

**North Pocono Jr. Trojans  
Meeting Minutes  
January 14, 2019**

- The meeting was called to order at 7:02pm.
- All Board Members were in attendance with the exception of Moriah Minich, cheer coordinator, who was attending ACC meeting.
- Mission Statement was read.
- Minutes of the 12/10/18 meeting were read.
  - Motion to accept minutes made Melissa Loch and seconded by Rose McNutt.
- Treasurer's report was read as follows:
  - **Beginning Balance:** \$ 40,389.35
    - **0 Deposit:**
    - **2 Withdrawals:** \$152.00
  - **Ending Balance:** \$ 40,237.35
  - Motion to accept treasurer's report was made by Melissa Loch and seconded by Rose McNutt.
- Fundraising:
  - Since there were no nominations for Fundraising Coordinator, the board decided to combine between all members.
- Football:
  - Still accepting coaches' letter of intent until beginning of February. Will be announced at February 11 meeting
  - Tentative 1<sup>st</sup> day of practice is scheduled for July 22nd
- Cheerleading:
  - Still accepting Cheer coaches' letter of intent until beginning of February. Will be announced at February 11 meeting.
  - Moriah will be contacting Battaglias by end of week to order new cheer uniforms for this season.
  - Cheer count projections for 2019 based on this year's numbers: (error in typed 12-10-18 minutes, corrected B and C)
    - A squad 18
    - B squad 19
    - C squad 48
    - D squad 26
  - Purse Bingo for A Squad is scheduled 4/14/19 at Eagle Mclure Hose Company - doors open at 11:00, first game starts at 1:00. Flyers with announcement to be posted on NPJT website and all NPJT football & cheer facebook pages.
- Vice President:
  - Dates have been submitted and approved by the district for 2019 board meetings.
  - Registration dates for 2019 have been approved by the district as follows:
    - Returning players/cheerleaders 2/23/19
    - New players/cheerleaders 3/2/19
    - Snow date/last minute for all 3/9/19
    - All 3 dates are from 10-1 at NPI

- There will be late fee of \$25 if applications are received after April 1. Those applications must be mailed.
- President:
  - Carbondale and Lackawanna Trail asked to join the ACCJFL without a presentation
    - They proposed 2 split divisions holding 2 Superbowls and 2 Allstar games
  - Valley View and Wallenpaupack were favorites
  - ACC will be voting on proposals at their February 10th meeting
  - No date has been set for this year's banquet. Fiorellis said if we book a November date they will have room decorated as guests enjoyed taking pictures with Christmas decorations in place.
- Old Business:
  - Discussed last year's field injuries - Amy proposed appointing someone to follow up with claims.
- New Business:
  - Receiving bids for photography - due March 11<sup>th</sup>
    - Discussed possibly holding picture day in gym
  - NPJT Scholarship fund - voted for 2 scholarships at \$500 each to come from general fund. Player/Cheer must meet qualifications
  - Ashley proposed increasing food hut prices for this season to increase revenue and keep up with other teams' food prices.
  - Ashley also proposed to possibly change practice snacks to "healthier" choices. Public stated they didn't like change to snacks.
  - Lynn announced the update of NPJT website with current information and event dates. Discussed cleaning up facebook pages.
- Public Comment:
  - Kevin Gibson asked about new helmets. Our helmets are 2 years old. Helmets have a life span of 10 years and can be reconditioned every 3 years (3 times total)
- Motion to adjourn at 8:17pm made by Chris McGuire and seconded by Kevin Gibson.