that Jay Yates is interested, but not sure of level of involvement because of the middle school coaching. Jamie Hays will also be involved. Neil has another prospective coach he will contact.
- b. It was determined that the club would participate in four nearby elementary dual tournaments. Normal cost for elementary teams is \$250 per event, resulting in \$1,000 in entry fees. The club will provide sublimated singlets for use by elementary team members. If they choose to purchase one, they may do so after the dual meets and the club will replace them for the next season. Approximate cost to the club \$1,100. Cale Hoover will handle the design and purchase of the elementary singlets. It was decided to provide a practice pack for team members (possibly a hoodie, t-shirt, and shorts) to promote team participation. Approximate cost to club for the practice packs is \$1,000. Total estimated costs for the elementary team is \$3,100.
- c. There are approximately 17 weight classes represented at the elementary dual meets. The plan is to have at least 20 team members. The club will subsidize the cost to participants. A fee of \$175 per wrestler was proposed. After deliberation it was agreed without opposition that a fee of \$150 be charged to each participant. This fee will also include the camp and club fee as well as the ISWA membership fee. Therefore, the club will pay \$2,000 towards the elementary team after the net fees from team members.

4. Club Camp

- a. The dates are set for October 26 – 28, and November 2 - 4. Jeff Johnson proposed to add a sixth practice to the camp on November 3. Karen Carmichael seconded and the sixth practice was added without opposition. A Camp Tournament parent information meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 28. The camp tournament is set for Thursday, November 5 at 7 PM in the West Gym. High School wrestlers will be asked to help with coaching during the camp.
- b. The camp flyer needs to be created and distributed. Renee Schoettle will create flyer and make copies at Pak and Ship using credit still available. Distribution needs to go out to all elementary and middle schools. Keith will get them distributed to bantam and Cale will distribute to the elementary and middle schools.
- c. There is a need for someone to work on getting business sponsorships. Jeff Johnson will call on some businesses and so will Keith. Jeff Johnson will get the yard signs updated and placed (order new ones as needed). Jeff Johnson will also take care of ordering medals for the tournaments. Renee Schoettle will call “Nicole” to do the camp t-shirts. Cale Hoover will communicate with Dwayne Doles for polos for coaches and board members.

Other Items

- 1. No one knew of any other individuals interested in board positions.
- 2. Neil Segó is working on updating the website. As of the meeting he had posted the club schedule, previous board meeting minutes, and the 2009/10 club fee schedule. He will continue to update the website.
- 3. The next meeting has been set for Tuesday, October 13, at 6:30 PM.