Weatherford Softball Booster Club

Special Meeting

On August 8, 2017 at 6:30 the Executive Committee had a special meeting to discuss upcoming needs, news/updates and requests from Coach Ritter.

Members present: Richard Lopez, Kristi Tilghman, Sherri Whitling, Susan Logan, April Chandler, Chelsea Cleveland, Dyane Ritter.

* It was reported that Kelly Horton would like to donate helmets to the program with the agreement that there would be a sticker placed on them in remembrance of his late wife Cindy.

Discussions from the group provided the following list of items that are listed in order of importance,

* A list of necessary items to be done before season was discussed and ranked.
  + Move in outfield fence (approx. 25 feet).
  + Resurface infield with some new material. (Coach Ritter is going to speak to someone who has some materials that she like.).
  + 2 Bull pens (one on each side of field).
  + Irrigation system for the field.
  + Storage area for uniforms and equipment in the locker room.
  + Paint press box, dugouts and concession/bathroom.

The following is a wish list for supplies that Coach Ritter would like to get for off season workouts. She will try to purchase through her budget but may need help.

* 5 Tanner Tees (26” to 43”) approx. $80 each.
* 4-6 Balance ball (1/2 round with flat bottom) approx. $110 each.
* Coaches Eye Program (approx. $240 a year)
* Speed hurdles ($25 for 6)
* Speed ladders ($15)

Coach Ritter also discussed the idea of hosting a JV tournament in February. Possible dates are Feb 22-24 with a rain out date of Mar 1-3. There has been some interest from Brock to co-host. This would allow more teams for play with the use of two fields.

A discussion was brought up about committees to be formed during the fall season to plan for the spring season. The list included fundraising, web page updating, community service/involvement, membership, t-shirts and promotional items.

Next general meeting set for Sept 11, 2017 at 6:30 with executive committee meeting at 6:00 p.m. Meeting adjourned