

05/06/2025-Clippers Board Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, May 6, 2025 at 8:00 PM via Zoom

I. **Call to order:** The meeting was started at 8:00 PM by President Autumn Pollack

II. **Roll Call/ Attendees:** Attendance was called verbally for following participants via Zoom:

Board Members- President Autumn Pollack, Vice President Sarah Fry, Secretary Julie Rizzi,
Treasurer Brynna Genao

Commissioners- Alisha Bailey, Kristen McGaughran, Mike Koch, Melissa Choe, Melissa Dewey,
Scott Altemus, Katie Hummel, Tony Genau, Brandon Smith

Other- Jessica Woepfel, Alexis Barofski, Caitlin Hallahan

III. **Reading and approval of minutes:** waived

IV. **Commissioner reports:**

Girls LAX (Jenna Dellano)-

- Girls LAX has a total of 80 players this year. The 7-8 level has been removed with them now being part of the Middle School as a club program.
- Clippers total is 66 players (K-12- 16 players, 3-4 Grade has 2 teams- one team has 13 players and the other team has 14 players, 5-6 Grade has 23 players)
- No coaching needs
- A goal has gone missing at Tuskes Field. The township has been contacted to look into it
- Tuskes field is being used
- Fundraisers- an apparel store fundraiser, Hershey Park fundraiser and a lottery fundraiser which raised a good amount for the organization
- End of season tournament is May 17th
- Kelly Higgins will be taking over as commissioner after the season concludes

Football (Melissa Dewey, Tony Genau, Brandon Smith)-

- Registration will continue to close as the teams fill
- Currently looking for a PW coach
- Flag team filled quickly with only have 1 Flag team
- Equipment inventory going as scheduled
- League meeting scheduled for 5/27
- Home games will be held at the Middle School. There is no actual snack stand but will set up a tented stand for snack sales
- Golf tournament scheduled for 5/10 with registration closing Friday evening

- Lower Nazareth meeting scheduled for later this week. Will give and update on the status of the park

Field Hockey (Melissa Choe)-

- Registration is open until 5/31. As of now there are 61 players (LS- 14 players , 2nd-4th- 28 players , 5th/6th- 19 players) currently registered. 15-25 more players are anticipated to register. Late registration will only be accepted if there's availability on a team with a \$25 late registration fee
- Head coaches are Rebecca Jones and Tara LaForge for LS, Kelly Higgins, Monica Dinner, Rayna Gordon, and Sarah Lumi for 2nd-4th, and Melissa Choe and Casey Eck for 5th-6th
- Supplies will need to be ordered to replenish what was used from last season. LS will need t-shirts and shorts (from Nazareth Army Navy Store). May need to order more uniforms for 5th/6th grade
- Paperwork was approved 4/28 for use of Tuskes Field, lower and middle fields from July 18-November 9
- No snack stand
- Blackout dates are August 23 and October 18. Kim will need the new insurance once we get it in June
- Parent volunteerism- each family will need to line the field once or buyout option is \$75
- Fundraising- Lottery tickets in September, online store with Nazareth Army Navy Store in July
- There will be camps in spring and summer. Emails have been sent about the different camps that are available.
- Evaluations are on June 22 and 23 to balance out teams
- There was a League meeting in March. Each team can only have 3 coaches (1 Head and 2 Assistant) at a game. Coaches will need to take a coach's test about rules in August.
- Team photos are scheduled for August 27 with a rain date of August 28
- Waiting to hear back from Coach Rotz about Youth Night

Cheer (Alisha Bailey, Kristen McGaughan)-

- Registration is closed. Anyone who was waitlisted as of 7:45 AM was cleared and the waitlist for all levels 2nd grade and above was closed. Even with the short registration period, most levels are over capacity. In order to accommodate the most girls and due to changes in the UCA age grid, most grades are split per birthdate
- Tryouts for comp are June 1st. Currently there are 12 more girls interested in competing at the 10U level than what we are comfortable taking and at least 10 over what we are able to take
- Plenty of coaches at all levels. New coaches are encouraged to reach out before registration for the following season to plan in advance
- Varsity uniforms are ordered and paid for
- Working on ordering shirts, bows and shorts for Baby Bows
- Bow order in process
- All accessories need to be ordered by June 1st through Nazareth Army Navy Store

- Facility usage has been submitted for comp tryouts at North Campus for June 1st, Cheer Chaos at the Middle School Turf and sideline practices at the Middle School grass fields
- Mat management will be added to the sign up genius for the work bond
- Working with Football on logistics of snack stand at the Middle School complex for games. Will not be hiring a snack stand attendant this year due to having multiple Football and Cheer commissioners
- Fundraising- Bingo and Lottery tickets are in the works
- Stunt clinics are scheduled for 2 Saturdays in June and 2 Saturdays in July
- Currently working on Comp tryouts and Cheer Chaos

Softball (Scott Altemus, Katie Hummel)-

- Registration has been completed- 2 Coach Pitch teams, 1 Minors, 1 Majors, 1 Juniors, only 3 girls registered for seniors. They joined with a few other organizations to make a team
- No coaching needs or issues
- Uniforms were purchased at Nazareth Army Navy Store and have been received
- Additional balls had to be purchased for Coach Pitch since there are 2 teams
- Game balls have been purchased for each team
- Field clean up day was held in March. Sod cutter was used on both fields one and two, field house was painted and all graffiti was covered.
- School supplied benches for field one
- Field two still in the works for games. Field one mainly being used for games
- All State Septic delivered and anchored a potty. Easter weekend it was reported there were kids trying to tip it over
- 2 kids were at field two one night hitting golf balls in the infield over the outfield fence. They were told they couldn't hit golf balls there and left without trouble
- Police have been present- frequently driving by
- Expect to have infield dirt delivered in the next week which will help with weeds
- Work bonds were collected this season. Parents have been great about helping
- Snack stand is up and running. A few parents deep cleaned the snack stand during field clean up day. Repainted cabinets, counter where the outside had graffiti, and the grill and hot dog roller were deep cleaned
- Purchased a microwave for additional items to sell
- Fundraising- Dine to Donate at Catty Corner was held 4/22 with a tricky tray raffle (had a lot of participation), cash raffle (mandatory fundraiser for all players during registration), apparel to sell at stand, may still do a bowling night
- Update on status of cameras for field house?
- Will host an All Star Tournament for Coach Pitch June 21-22. Both fields will be used

Boys LAX (Mike Koch)-

- Boys LAX has 80 players (K-2-38 players, Grades 3-4- 17 players, Grades 5-6- 25 players, 12 participants in Little Shooters)

- All equipment was issued during indoor sessions in February. Some new equipment was purchased this year and a donation was made to assist with meeting the needs of our new players. Ordered some new uniforms for the younger players.
- K-2 registration went from 12 to 38 players this year
- Playing this year at Silvercrest and the NAMS turf when available
- Fundraising- Cakes, pies, and candles fundraiser raised \$1300 and apparel sale raised \$500
- "Attack Cancer" Fundraiser in memory of Russ Pfeifer was held
- End of season tournament is 5/17
- Season extension to 5/31 for 6 vs 6 Tournament
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V. Old Business:

Looking to put up cameras/security at Clipper Field to monitor. Field house locks need/will be changed. Field house and snack stand were cleaned up

VI. New Business:

Autumn met with the school about having cameras installed. The school will extend WIFI for the cameras and help select cameras/subscriptions. Get clearances turned in ASAP for new coaches

VII. Treasurer's Report:

Boys LAX \$1401.28, Girls LAX \$989.96, Softball \$1117.50. Scholarship fundraiser \$39.00, benevity donation \$49.28, interest \$0.05. Postage purchased, domain renewal, Clippers scholarship, electric and trash removal paid. Officer's Liability Insurance paid. Operating account balance \$2152.46

VIII. Adjournment:

The meeting adjourned at 8:56 by Brynna Genao and second by Melissa Choe