



LOS ALAMITOS BASEBALL BOOSTER CLUB

Tuesday, September 9, 2008

Agenda

1. Welcome

A. Board Members:

Todd DeAngelis (President), Ramona Wright (V.P.), Mike Godoy (V.P.), Flynn Olsen & Darin Minter (Treasurer), Alta Heacock (Secretary)

Todd introduced the current Board and asked people to get involved in the program, we will need replacements for all positions for next year, and would like to have time to work with replacements the 2nd half of this school year. Board members are subject to Coach Clabough's approval.

2. Varsity Coach-Mark Clabough

A. Try outs

For freshman will be September 27th from 12:30 to about 3:30. If a player passes this first tryout the second tryout will be October 4th from 2:30 to about 5:30. Being in the 6th period Baseball class does not guarantee a position on the team and everyone is encouraged to try out.

B. Fall League

At this time Coach Clabough thinks the Varsity team will play during the week in the fall and winter and the JV and Frosh teams will play on Saturdays. The schedule will be confirmed soon and it will be posted on the website. There will be a fee to play the fall/winter ball games.

There will be no games during the Thanksgiving or Winter break. If anyone has vacation plans and cannot make a game during the fall and winter, please email Coach Clabough so he can plan accordingly. It is not an issue to during the fall/winter season.

The spring season is a different situation and he wants the players commitments to be there in the Spring.

Depth Chart – the coaches will be posting a depth chart so players can see where they stand. Freshman and kids playing other sports will not be listed.

Freshman will be kept together on the freshman team this year. There may be occasions when someone is moved to JV fill a spot due to an injury.

JV Coach – for the fall will be Travis Cross he is currently attending Chapman University. Guy Castillo may assist in the Spring but at this time it has not been settled.



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3. Old Business:

- A. Approval of May, 2008 minutes
Approved by Hyman and Nighswonger
- B. Treasurer's Report
We have about \$2400 in the account, but we have transportation fees of about \$20 K that we owe.

4. New Business

- A. Financial Statement/Budget
We made many improvements last year, which resulted in not paying the Transportation fees. We will pay the transportation fees this year. We have no major improvements scheduled for this year.
- B. Player Responsibilities-Dues
Remain at \$550
Pay up front and receive a free 5-6' Douglas Fir tree, paying at once also reduces the amount of accounting work. We are considering options for busing to games to reduce our transportation fee for this school year.
If you have paid your dues in full and then earn player credits exceeding your dues, if requested you will receive a refund for the amount of dues you have paid that have exceeded \$550.
Payment dates Freshman parents – begin paying dues in November, schedule included in folder
- C. Uniforms – orders will be collected at the October meeting for returning players.
Freshman orders will be taken after try outs.
Coaches assign uniform numbers
Numbers 1 – 36 require that you purchase the undershirt

5. Fundraising

- A. Taste for Los Al-
Tickets Ester & George Randolph
Pick up tickets at meeting. If you need more please contact the Randolphs.
Tickets/money must be turned in at the Car Wash fundraiser – or make separate arrangements. They are due September 27th. The Randolphs must accumulate and enter information on spread sheet and they must turn them in to the Taste by Oct. 3rd for the baseball program to receive our credit \$\$
The event is located behind Stats, from 6-10 pm
No drink tickets this year included in the ticket to enter event, due to liability issues.



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Be sure to completely fill out the ticket stubs for tickets that you sell. Checks made out to “**Our Los Al**”

Silent Auction Darin Minter

We need donations, will be collecting, wrapping, writing bid sheets, set up at Event. We made about \$7K last year. Darin will send out more information Via email

- B. Christmas Tree sales – Shari Cortez
Traditional fundraiser – Douglas Fir & Noble, great trees, more info will follow
Tree Blitz for players
- C. Varsity Field Banner sales – Chuck Lawhon
Each banner is \$375, a renewal is \$275
Banners that were brought in by players that have graduated are contacted by Chuck for renewal.
Player credit for each banner sold is \$150
We sold over 60 banners last year
List of existing banners on the website
- D. Newspaper Drive – Matt Lorenzini
Held the last Saturday of each month, at Rossmoor Park
We make over \$6K each year.
Players receive community service hours
Find a replacement if you are not able to work
Every family in the program should be bringing their newspapers
- E. Program Ads/Directory – JoAnn Springer
The directory will be distributed prior to the start of the season
- F. Griffin Gear – Kathy Nakaki
Will be available at the Snack Shack and at the next meeting. There is also
An order form in your folder and will be available on line also.
- G. Snack Shack – Darin Minter
Donations of water and Gatorade help the program. We made about \$675
Over the summer. Need a replacement refrigerator and microwave
- H. Car Wash – Todd DeAngelis
First car wash will be September 27th (morning)
Freshman can help out, Tickets in folder, \$5 per car wash



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6. Communication

A. E-mail for LAHS Baseball ONLY

C. Website: www.griffinbaseball.org

Please check the website daily when there are games. Updates will be posted, and there are usually some last minute changes to the schedule.

7. Next Meeting - Tuesday, October 7th, Room 153 @ 7 pm